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"My wife became completely run down through overwork and care of a sick member of our household, and I entertained serious apprehensions as to her future. She was languid, pale, utterly exhausted, without appetite, and in a complete state of physical decline. And yet she did not, *could* not neglect her duties. I have seen her about the house, trying courageously to care for the ones she loved, when I could tell, from the lines upon her face, how much she was suffering. At times she would rally for a day or two and then fall back into the state of nervous exhaustion she felt before. Her head pained her frequently, her body was becoming bowed by pain, and all hope or enjoyment in life seemed departed. What to do we could not tell. I resolved, however, to bring back her life and vitality, if possible, and to this end began to treat her myself. To my great relief, her system has been toned up, her strength restored, her health completely recovered, and wholly by the use of Warner's Tippecanoe, which I regard as the greatest tonic, invigorator, and stomach remedy that has ever been discovered. I was led to use it the more readily, as I had tested the health-restoring properties of Warner's Safe Cure in my own person, and I therefore knew that any remedy Mr. Warner might produce would be a valuable one. I have since recommended both Warner's Tippecanoe and Warner's Safe Cure to many of my friends, and I know several Doctors of Divinity as well as numerous laymen who are using both with great benefit."

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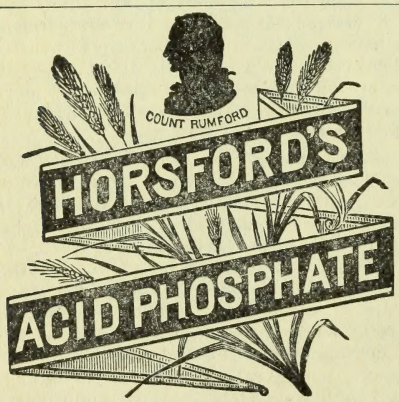

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Rules for Government of Conference.

REVISED AND ADOPTED MARCH 26, 1885.

I. The Conference shall meet at 9 o'clock, A. M., and adjourn at 12 M.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate.

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member request it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection; unless one of the following motions shall intervene, namely: indefinite postponement, postponement till a given time, to lie on the table, to amend or to substitute; and these motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any member speak more than once, till every one desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a subject has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members

present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless, for special reasons, the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. A session shall be held on the first day of each Conference session for the collection of statistics from the various charges, and each pastor shall be required to report his statistics at that time, in order to find a place in the Minutes, and the names of those preachers *not* presenting their statistical report on the *first day* of Conference, shall be called immediately after the opening of the morning session of the second day, and their reports required; and the Secretaries shall not be required to insert any reports coming in after 12 o'clock of the second day.

XV. The officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the officers and managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examinations of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. The Chairman of each Examining Committee shall present a written report of the class examination, to be preserved with the records of the Conference.

XVIII. All applications for aid from the Conference Claimant Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions:

1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned; of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9 What are your present means of support?

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Missions.—The Presiding Elders.

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Third Year.—O. M. Martin, M. Bell, P. McNutt.

Fourth Year.—O. J. Cowles, G. W. Rich, L. C. Sappenfield.

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Garrett Biblical Institute.—B. St. James Fry, D. D., Wm. Jones.

Lewis College.—W. G. Cowan, Wm. V. Hamel, O. J. Cowles, W. K. Collins.

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JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY.

MORNING SESSION.

LEBANON, Mo., Thursday, March 26th, 1885.

The St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its seventeenth annual session, in the Methodist Episcopal Church in Lebanon, Mo., with Bishop Charles H. Fowler presiding.

The session was opened with devotional exercises by the Bishop, and the administration of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

J. F. Corrington, Secretary of the last conference, called the roll, and sixty-five members responded.

The conference ordered the election of Secretary by ballot.

Henry R. Miller, Curtis V. Criss, Albert Jump and C. M. Keeton were put in nomination. H. R. Miller was elected.

The Secretary nominated for his assistants C. V. Criss and A. L. Walker, who were elected.

C. S. Revelle was elected Statistical Secretary, with S. Warner, Oscar Lunbeck, John Ashley, Frank Exley, B. F. Thomas and C. M. Keeton as his assistants.

The rules of order published in the Minutes of last year were adopted.

The bar of the Conference was fixed on the line of the rear of the third window.

Frank Lenig was appointed a Committee on the New York Book Accounts.

The following Standing Committees were appointed: (See page 4-5.)

The following Special Committees were ordered. Committeemen appointed: (See page 5-6.)

The 20th question, "*Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*" was taken up. The Presiding Elder of the Missouri District, R. H. Smith, was called, and his character passed. He reported his district.

The Conference required the apportionments of the Missionary and Church Extension collections to be given, with the amounts collected, as ordered by the General Conference, and that there be added, "all the collections taken," or otherwise as the case may be.

The names of the following Elders of the Missouri District were called, their characters passed, and they reported their collections. Wm. Wheeler, Andrew Ramsey, J. W. Brown, B. F. Steel, J. W. Payne, Reuben Smith, W. H. H. Brown, Martin Reed, C. Tays, F. H. Small, A. Abanathy. Also the characters of Edgar Pitts and J. D. Evans were passed but reported no collection. When A. Coleman's name was called a Committee of five was appointed to inquire into his case, namely, M. Bell, Wm. Jones, Isaac Entwistle, G. W. Rich and C. M. Keeton.

Rev. W. A. Spencer, of the Rock River Conference, was introduced, and represented the Church Extension Society in a neat address.

On motion an afternoon session was ordered at 2:30 P. M. for gathering the Conference Statistics. Dr. Fry was appointed by the Chair to preside.

A paper from Dr. Hunt, relating to the support of the Bishops, was read, and referred to the Presiding Elders.

B. W. Timothy was reported as withdrawn, and gone to the Protestant Episcopal Church.

The transfer of Wm. Jones from the Kansas Conference to this Conference was announced by the Bishop.

Rev. Mr. Hays was introduced, and by vote of the Conference, was permitted to represent the "Chautauqua School of Theology."

The Bishop announced that this Conference was authorized to draw on the Book Concern for one hundred and sixty-two dollars ($162.00.) The draft was made and turned over to the Stewards.

The following visiting brethren were introduced: Dr. Wm. Jones and Dr. O. J. Cowles, transfers from the Kansas Conference; Rev. Edmund Wright, agent of the American Bible Society for Missouri; Rev. A. K. Johnson, of the Kansas Conference, and Rev. Johnson, of the Colored Baptist Church of this city.

The Secretary then called the first names on the several committees, who made their announcements of the time and place of meeting.

The report of the Educational Society of New York, was referred to the Committee on Education. Also papers relating to the Freedmen's Aid cause were referred to the Freedman's Aid Committee.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

SECOND SESSION—FIRST DAY.

Thursday, 2:30 P. M.

The Conference convened for Statistical Session, Rev. B. St. James Fry presiding. Devotional services were conducted by Paterson McNutt.

The roll was called and the statistics of the several charges were collected.

Dr. McNutt was elected treasurer of the Missionary Society in the place of J. F. Corrington, Presiding Elder.

There being no other business the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Fry.

SECOND DAY.

Friday, March 27th, 1885.

Conference met at 8.30 A. M. Devotional exercises were conducted by O. M. Martin.

Bishop Fowler then took the chair. The minutes of the

preceding session were read and, after some correction, were adopted.

Minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

The transfer of O. J. Cowles was announced by the Bishop. Dr. H. G. Jackson was added to the Committee on Education. S. Warner was relieved from the Committee on Observance of the Sabbath and Sunday School and Tract. O. B. Jones was substituted for S. R. Reese on Committee on Postoffices.

The *twentieth* question was resumed.

J. F. Corrington, Presiding Elder of St. Louis District, was called, and his character passed. He reported his district. The following elders were called and their characters passed, and they reported their benevolent collections: M. B. Wood, Francis Ballaine, M. Bell, F. S. Beggs, Albert Jump, W. K. Collins, C. P. Masden, T. H. Hagerty, F. M. Stickney, G. W. Hughey. Also, L. Halleck and B. St. James Fry were called and their characters passed.

Rev. Edmund Wright, agent of the American Bible Society, addressed the Conference in the interest of that society

The Bishop announced the transfer of J. H. Hard from the Iowa Conference.

Rev. W. Stephens, Presiding Elder of the Sedalia District, was called and his character passed; he reported his district. C. V. Criss, W. P. Armstrong, J. H. Gillespie, E. J. Hunt, W. G. Cowan, J. B. Daniels, John Ashley, Henry R. Miller, W. V. Hamel, P. McNutt, J. S. Porter and Wm. Jones were called, their characters passed, and they reported their collections.

J. B. Van Petten's character was passed.

Rev. C. J. W. Jones, Presiding Elder of the Kansas City District, was called, his character passed, and he reported his district.

The following elders were called, their character's passed, and they reported their collections: Frank Exley, A. P. Sallaway, S. R. Reese, W. F. Baker, R. M. Barnes, A. H. Tevis, B. F. January, R. R. Pierce, J. H. Hard and H. M. Hackney. The characters of H. G. Jackson and L. R. Carpenter were passed.

While C. J. W. Jones was reporting his district he announced a telegram from Independence, Mo., informing the Conference of the death of Rev. S. H. Mortland. A solemn

stillness pervaded the Conference for some moments. The brethren then tearfully sung, "Shall we gather at the river?" The following resolution was then offered and passed by a rising vote.

Resolved, That this Conference receives the announcement of the death of Rev. S. H. Mortland this morning with deep sorrow and profound regret, and that Rev. C. J. W. Jones be requested to transmit to Sister Mortland, by telegram this day, our sincere sympathy for her in her sad bereavement, and that C. J. W. Jones and Wm. Stephens be appointed a committee to draft a memoir of Brother Mortland for these minutes.

H. R. Miller,
C. V. Criss.

The Conference then ordered a collection taken at once for the benefit of Sisters Mortland and Houts, and that T. H. Hagerty, O. M. Martin and C. J. W. Jones be a Committee to divide the collection between them. Fifty-seven dollars and seventy-eight cents was the amount of the collection.

Revs. G. V. Houts and S. H. Mortland were called and reported deceased.

Rev. A. K. Johnson, agent of Lewis College, represented that institution at Glasgow to the Conference.

Dr. Earl Cranston, senior agent of the Western Methodist Book Concern, was introduced, and represented the publishing interests of the church in an effective address.

The time was extended by vote of the Conference. District Conference papers were refered to the Cabinet by vote of the Conference.

The Conference fixed the hour of 10 A. M. to-morrow for the reception of the probationers into full membership in the Conference.

Memorial services for the deceased members of the Conference was made the order of the day for 3 P. M. to-morrow.

Rev. C. J. W. Jones designated, and the Conference ordered, Rev. A. H. Tevis and Rev. O. J. Cowles to proceed to Independance to attend the funeral obsequies of Brother Mortland. The Committees were called and made their announcements, and the Conference adjourned with benediction by the Bishop.

THIRD DAY.

MORNING SESSION.

Saturday, March 28th, 1885.

The Conference was opened with devotional exercises for 30 minutes, conducted by T. H. Hagerty.

Bishop Fowler then took the chair.

The *twentieth* question was resumed. S. Alexander, Presiding Elder of the Springfield District was called.

The Conference ordered a Committee of fifteen to inquire into his case. The Bishop appointed T. H. Hagerty, M. B. Wood, H. G. Jackson, F. Exley, W. P. Armstrong, W. Jones, E. J. Hunt, John Ashley, O. M. Stewart, J. J. Martin, Jacob Miller, G. W. Rich, J. D. Evans, F. H. Small and C. Tays.

Bro. Alexander then reported his district.

The *fourteenth* question, "*What Traveling Deacons were elected to Elders' Orders?*" was taken up. B. F. Thomas, S. Warner, M. W. Crow, Calvin M. Keeton, Frank Lenig, J. N. Moore and Patric Atkinson were called and their characters passed. They reported their collections. They were also passed in their studies and elected to Elders' Orders. W. R. Lawton was called and his character passed. He reported his collections, and was passed in his studies.

R. D. Wordley, recommended by the Montana Mission Conference, was admitted and elected to Elder's Orders under the Missionary rule.

The transfer of Rev. F. G. Boylan, of the Nebraska Conference, and Rev. J. W. Bennett, of the Columbia River Conference, was announced, and they were elected to Elders' Orders under the Missionary rule and re-transferred.

The *fifth* question, "*Who are Admitted into Full Connection?*" was taken up. Joseph Marlatt, Thomas Pingry, James W. Summers, Wm. T. Neff, John W. Hill, Oscar Lunbeck, Samuel L. Evans, Richard Crosby, were called forward, and addressed by Bishop Fowler. The class then standing received and affirmatively answered the disciplinary questions.

The time was extended.

The following brethren were passed in their characters and studies, reported their collections and were admitted to full membership and elected to Elders' Orders: Joseph Marlatt, James W. Summers and W. T. Neff.

Thomas W. Pingry, J. W. Hill, and Oscar Lunbeck were passed in their characters and studies and admitted to full membership in the Conference, being already in Deacons' Orders.

Richard Crosby and S. L. Evans were continued in the second year and required to bring up the studies of the second year at next Conference.

The Conference ordered the list of the Supernumerary and Superannuated preachers to be referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

The Secretary called the Committees, and their announcements were made.

The Conference then adjourned with the benediction by the Bishop.

SECOND SESSION—2 P. M.

The Conference was called to order by Bishop Folwer, and was opened with singing and prayer, conducted by Rev. S. Warner.

The Minutes of the forenoon session were read and approved.

The fifth question was resumed. E. A. Neiberger was called, his character was passed, his collections were reported and he was discontinued at his own request. Robert Smith was called and his character passed. He was examined in his studies by a Committee at Evanston, and the Conference accepted their report, and he was continued on trial in the second year.

Daniel S. Dunlavy was reported transferred to the Iowa Conference.

The third question, "*Who Remain on Trial?*" was taken up. Walter H. Gardenhire, Charles E. Evans and Thomas S. Gross were called and their characters passed and collections reported. They were advanced in their studies and continued on trial. Elias W. Howell's character was passed and his collections reported. He was continued on trial, and permitted to bring up both year's studies at next Conference.

Henson Baker's character was passed and he was continued in the first year's course of study.

Edward Anthony was continued on trial in the first year.

The thirteenth question, "*Who are the Traveling Deacons of the Second Class?*" was taken up. John W. Jackson and Joshua S. Burton were called, their characters were passed and collections reported. They were allowed to bring up the third and fourth years course of study at next Conference.

I. M. Galbraith was called, his character passed, collections reported, and he was continued in the third year. Alexander L. Walker was called and his character was passed. He reported his collections, and was advanced to the second class of Deacons, being required to bring up Intellectual Science, omitted by him in the third year's course of study.

The twentieth question was resumed. Rev. I. J. K. Lunbeck, Presiding Elder of the Carthage District, was called, and his character passed. He reported his district.

The following Elders were called, their characters were passed and they reported their collections: J. M. Darby, O. M. Stewart, T. H. Knease, W. F. Yeager, J. J. Martin, N. H. Buck, Wm. Buck, A. H. Heinlein, Jacob Miller, G. W. Rich and H. H. Ashbaugh.

E. J. King was located at his own request. J. R. Wolf was transferred to the Austin Conference.

The following Elders of the Springfield district were called, their collections reported, and their characters passed: James Pine, Isaac Entwistle, J. B. Brewington, R. H. Hanson, Wm. Demotte, J. N. Pierce, J. W. Haymes, C. S. Revelle, L. C. Sappenfield, B. F. Poole, O. M. Martin, H. Threlfall.

Three o'clock having arrived the order of the day was taken up. The memorial services for Rev. G. V. Houts, and S. P. Mortland were opened with singing the 1030th hymn. Rev. C. J. W. Jones then led in prayer. An obituary of G. V. Houts was then read by Bro. Jones, and Rev. Wm. Stephens made some appropriate remarks. The Committee on Memoir of Rev. S. P. Mortland were granted till next Conference to prepare the same. After some appropriate words from Rev. S. Ing, concern-Bro. S. P. Mortland, and singing the 1038th hymn, the Minute business was resumed.

The nineteenth question, "*Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*" was taken up. The characters of E. A. Porter, J.

H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, J. W. Tally, A. J. Gaither, E. H. Baird, R. Moffitt, John Welsh, R. M. Morgan, A. Barber, and J. W. Cowden, were passed, and their relation continued. S. Ing was made effective.

The eighteenth question, "*Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*" was taken up. The characters of S. Jones, T. S. Benefiel, J. K. Tuttle, L. W. Munsel and E. Hopkins, were passed and their relations continued.

T. D. Lewis was transferred to the Southern California Conference.

Andrew Anderson was made effective and transferred to the Puget Sound Conference. O. B. Jones and Cyrus Brough were made effective. The relation of J. W. Hughes was continued with work. The parchments of J. C. Willoughby were received by the Conference and ordered filed with the Secretary's papers.

L. R. Carpenter and Edgar Pitts were given a supernumerary relation at their own request.

The Committees on Episcopal Fund, Permanent Fund, Observance of the Sabbath, District Records, Sunday School and Tracts, read their reports, which were adopted.

The Reports of the Treasurers of the St. Louis Conference Educational Society, and Church Extension Society were read and received.

The Conference ordered that Dr. C. P. Masden be made the custodian of the Permanent Funds until the trustees be properly incorporated. It was also ordered that the trustee serve in the order in which their names are given.

The report of the Committee on periodicals was read. Dr. Fry, editor of the *Central Advocate*, addressed the Conference on the periodical literature of the Church. The report was adopted. A subscription for the publication of the Minutes was taken, amounting to $190. The Conference adjourned to 7:30 P. M. with the benediction by Dr. Reed.

THIRD SESSION.—7.30 P. M.

Conference convened with Bishop Fowler in the chair.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. C. P. Masden

The Secretary read the minutes of the afternoon session, which, after some corrections, were approved.

The Bishop was requested by the Conference to appoint C. V. Van Patten a professor in Claverac College, New York.

It was ordered that T. S. Benefiel be changed from a supernumerary to a superannuated relation.

The Conference excused the Committee on Inquiry, in the case of S. Alexander, from the Conference room.

The committee on the case of A. Coleman reported, and the report was adopted. Brother Coleman was called to the stand, and in the presence of the Conference was cautioned by the Bishop.

The Committees on Church Extension, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Womans' Home Missionary Society, Temperance and Periodical Accounts, read their reports, and they were adopted.

The Committee on Education presented their report, which was taken up item by item. Rev. I. J. K. Lunbeck addressed the Conference in reference to Marionville Institute, and Dr. B. St. James Fry spoke for Carlton Institute, at Farmington. Their addresses were well received.

The Conference directed Dr. C. P. Masden to secure a legal form of bequest to the Permanent Fund of the St. Louis Conference and furnish the same to the Secretary of the Conference for publication in the minutes of this Conference.

A communication bearing a most excellent spirit, was received and read, from the Fraternal Delegate of the Southwest Missouri Conference of the M. E. Church, South.

The Conference appointed Dr. C. P. Masden as Fraternal Delegate to the next meeting of that Conference, to bear the fraternal messages from this Conference.

The second question, "*Who are admitted on trial?*" was taken up.

The following brethren were recommended in due form, reported their collections, passed their examination, and were admitted: Henry A. Toland, Thomas H. Corkill, Albert J. Graves, Dennis Peyton, Thomas H. Williams.

The sixth question, "*Who are readmitted?*" was taken up.

Thomas M. Durham's certificate of location was presented, and he was admitted. The committee reported that Thomas H. Corkill, just admitted on trial, had passed the first and second year's course of study, and their report was accepted.

Rev. J. M. Reed, Senior Missionary Secretary, was introduced, and addressed the Conference concerning the missionary work of the church.

Rev. L. F. Walden, of the Illinois Conference, was introduced.

Announcements were made, and the Conference adjourned to meet on Monday morning at 8 o'clock.

FOURTH DAY.

FIRST SESSION.—8 A. M.

LEBANON, MO., March 30, 1885.

Conference met at 8 o'clock, with Bishop Fowler in the chair, and was opened with appropriate religious services, conducted by Rev. W. R. Lawton.

Joseph P. Marlatt was added to the Committee on Publishing the Minutes.

The twentieth question was resumed.

E. Pitts, J. W. Haymes, J. D. Evans, Wm. DeMotte, J. D. Munsel, J. N. Pierce and F. H. Small, were called and their collections reported.

The report of the Committee of Inquiry in the case of S. Alexander was read and adopted by the Conference, finding no cause of Conference action, and his character was passed by vote of the Conference without dissent.

The adoption of the report of the Committee on Permanent Fund was reconsidered, and the report was recommitted.

The Secretary of the Conference was ordered to take accurate copies of certain papers relating to S. Alexander, and return the originals to him.

The Board of Stewards reported, and their report was adopted.

Rev. T. H. Hagerty reported that his committee had divided

the collection of Saturday between Sisters Mortland and Houts. Giving Sister Mortland $25, and Sister Houts $32.78.

The report of the Committee on Education was resumed, and the item concerning Lewis College was taken up. Rev. Hagerty, Dr. Jackson, Rev. C. J. W. Jones, and W. H. Craig, (layman), made effective addresses. A subscripion of $4,000 for the College debt was taken. After some amendments, and the appointment of Albert Jump, J. F. Corrington, G. W. Hughey, a Committee to visit McKendree College, the report, as a whole, was adopted.

The Conference unanimously adopted a résolution empowering the Trustees of Lewis College to amend their charter, a copy of which amendment was submitted to them.

The Conference ordered that the subscription of $4,000, just taken, be applied on our Centennial Offering.

The following ministers of this city were introduced: Rev. Davis, Methodist Episcopal Church, South; Rev. Martin of the Presbyterian Church, and Rev. Lewis, of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. Jackson, of Springfield, and Rev. Ely, of Liberty, Mo., and Rev. W. H. H. Brown, of the Missouri Conference, were introduced.

The Auditing Committee presented their report, which was adopted.

The thirty-third question, "*Where shall the next Conference be held?*" was taken up.

Warrensburg and Lamar were put in nomination and represented. Warrensburg was chosen.

The following resolutions were read and adopted:

WHEREAS, There is imminent peril of the loss of our church property in Joplin, and

WHEREAS, The cause of God calls loudly for the saving of said property to the Methodist Episcopal Church; therefore,

Resolved, That we commend the case to the benevolence of our people throughout the Conference, and invite the pastor at Joplin to solicit private contributions from our people to aid in paying said debt; *provided,* such solicitation shall not interfere with the church extension collection.

O. M. STEWART,
I. J. K. LUNBECK.

Resolved, That our thanks be extended to the Missouri Pacific, Fort Scott & Gulf, and St. Louis & San Francisco Railroads, for their favors extended to the Conference in reduction of fare and transportation.

Resolved, That we, the members of the St. Louis Conference, extend our heartfelt thanks to the kind and hospitable people of Lebanon, for the excellent entertainment they have given us during our session, and that we unite in prayer to God for the religious and material prosperity of its people. That thanks also be extended to Brother Pierce for the able way in which he has conducted the vexatious details in connection with our entertainment.

Resolved, The St. Louis Annual Conference having learned that they are indebted to Rev. T. H. Hagerty and Mrs. Hagerty, his wife, for the initiatory movement which has secured the collections for a permanent fund for the worn-out preachers, their widows, and their orphan children, do hereby express their gratification and thanks for the happy thought and generous impulse that gave birth to so beneficent an institution as this promises to be.

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY, ~~Secretary.~~
H. G. JACKSON.

The adoption of the report of the Stewards was reconsidered, and their report recommitted.

The report of Committee on Freedmen's Aid Society was presented and adopted.

Certain moneys for Sunday School and tract Society, in the hands of Brother Kneas, belonging to Richland charge, were ordered paid to the incoming pastor of that charge, to be credited in next year's report.

The members of the Conference were requested, by resolution of Rev. O. M. Stewart, to meet in this church at 2½ o'clock P. M., to organize a Preachers' Aid Society.

The report of the Stewards was read as amended and adopted.

The funds were distributed as follows:

To E. A. Porter, received by J. S. Porter; Mary Taylor, received by W. R. Lawton; Permelia West, received by J. F. Corrington; R. M. Morgan, received by Brother Sappenfield; Mrs. J. L. Walker, received by Jacob Miller; Mary Acres, received by I. Enterwistle; A. J. Gaither, received by S. Ing; R. Moffitt, received by Brother Kneas; Mrs. E. E. Condo,

received by I. J. K. Lunbeck; Mrs. S. H. Mortland, received by C. J. W. Jones; Mrs. G. V. Houts, received by P. McNutt; Anna Lee, received by B. F. Poole; Amanda Bewley, received by Dr. Fry; Mary Coulton, received by J. B. Daniel.

The Conference ordered a collection for the Sexton.

The report of the Committee on Bible Cause was read and adopted.

Conference adjourned to meet at 1.30 P. M., and was dismissed by benediction by Rev. Ing.

SECOND SESSION.—1.30 P. M.

The Conference was opened at 1.30 P. M., with Bishop Fowler in the chair. The religious services were conducted by Rev. B. F. Poole.

The following resolution was offered by Rev. O. M. Stewart:

WHEREAS, The Rev. Thomas M. Cobb, the Fraternal Delegate to the Southwest Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has in the fraternity of his declaration to us said: "We look upon Methodism as one, and we desire to count your success as ours. Who knows but the time is near when the two shall be one?" Therefore,

Resolved, That we reciprocate these and all other fraternal expressions with great pleasure and equal emphasis.

C. J. W. JONES.
O. M. STEWART.

The eighteenth question was resumed.

The name of W. O. Short was called. The Committee on Conference Relations, to whom his case was referred, submitted their report that his relation should be continued. The report was adopted.

The Statistical Secretary read the tabulated statistics to the Conference, which were approved.

The Bishop announced B. St. James Fry, W. H. H. Brown, C. J. W. Jones, J. W. Jackson and J. F. Corrington, as Committee on Colored Schools.

The transfer of W. H. H. Brown from Missouri, A. M. Clifford, Maine Conference; C. W. Parsons, from Northern New York Conference, and H. McCalister, from the Little Rock Conference, were announced by the Bishop.

He appointed as Triers of Appeals, T. H. Hagerty, L. R. Carpenter, W. P. Armstrong, F. H. Small, F. Exley, B. F. Poole, J. J. Martin.

The Committee of Examination were then announced by the Bishop. (See page 6).

Dr. DeWitt, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of this city, and Rev. J. H. Hard, transferred from Iowa, were introduced.

J. W. Jackson was appointed to preach the Missionary Sermon, with O. M. Martin as alternate.

The Committee on Domestic Missions reported, and the report adopted.

The following resolutions were passed:

Resolved, That all brethren having to be examined in Conference studies, present themselves before the Committee for examination the day previous to the opening of the Conference, and that all who fail to do so shall not be advanced in their classes.

O. M. Stewart,
O. M. Martin.

Resolved, That we have been highly delighted with the courteous manner in which Bishop Fowler has presided over the deliberations of this body, and we assure him a hearty welcome whenever he shall return to us as presiding officer.

P. McNutt.

The Secretary put the motion, which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

After reading the minutes and approving them, and religious services, consisting of singing, and prayer by Bishop Fowler, the Conference was addressed by the Bishop, after which the appointments were read and the Conference adjourned *sine die.*

APPOINTMENTS.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

J. F. CORRINGTON, P. E. 2. 3125 SHERIDAN AVE., ST. LOUIS, MO.

Bloomfield.....D. W. Crow. 3
Bonne Terre and Mineral Point,
Oscar Lunbeck. 1
Crystal City.....Samuel Warner. 1
Crystal City Cir't, Walter Gardenhire. 1
Cape Girardeau Circuit.
Supplied by G. W. King.
De Soto.....Francis Ballaine. 1
Farmington.....To be supplied.
Fredericktown.....To be supplied.
Ironton and Piedmont..B. F. Thomas. 2
Lutesville and Marble Hill.
To be supplied.
Pacific and Calvey.....Supplied by
P. A. Crow.
Perryville.....Mordecai Bell. 2
St. Louis—
" Carondelet....G. W. Hughey. 1
" Central.....Albert Jump. 1
" Goode Ave...Jos. P. Marlatt. 2
" St. Luke.....W. T. Neff. 1
" Trinity.....W. K. Collins. 3
" Union and Union Mission.
C. P. Masden. 3
" Water Tower .T. H. Hagerty. 2
Sullivan.....F. M. Stickney. 3
Webster Circuit.....To be supplied.

B. St. James Fry, editor *Central Christian Advocate;* Leander Hallock, City Missionary; Members Union Quarterly Conference.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

WILLIAM STEVENS, P. E. 3. 1422 OHIO STREET, SEDALIA, MO.

Appleton City.....C. V. Criss. 2
Aullville and Dresden.....C. Brough. 1
Brownington Circuit.....Supplied by
C. L. Taylor.
Clinton.....W. P. Armstrong. 3
High Point.....H. A. Toland. 2
Huntingdale.....I. M. Galbraith. 1
Knobnoster.....Jas. Pine. 1
Lebeck.....Supplied by A. R. Huson.
Malta Bend. .....E. J. Hunt. 3
Marshall.....W. G. Cowan. 2
Montrose .....J. B. Daniel. 2
Osceola.....J. Ashley. 2
Rockville and Schell City.
One to be supplied. A. L. Walker. 1
Sedalia—
" Montgomery st..J. H. Gillespie. 1
" Ohio st.....Wm. Jones. 2
Smithton & Pilot Grove..W.V. Hamel. 2
Tipton.....E. W. Howell. 2
Warrensburg.....Paterson McNutt. 2
Warsaw...Supplied by T. S. Johnson.
Windsor.....J. S. Porter. 2

J. B. Van Petten, Professor in Claverac College, N. Y.; member of Ohio Street Quarterly Conference, Sedalia.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

C. J. W. JONES, P. E. 3. POST OFFICE, INDEPENDENCE, MO.

Adrian.....Thomas Pingry. 1
Austin and Pleasant Valley.
B. F. January. 1
Belton.....O. B. Jones. 2
Kansas City.....R. R. Pierce. 1
Butler Circuit.....T. H. Corkill. 2
East Lynne.....A. P. Sallaway. 2
Harrisonville.....B. A. Disney. 1
Holden.....S. R. Reese. 2
Holden Circuit.....W. F. Baker. 2
Independence.....H. M. Hackney. 1
Kansas City—
" Dundee Place...O. J. Cowles. 2
" Grand ave.....C. W. Parsons. 1
" Liberty st.....J. H. Hard. 2
" Summit st.....A. N. Clifford. 1
Lee's Summit.....J. N. Pierce. 1
Mecklin.....Stanford Ing. 1
Pleasant Hill.....To be supplied.
Rich Hill.....Frank Exly. 1

H. G. Jackson, President of Lewis College; member of Grand Avenue Quarterly Conference, Kansas City.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

SAMUEL ALEXANDER, P. E. 3. POST OFFICE, SPRINGFIELD, MO.

Ash Grove and Orleans.
Supplied by.....—. Manary.
Bolivar.....J. B. Brewington. 1
Buffalo and Urbana....W. F. Yeager. 1
Conway.....J. W. Haymes. 1
Cuba.....To be supplied.
Dixon.....Albert Graves. 1
Eminence, supplied by L. W. Munsell. 2
Hartville, " Wm. McClanahan.
Hermitage, " W. T. Pare.
Houston, " Wesley Nall.
Humansville.....Wm. Demotte. 2
Iberia.....Supplied by T. J. Ramsay.
Lebanon.....H. R. Miller. 1
Licking.....Supplied by Jno. Clark.
Marshfield.....C. S. Revell e.
Mountain Grove.....H. Threlfall. 1
North Springfield.....F. Lenig. 3
Ozark.....To be supplied.
Republic.....Supplied by A. Burris.
Richland.....G. W. Rich. 1
Rolla.....B. F. Poole. 2
Roubideaux, supplied by W. Patterson.
Salem.....To be supplied.
Seymour.....R. H. Hanson. 1
Springfield.....O. M. Martin. 2
Strafford..Supplied by A. C. McGinty.
Vichy Springs.....To be supplied.
West Plains.....L. C. Sappenfield. 2

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

I. J. K. LUNBECK, P. E. 4. P. O., CARTHAGE, MO.

Avilla.....N. H. Buck. 1
Carthage.....O. M. Stewart. 3
Carterville and Webb City.
M. B. Wood. 1
Cassville.....T. H. Knease. 2
Dadeville.....I. Entwistle. 1
Galena.....To be supplied.
Golden City.....J. J. Martin. 2
Greenfield.....To be supplied.
Jasper and Mt. Moriah..J. M. Durham. 1
Joplin.....W. Buck. 1
Lamar.....A. H. Heinlein. 2
Marionville.....Jacob Miller. 3
Mounds.....C. E. Evans. 2
Mt. Vernon.....H. H. Ashbaugh 1
Nashville.....T. S. Gross. 1
Neosho.....To be supplied.
Oronogo.....To be supplied.
Peirce City.....J. N. Moore. 1
Sarcoxie.....J. M. Darby. 1
Seneca.....To be supplied.
Sheldon.....To be supplied.
South Carthage City..To be supplied.
Stockton.....To be supplied.

R. T. Smith, without appointment, to attend Biblical Institute.

ROLLA DISTRICT.

R. H. SMITH, P. E. 4. P. O., SEDALIA, MO.

California.....Wm. Wheeler. 2
Clinton and Calhoun.....S. L. Evans. 1
De Soto.....E. Anthony. 1
Farmington and Fredericktown.
J. W. Payne. 1
Ironton and Potosi.....A. Abanatha. 1
Lebanon and Marshfield....R. Crosby. 1
Osceola and Stockton....Sup. by
Eli. Bly.
Rolla and St. James....Richard Rush. 2
Sedalia.....W. R. Lawton. 2
Smithton, Pilot Grove and Bemans
Chapel.....Supplied by Wm. Dives.
Springfield.....J. W. Hill. 1
Springfield Circuit .....M. Reed. 2
St. Louis, Elliott Avenue.
J. W. Hughes, Sup'y. 1
" Baden and Lowell,
Supplied by W. Campbell.
" Bridgeton and Rock Springs.
Supplied by H. McAllister.
" Wesley Chapel..F. H. Small. 2
Tipton Versailles and Otterville.
J. S. Burton 2

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

W. H. H. BROWN, P. E. 1. P. O., MARSHALL, MO.

Arrow Rock.....P. Atkinson. 2
Brownsville.....C. M. Keeton. 1
Butler and Harrisonville.J. W. Brown. 2
Carthage and Joplin.....A. Rainsay. 2
Dresden and Lamonte....Sup. by
T. Dixon.
Georgetown and Mt. Zion.
Supplied by A. Smith.
Greenfield and Mt. Vernon.
A. Coleman. 1
Higginsville and Odessa....H. Baker. 1
Holden and Centerview.
Supplied by B. P. Toley.
Kansas City.....J. W. Jackson. 2
Lexington..... J. W. Summers. 1
Marshall.....J. D. Evans. 1
Marshall Circuit.....R. Smith. 2
Neosho and Newtonia....T. Williams. 1
Slater and Gilham...Supplied by
H. Irwin.
Salt Pond and Malta Bend...B. Steele. 1
Warrensburg & Knobnoster...C. Tays. 3
Waverly .....W. McCutchen. 2
Wellington....Sup. by Dennis Peyton

Summary of Disciplinary Questions.

1. *Who are Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*

ANSWER.—Wm. Jones and O. J. Cowles from the Kansas Conference; J. H. Hard, Iowa Conference; W. H. H. Brown, Missouri; A. N. Clifford, Maine; C. W. Parsons, N. Y.; H. McCalister, Little Rock.

2. *Who Were Admitted on Trial?*

ANSWER.—Thomas H. Corkill, Albert J. Graves, Dennis Peyton, Henry A. Toland, and Thomas H. Williams.

3. *Who Remain on Trial?*

ANSWER.—Robert F. Smith, Walter H. Gardenhire, Charles E.

Evans, Thomas S. Gross, Samuel L. Evans, Richard Crosby, Elias W. Howell, Henson Baker and Edward Anthony.

4. *Who are Discontinued?*

ANSWER.—E. A. Neiberger.

5. *Who are Admitted into full Connection?*

ANSWER.—Joseph P. Marlatt, Thomas Pingry, James W. Summers, William T. Neff, John W. Hill, and Oscar Lunbeck.

6. *Who are Re-admitted?*

ANSWER.—Thomas M. Durham, (elder.)

7. *Who are Received on Credentials from other Churches?*

ANSWER.—None.

8. *What Traveling Preachers have been elected Deacons?*

ANSWER.—Joseph P. Marlatt, James W. Summers and William T. Neff.

9. *What Traveling Preachers have been ordained Deacons?*

ANSWER.—Joseph P. Marlatt, James W. Summers and William T. Neff.

10. *What Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?*

11. *What Local Preachers have been ordained Deacons?*

12. *Who are the Traveling Deacons of the First-Class?*

ANSWER.—Joseph P. Marlatt, Thomas Pingry, James W. Summers, Wm. T. Neff, John W. Hill, Oscar Lunbeck and Isaac M. Galbraith.

13. *Who are the Traveling Deacons of the Second Class?*

ANSWER.—John W. Jackson, Joshua S. Burton and Alexander L. Walker.

14. *What Traveling Deacons have been elected Elders?*

ANSWER.—Benjamin F. Thomas, Samuel Warner, David W. Crow, Calvin M. Keeton, Frank Lenig, John N. Moore, Patric Atkinson, R. D. Worldly, F. G. Boylan, and J. W. Bennett.

What Traveling Deacons have been Ordained Elders?

ANSWER.—Benjamin F. Thomas, Samuel Warner, David W. Crow, Calvin M. Keeton, Frank Lenig, John N. Moore and Patric Atkinson.

16. *What Local Deacons have been elected Elders?*

17. *What Local Deacons have been Ordained Elders?*

18. *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

ANSWER.—S. Jones, L. W. Munsell, J. K. Tuttle, L. R. Carpenter, J. W. Hughes (with work), F. S. Beggs, Edgar Pitts, N. E. Boyce, W. O. Short, E. Hopkins, J. W. Finley.

19. *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

ANSWER.—E. A. Porter, J. H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, J. W. Tally, A. J. Gaither, E. H. Baird, R. Moffit, John Welsh, R. M. Morgan, A. Barber, J. W. Cowden, T. S. Benefiel.

20. *Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*

ANSWER.—This was strictly done, as the name of each Preacher was called in open Conference.

21. *Have any died?*

ANSWER.—G. V. Houts and S. P. Mortland.

22. *Have any been Transferred, and to what Conference?*

ANSWER.—John R. Wolf to the Austin Conference; Andrew Anderson to the Pugent Sound Conference, Thomas D. Lewis, Southern California Conference; Willis Palmer to Cincinnati, F. G. Boylan to Nebraska, R. M. Barnes to North Indiana, A. H. Tevis to Kansas, and W. S. Dunlavy to Iowa, J. W. Bennett to the Columbia River Conference.

23. *Have any Withdrawn?*

ANSWER.—B. W. Timothy.

24. *Have any been Located at their own Request?*

ANSWER.—E. J. King.

25. *Have any been Located?*

26. *Have any been permitted to Withdraw under Charges?*

27. *Have any been Expelled?*

28. *Who are selected for Triers of Appeals?*

ANSWER.—T. H. Hagerty, L. R. Carpenter, W. P. Armstrong, F. H. Small, F. Exley, B. F. Poole, J. J. Martin.

29. *What is the Statistical Report for this Conference year?*

ANSWER.—See tabulated statements.

30. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*

ANSWER.—$——.

31. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been applied?*

ANSWER.—$1,014, which has been applied under order of the Conference.

32. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?*

ANSWER.—See appointments.

33. *Where shall the next Conference be held?*

ANSWER.—Warrensburg.

MEMOIR.

REV. G. VAN CLEVE HOUTS.

Rev. Green Van Cleve Houts, son of Rev. Christopher G. and Sarah Houts, and brother of T. D., Judge William and Dr. Wesley Houts, all of Warrensburg, Mo., was born in Scott county, Mo., Nov. 25, 1837, and died at Butler, Mo., April 13, 1884. His father was a local preacher in the Methodist Episcopal Church for several years, but died when Green was but three years old, leaving him, one sister and his three brothers to the care of their mother. Mrs. Houts moved to Johnson county, Mo., in 1842. Bro. Houts obtained a good common-

school education, and then received instruction under Rev. G. W. Johnson, principal of the High School in Warrensburg, and by teaching and close study he obtained a fair standard of knowledge of all the academic branches. He was converted at a camp-meeting on Chalybiate camp-ground, September, 1855. In August, 1861, he went to Kansas, and on the 9th of March, 1862, he married Miss Mary A. Thornton, of that place. In 1865 he was licensed to preach, and the same year he moved to Missouri and settled on a farm in Johnson county. As a local preacher he labored very successfully. In 1874 he was received on trial in the St. Louis Conference, and was sent to the Clarksburg circuit. From here he was sent to the Warrensburg circuit, thence to the Mecklin circuit and thence to Butler circuit. In each of his charges, except the last, he remained three years.

As a preacher Bro. Houts was biblical, true to Methodism, earnest, impressive. He was a man of great faith and fervent prayer. His administrative faculties were good. He looked after all the interests of the Church in his charges, and every department of work felt his touch and grew. His domestic relations were most happy. He was present at the last session of his Conference, enjoying, apparently, good health; but he returned home to spend but one Sabbath in his pulpit. The latter part of that week he took to his bed to get up no more. From the first he anticipated an early departure. He said to his wife on the Sabbath preceding his death, as the second bell was ringing for service: "One week from to-day, while that bell is ringing, if not before, I shall go home." One afternoon, observing that he was suffering a good deal, I said: "Bro. Houts, now in your severe affliction; do you feel that Christ is with you, and that His grace is sufficient for you?" Said he with great composure: "I have trusted Him too long for Him to desert me now. Oh, how could I endure this great suffering if it were not for His presence and His grace!"

On Sabbath morning at 3 o'clock he was found to be rapidly sinking, and his brother Dawson, sitting by him, said: "Do you suffer much?" "Yes," said he, "but it is all right." "Have you given all into the hands of your Savior, and can you trust him?" "Yes; I am just resting in Christ; just resting in Christ." "Can you trust your family with Him?" He hesitated a moment, and then remarked: "This is the hardest trial—to leave my family; but Jesus will take care of them." At 8 o'clock I went to his bedside and stayed with him until nearly church time. We read a part of the 21st chapter of Revelation, and prayed. As I left him, he assured me by a warm pressure of the hand, that Jesus was with him in the valley, and was bearing him triumphantly over Jordan. Just as the second bell for church was ringing, his happy spirit went home.

He left nine children to the care of his stricken companion. Appropriate services were held in the parsonage Sunday evening by the resident pastor, and on the next day his remains were taken to the family burying-ground, near Warrensburg.

B. A. Disney.
C. J. W. Jones.

OUR HONORED DEAD.

"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry	1832	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O.	43	Effective	26
Rob't Wilson	1860	.....	.....	..	.....	....
Benj. F. Wilson	1850	June 24, '65	.....	51	.....	15
C. E. Carpenter	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia.	29	Superannuated	8
Spencer Taylor	1867	Apr. 22, '70	Sedalia, Mo	39	Superannuated	3
Nor. H. Mitchell	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo	38	Effective	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '72	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Supernumerary	20
George McKee	1856	Apr. 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated	16
Nathan Jewett	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo	61	Effective	34
James A. Little	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo.	34	Effective	3
J. W. D. Ensey	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.	35	Superannuated	15
Addison P. Colton	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa.	45	Superannuated	9
John H. Lutz	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo	27	Supernumerary	4
John C. Berry	1868	Apr. 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia.	44	Superannuated	7
Geo. W. Durment	1857	June 2, '79	Paoli, Ind	41	Superannuated	22
Wm. S. Hubbard	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo	43	Effective	12
Eli E. Condo	1866	Apr 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo.	39	Effective	14
C. H. Wooley	1874	Apr. 28, '80	Osceola, Mo	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo.	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Denison, Texas	54	Supernumerary	23
R. A. Foster	1848	Mar. 10, '80	Warrensb'g, Mo.	68	Superannuated	13
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo.	52	Effective	15
Scott McCormack	1881	Oct. 19, '81	De Soto, Mo	24	Effective	1
J. L. Walker	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo.	51	Effective	26
J. E. Morris	1867	Apr. 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary	16
Green V. Houts	1874	Apr. 13, '84	Butler, Mo.	47	Effective	10
Sam'l H. Mortland	1871	Mar. 27, '85	Independ'ce, Mo.	..	Effective	....

REPORTS.

Auditing Committee.

Your Committee have examined the accounts of the Presiding Elders and Committee on Publication of the Minutes, and find them correct.

T. H. HAGERTY, President.

JAMES PINE, Secretary,

Book and Periodical Accounts.

We, your Committee, are gratified to report that the accounts of the members of the St. Louis Conference are as nearly settled and paid as they were last year.

Having presented to us accounts of brethren who have transferred to other Conferences; also, debts presented of those who have withdrawn from our church and Conference, we therefore recommend that the Presiding Elders do not consent to the transfer of any member of the St. Louis Conference until his accounts are satisfactorily adjusted; also, that the Secretaries be authorized to hereafter publish in the Conference minutes, the name and amount due the Book Concern of any brother withdrawing from the Conference.

W. V. HAMEL, Chairman.

B. F. POOLE, Secretary.

Bible Cause.

Your Committee on Bible Cause would submit the following:

We commend the American Bible Society to the various charges as worthy of their support. We renew our pledges of co-operation with the society and its authorized agents. The receipts are $84.02.

R. H. HANSON, Secretary.

Church Extension.

To the St. Louis Annual Conference:

The St. Louis Conference Board of Church Extension held three meetings during the past Conference year.

At the *first*, June 26, 1884, applications were approved for Dennison (liberal); Dixon; Purdy; Brush Creek, Laclede County; Oronogo, and LaDue. An application from Dadeville was referred back on account of informalities.

The *second* meeting was held on October 30, 1884. Applications were approved from Lebanon; Dadeville; Nashville, Barton County; East Lynne, Cass County; and Liberty, Adrien Circuit. An application from St. James, Clinton County, was imperfect, and referred back.

The *third* meeeting was held on February 5, 1885. Applications were approved from Holden, Cuba, and West Plains.

Respectfully submitted.

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION.

A review of the history and operations of the Church Extension Society assures us more than ever of the value and importance of the organization; and experience and observation convince us of the wisdom and efficiency of its methods. But we record with regret the fact that forty different charges do not report any collection for this generous helper of the weak and dependent societies.

As the Church Extension Society has liberally aided us in the past, and makes the generous proposition of $2,000 this year, on the easy condition that we raise $1,000 of it within the bounds of this Conference, we recommend that the collections be taken in the months of May and October, and the money sent to the Treasurer, that we may know by actual count whether there be the whole amount, so that special efforts may be made, if necessary, in order to secure the entire sum.

And we recommend our people to use the maps, and song service, and architectural plans of the society.

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY, Chairman.

ISAAC ENTWISTLE, Secretary.

District Conference Records.

We, your Committee on District Conference Records, beg leave to report that we have examined said records, and find correct such as have been presented, viz: Kansas City and Carthage Districts. The Secretary of the Missouri District Conference failed to submit his book to the Committee. The St. Louis, Sedalia and Springfield Districts held no District Conferences.

Very respectfully submitted.

O. B. JONES, Chairman.

J. W. JACKSON, Secretary.

Domestic Missions.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Carondelet, $100; Water Tower, $100; St. Luke, $200; Union Mission, $200; Goode Avenue, $50; Bloomfield, $50; Farmington, $75; Marble Hill, $50; Perryville, $75; Ironton and Piedmont, $75. Total, $975.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Montgomery St., Sedalia, $100; Marshall, $300; Aullville and Dresden, $40; Rockville and Schell City, $100; High Point, $50. Total, $590.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Rich Hill, $200; Harrisonville, $100; East Lynne, $50; Independence, $100; Liberty St., $100; Adrian, $50. Total, $600.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Dixon, $100; Marshfield, $100; North Springfield, $50; Salem, $75; West Plains, $125; Houston, $25; Mountain Grove, $25; Seymour, $50; Emminence, $25. Total, $575.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Joplin, $200; Carterville and Webb City, $120; Peirce City, $120; Neosho or Greenfield, $60; Greenfield, $60. Total, $560.

ROLLA DISTRICT.

Rolla, $40; Bridgeton and Rock Springs, $50; Elliott Ave., $75; Lebanon; $50; Springfield Circuit, $50; Clinton and Calhoun, $50; California, $50. Total, $365.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

Arrow Rock, $25; Kansas City, $100; Marshall Circuit, $40; Neosho and Newtonia, $40; Holden, $40; Carthage and Joplin, $50; Greenfield and Mt. Vernon, $40. Total, $335.

Total to Conference, $4,000.

C. J. W. Jones, President.

W. Stephens, Secretary.

I concur in the above appropriations.

C. H. Fowler.

Episcopal Fund.

We, your Committee, desire to report as follows:

1. The amount apportioned to St. Louis Conference at its last session, for the support of Bishops, was $827.

2. The collections amount to $616.15, a gain of ten per cent. over last year.

3. A deficiency of $210.85.

4. Eighteen charges have failed to report, and from several others the contributions are so small they scarcely deserve to be mentioned.

5. We therefore suggest and insist that the Presiding Elders prorate with the Bishops on the basis of one and one-half per cent. of the pastor's salary.

FRANK LENIG, President.

J. P. MARLATT, Secretary.

Education.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Higher education is an increasing necessity of the age and country.

Through this medium only can the best direction of religious energies be attained and the highest interests of humanity be subserved. Christian education is inseparably connected with the future prosperity of the Church, and an educated ministry is the urgent demand of the present. It is the positive duty of the Church to secure to its members the advantage of a Christian education.

The Methodist Church, having more schools with larger endowment than any other Protestant Church, can not afford to let her present opportunity for an advanced educational movement in Missouri slip from her hands.

While we have cause for rejoicing in our present success, your Committee would urge upon your attention the importance of greater effort in support of our schools and colleges.

We recommend that a Committee of five members of this Conference be appointed to take measures during the present year for the establishment of an institution of learning, looking to the higher education of the colored youth of our church and State.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

Your Committee is in possession of an interesting report from the Trustees of this institution, from which we glean the following: 1st. The value of the property is ten thousand dollars. Second. The institution is doing an educational work for the Church which cannot be done by any other school. Third. To meet the present debt $548 is asked for by the Trustees.

We recommend as Conference visitors the several pastors of Carthage, Springfield and Peirce City charges.

M'KENDREE COLLEGE.

We recommend the appointment of the following persons as Con-

ference visitors, viz.: Albert Jump, J. F. Corrington, and G. W. Hughey.

CARLETON INSTITUTE.

We are in possession of a catalogue and written statement of the condition and work of this institution from which we select the following facts: First. It has 139 students and is making progress in numbers and thorough work. It now has all the college classes, and in future will graduate a class each year. A new building seventy-five feet long and four stories high has been added to the property. Prof. H. A. Simmonds, Vice-President, is a very efficient teacher. During the Conference year Miss Carleton transferred by deed all her college property, with furnishings and appurtenances, to a board of Trustees, in trust for the Methodist Episcopal Church, in the State of Missouri. We recommend the passage of the following:

The St. Louis Annual Conference having learned of the beneficence of Miss Eliza A. Carleton, of Farmington, Mo., in conveying the property of Carleton Institute to a board of Trustees, in the State of Missouri, do accept with gratitude this generous gift which bestows to the Church the labors and devotion of a noble life to the cause of religion and education. And the Secretary of the Conference is hereby instructed to convey to Miss Carleton this action of the Conference.

GARRETT BIBLICAL INSTITUTE.

We are in possession of the Annual Catalogue and the following letter from the Chairman of the Faculty, which we publish in whole:

"To the Bishop and Members of the St. Louis Conference of the M. E. Church:

"DEAR BRETHREN:—I send you by this mail a catalogue of Garrett Biblical Institute for 1883-84. I regret that I cannot represent the school in person before you at the approaching session. Instead of this you will allow me to communicate a few facts: The present year is highly prosperous. Dr. M. S. Terry and Dr. C. W. Bennet are giving great satisfaction. Our Faculty as now constituted and equipped must command the utmost respect and confidence, and make the friends of Garrett feel that its former excellence cannot decline.

"It is the determination of the Trustees and Faculty to impart to our honored institution the highest impulses. We ask, dear brethren, your constant and cheerful co-operation. Send to us worthy, devout and earnest young men, and we will aim to return them to you more fully furnished for the work of the Methodist itinerant preachers. You will not forget that the action of the late General Conference suggests that the Presiding Elders search out suitable young men for the ministry and recommend them to attend upon our schools of training; and that it makes it the privilege of the Bishops to appoint young men on trial, and in the Conferences (by and with

the consent of the Conferences) to attend upon some one of our various literary or theological schools. Certainly the surest way for Missouri Methodists of our Church to elevate and morally to enrich their work, is by putting as speedily as possible thoroughly educated, godly men into their numerous and growing charges. We hope you will as usual send us two visitors who will attend upon our commencement exercises, 10-14 May, prox., and that you will notify us of their election and names with postoffice addresses.

"Respectfully and Fraternally yours,

"W. B. RIDGEWAY,

"Chairman of the Faculty of G. B. I."

As previously, we heartily commend this institution to those seeking Theological training, and recommend the appointment of Rev. B. St. James Fry, D. D., and Wm. Jones, as Conference visitors.

LEWIS COLLEGE.

The attendance at this institution thus far during the present year has been just about as last year, notwithstanding the facts that no scholarships were sold previously to the opening of the term; no agent was employed to work in the interest of the college; and the unusual stringency in the finances of the country, have all operated as serious obstacles to its success in this particular.

Location.

The college is located in the town of Glasgow and vicinity, in a place remarkable for beauty of scenery, elegance of surroundings, and healthfulness. Malarial diseases are almost unknown there. During the entire history of the institution no death or serious sickness has occurred among students or faculty.

Title.

Written opinions with regard to the M. E. Church's title to the property have been rendered by Judge W. J. Henry, late of Kansas City, and Judge Millan, of Kirksville, Mo., both of whom decide that the Church's control is complete, and the charter and title deeds all that can be desired. Bishops Bowman and Fowler have also examined the matter and heartily concur in the above opinions.

The Property.

The property consists of two large brick buildings situated in the center of the town, one large frame building known as Bartholow Hall and the library building, erected at a cost of $26,000, also situated near the center of the town. The main college building, located just outside of the corporation limits, is a handsome brick structure fifty-three by one hundred feet in size, and three stories high. The grounds consist of twelve and two-thirds acres, embracing a grove of unsurpassable beauty, in which are found more than a hundred varieties of trees.

Financial Condition.

The entire cost of this property was $103,000, all of which has been donated to the M. E. Church except $15,000, which remains as a debt, and which we recommend the Conference to devise some sufficient mode of liquidating.

Whereas the services of Rev. A. K. Johnson have been secured as agent for the college, we recommend that the members of the Conference cordially co-operate with him in his efforts to advance the interests of the institution.

We recommend that the collections taken in the several charges during the coming Conference year for educational purposes—except the Children's Day Fund—unless otherwise specially designated by the contributors, be paid to the treasurer of Lewis College, provided a sufficient amount be retained by the Treasurer of the Conference Educational Society to meet present conditional engagements. In this connection we respectfully call the attention of the brethren to the Discipline, page 262, sections 5 and 7, requiring the division of the Children's Day collection in case no regular educational collection is taken.

We recommend the nomination of C. J. W. Jones, B. St. James Fry, J. Baker and F. A. Sampson, from whom two trustees may be elected at the next annual meeting of the Board. Also, that the following persons be appointed Conference visitors, viz.: G. W. Cowan, W. V. Hamel, O. J. Cowles and W. K. Collins.

We heartily commend the Lewis College to the patronage and sympathy of Methodist preachers and people.

ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY.

I herewith present the annual report of the St. Louis Conference Educational Society.

The sum on hand and the collections reported at the last session, at the disposal of the Society was $173.20.

Disbursements have been made as follows:

To Henry A. Henley	$ 40 00
To Wm. H. Ellis	40 00

Both of these young men are pursuing their studies at Nashville, Tenn.

Placed at the disposal of the President of Lewis College	$ 90 00
	170 00
Balance undisposed of	3 02
	$173 02

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY, *Secretary.*

Mo., March 27, 1885.

Freedmen's Aid Society.

We, your Committee on Freedmen's Aid Society, report as follows:

The amount raised during the year just closed is $409.91; a decrease from last year of $239.23.

WHEREAS, The Freedmen's Aid Society has done and is doing a very commendable and necessary work for the education of the colored race, thereby qualifying them for better citizenship and to work for the Master, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, as a Conference, increase our efforts in this department of church support.

B. F. THOMAS, Chairman.

A. L. WALKER, Secretary.

Observance of the Sabbath.

We reaffirm the correctness of the position taken by our church with regard to the observance of the Christian Sabbath. We recognize the great importance of this question as it stands related to the American people, and recommend to our ministers and members to contend earnestly for the practical doctrines and teachings of the bible upon this subject.

We extend our sympathies to those in the employ of corporations over which they have no control, whereby they are hindered from keeping sacred the day of the Lord; and we also commend the action of managers of corporations in suspending, as far as possible, secular business on the Sabbath.

Further, we deeply regret that some of our members do violate the sanctity of the Holy Day by going to the postoffice, meat market, chopping wood, etc., on Sunday.

We recommend that all our pastors and local preachers preach at least once a year on this subject.

SAMUEL JONES,
M. BELL.

Periodicals.

Your Committee offer the following report:

WHEREAS, The secular press is active in disseminating literature, much of which is positively pernicious in its influence; and knowing that the religious and moral tone of our people, young and old, is affected by the literature circulated among and read by them; and believing that our publishing house, under the able management of its agents, is furnishing periodicals and Sunday school requisites unsurpassed in matter and workmanship,

Resolved, That it is our duty to sustain the *Central Christian Advo-*

cate and the *Quarterly Review*, and, to the utmost of our influence, see that our church papers and Sunday School requisites be placed in our Sunday Schools and the homes of our people.

R. R. PIERCE, Secretary.

Permanent Fund.

We, the Committee on Permanent Fund, make the following report, namely:

On the 6th of December, 1884, Rev. T. H. Hagerty made a proposition, through Bishop Bowman, to the St. Louis Annual Conference, that if they would raise $2,000 for a Permanent Superannuated Fund he would make it $2,500, and name the fund.

The following is a statement of moneys and subscriptions received for the permanent fund:

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Charge.	*Pastor.*	
Bloomfield	D. W. Crow	$ 2.00
Perryville	Mordecai Bell	3.00
Water Tower	T. H. Hagerty	4.00
St. Luke	A. Jump	20.00
Union	C. P. Masden	1,044.50
Wesley Chapel (colored)	F. H. Small	10.00
		$1,083.50

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Windsor	J. S. Porter	$10.00
Sedalia	W. R. Lawton	3.00
Knob Noster	J. H. Gillespie	2.00
		$15.00

KANSAS CITY.

Austin and Pleasant Valley	F. Exley	$20.00
Independence	S. H. Mortland	4.00
Pleasant Hill	R. R. Pierce	10.00
Dundee Place	O. J. Cowles	5.00
Grand Avenue	R. M. Barnes	595.00
		$634.00

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Rolla	B. F. Poole	$30.00
Cuba	John Clark, supply	1.00
		$31.00

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Lamar	A. H. Heinlein	$100.00
Carthage	O. M. Stewart	135.00
Medoc	Thomas S. Gross	1.50
		$236.50

RECAPITULATION.

St. Louis District	$1,083.50
Sedalia "	15.00
Kansas City "	634.00
Springfield "	31.00
Carthage "	236.50
Total for Conference	$2,000.00

The Conference having raised two thousand dollars ($2,000) to meet the conditions of the five hundred dollars ($500) through Bishop Bowman, do recommend the appointment of nine Trustees, a majority of whom shall be laymen to secure articles of corporation and invest the funds now amounting to twenty-five hundred dollars, and collect the interest thereon annually, and report the same to the Conference Board of Stewards for distribution, the Trustees to be elected in the following order: Three for three years, three for two years three for one year, and three to be elected annually thereafter to serve three years; the Conference filling all vacancies occasioned by death or otherwise.

FORM OF BEQUEST.

I,..... ....of..... ...., State of Missouri, being of sound mind and memory, make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament.

FIRST. After my death it is my will that all my just debts shall be promptly paid.

SECOND. I give, devise and bequeath unto the Trustees of "The Permanent Fund of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Conference Claimants," the sum of $..... .... and direct that the same be paid out of my estate as soon as it can be done after my death.

THIRD. I hereby appoint..... ....of..... ....., Missouri, Executor of this, my last will and testament, and hereby revoke all former wills by me made.

Dated the..... .....

(Maker of will sign here.) ....

We attest the above and foregoing will by subscribing our names hereto as witnesses in the presence of the testator, this ..... day of .... 18....

(2 witnesses sign here.) ....

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(NOTE. The blanks for names, amount and dates should be accurately filled. The law is imperative that the will must be executed in the presence of two witnesses to be valid. Such witnesses must sign the attestation clause, as is shown in the above form.

Steward's Report.

E. A. Porter	$ 100 00
Mary Taylor	40 00
Mary Colton	49 00
Miss Bewley	50 00
Mrs. West	50 00
Mr. J. L. Walker	100 00
R. M. Morgan	100 00
Mary Acres	100 00
A. J. Gaither	50 00
R. Moffatt	50 00
Mrs. E. E. Condo	50 00
Mrs. G. V. Houts	125 00
Mrs. S. H. Mortland	125 00
Annie Lee	25 00
	$1,014 00

Sunday Schools and Tracts.

Your Committee report that the amount collected for Sunday Schools this year is $199.80, and for tracts, $157.60, making a total collection for these this year, $357.40

We recognize the importance and possibilities of the Sunday School as a part of our church. It is a school of discipline for our young people, and for instruction in the word of God and the doctrines of the Methodist church. We urge all our pastors to take collections for this work. We urge them also to observe the rules of our Discipline in the distribution of tracts.

T. H. Knease, Chairman.

H. M. Hackney, Secretary.

Temperance.

The question of temperance is still the great and vital question before the American people, and it must continue to be until it is settled on the basis of righteousness, by the complete destruction of that great crime against God and man—the liquor traffic. Our church has taken her stand firmly on this question, and declares in our Discipline: "We therefore regard voluntary total abstinence from all intoxicants as the true ground of personal temperance, and complete legal prohibition of the traffic in alcoholic drinks as the duty of civil government." Scientific experiments have definitely established the fact that a man cannot use any form of intoxicating liquors as a beverage without harm; their use is always injurious, never beneficial. Experience has also demonstrated the fact that the absolute prohi-

bition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors is the only effectual remedy for the manifold evils resulting from the liquor traffic. On these two points our church is explicit. It is a total abstinence and legal prohibition church. There never was a time in the history of the temperance movement when the highest wisdom was demanded on the part of prohibitionists more than at the present time. The great question among the friends of prohibition ought to be: How can we, in the shortest and best way, secure the great blessing of prohibition to our State and Nation? No question of mere party, or party politics, ought for a moment to interfere with the success of this great work. The lessons of the past ought to guide us in our work in the future. Five States of the Union have prohibition laws, more or less stringent, while two of them have both constitutional and statutory prohibition. Five States also have passed the Temperance Education bill, while a number of other States have adopted Local Option laws, under which more or less of their territory has been freed from the curse of the saloon. This has all been accomplished by the creation of such a public sentiment among the masses of the people in favor of prohibition as to compel the dominant political party in those States to accept their policy. This indicates to us the true policy to be pursued by the friends of prohibition everywhere. We believe it unwise, impolitic and detrimental to the interests and success of prohibition to form or attempt to maintain a national prohibition party. On the other hand, we hold that the friends of prohibition should continually labor to create such a public sentiment as will compel the dominant political party in every State to adopt the principal of prohibition. We believe furthermore, that in all local, municipal and legislative elections, mere party politics ought to be ignored by the friends of prohibition, and those men only supported who are in favor of local and State prohibition; therefore,

1. *Resolved*, That the true doctrine of temperance is total abstinence for the individual, and legal prohibition—constitutional and statutory, for the State.

2. That as a church, and as christian ministers, our appropriate work in the temperance field is the creation of such a public sentiment as shall compel the dominant party in every State to adopt the policy of prohibition of the manufacture and sale of all intoxicating liquors.

3. That as citizens we will do all in our power at the polls and elsewhere to secure the success of prohibition, regardless of party politics.

4. That we heartily endorse the principles and plans of the National Prohibition League, of which Dr. Dorchester, of Boston, is President, and recommend the formation of auxiliary leagues in every county and precinct in the State.

Respectfully submitted.

G. W. Hughey,
G. W. Rich, Sec'y,
B. F. January,
J. H. Gillespie.

Woman's Home Missionary Society.

The Committee on the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Epispocal Church, beg leave to report that they have examined the publications of that Society, and heard the statements of Mrs. Angie F. Newman, Secretary of the Woman's Department of the Society. The work which this latest connectional Society has undertaken is an important one, and appeals to the sympathies of all christian men and women.

A St. Louis Conference organization has been inaugurated, of which Mrs. T. H. Hagerty is President, and Mrs. Samuel Alexander is Secretary, and it is proposed to perfect the organization throughout the Conference. The department is particularly enlisted in providing means for the Utah Industrial Home, a greatly needed auxiliary for the success of the work among the Mormons.

We commend the Society and their work to the favorable consideration and support of the ministry and laity of the St. Louis Conference, and advise a hearty co-operation with the officers of the Society.

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY, Chairman.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

We, your Committee, report that the constant and increasing good works of the W. F. M. S., deserve our hearty approval and encouragement.

Further, We recognize this Society as one of the efficient agencies in the great work of saving a lost world.

Further, We observe that the workers in this Society are among our best church workers in other departments. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we encourage the organization of auxiliaries of the W. F. M. Societies in our congregations, and that we will do all we can to aid them in their noble work.

THOS. PINGRY, *Secretary*. T. H. HAGERTY, *President*.

Conference Roll and Record.

NAMES. * Non-effective. † Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST-OFFICES. All in Missouri unless otherwise noted.
Alexander, Samuel	1862	1866	Springfield.
Ashbaugh, Hugh H.	1870	1870	Mt. Vernon.
Abanatha, Allen	1870	1870	Ironton.
Atkinson, Patrick	1880	1880	Arrow Rock.
Armstrong, W. P.	....	1882	Clinton.
Ashley, John	1872	1884	Osceola.
Barber, Alanson	1865	1868	Morantown, Kan.
Baker, W. F.	1880	1880	Kingsville.
Ballaine, Francis	1880	1880	DeSoto.
Brewington, Jas. B.	1880	1880	Bolivar.
Bell, Mordecai	1878	1878	Perryville.
Benefiel, Theodore S.*	1866	1866	Bross, Kingman co., Kan.
Buck, Noble H.	1870	1870	Avilla.
Baird, Edward H.*	1859	1866	Marionville.
Brough, Cyrus	1878	1878	Aullville.
Brown, John W.	1875	1878	Butler.
Boyce, Newton E.*	1876	1876	Mint Hill.
Buck, Wm.	....	1883	Joplin.
Brown, W. H. H.	....	1885	Marshall.
Burton, Joshua S.	1882	1882	Tipton.
Beggs, F. S.	1859	1859	Central City, Col.
Cowden, Jas. W.*	1866	1866	Leasburg.
Corrington, Jas. F.	1873	1873	3036 Thomas st., St. Louis.
Carpenter, L. R.	1874	1874	Independence.
Coleman, A.	....	1877	Greenfield.
Collins, W. K.	....	1883	St. Louis.
Cowan, W. G.	1876	1876	Marshall.
Crow, D. W.	1881	1881	Bloomfield.
Criss, Curtis V.	1877	1877	Appleton City.
Cowles, O. J.	....	1885	Kansas City.
Clifford, A. N.	....	1885	Kansas City.
Darby, Jas. M.	....	....	Sarcoxie.
Daniels, J. B.	1867	1867	Montrose.
Demotte, Wm.	1857	1863	Humansville.
Disney, B. A.	....	1883	Harrisonville.
Durham, Thos. M.	....	1885	Jasper.
Entwistle, Isaac	1866	1866	Dadeville.
Evans, Jas. D.	1873	1873	Marshall.
Exly, Frank	1872	1872	Rich Hill.
Finley, John W.*	1869	1869	Eureka Springs, Ark.
Fry, B. St. James	1847	1866	1101 Olive street, St. Louis.
Gillespie, John H.	1873	1873	Sedalia.
Gaither, Anderson J.*	1855	1855	Greenfield, Ill.
Galbraith, I. M.	....	1881	Huntingdale.
Hagerty, Thomas H.	1855	1863	1101 Olive street, St. Louis.
Heinlein, Aaron H.	1866	1872	Lamar.
Hopkins, Ebenezer*	1872	1872	Biggs Station, Butte Co., Cal.
Hanson, Rich. H.	1873	1873	Hartville.
Hallock, Leander	....	1877	1101 Olive street, St. Louis.
Hamel, W. V.	1878	1878	Pilot Grove.
Hughes, Jordan W.	1869	1874	1203 Linden av., St. Louis.
Hughey, Geo. W.	....	1879	South St. Louis.

CONFERENCE ROLL AND RECORD—Continued.

NAMES. * Non-effective. † Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy	Entered this Conference.	POST-OFFICES. All in Missouri unless otherwise noted.
Hackney, H. M	....	1884	Independence.
Hard, J. H	....	1885	Kansas City.
Haymes, J. W	1872	1872	Conway.
Hunt, Enoch J	1878	1878	Malta Bend.
Hill, John W	1883	1883	Springfield.
Ing, Stanford	1858	1858	Mecklin.
Jackson, Henry G	....	1879	Glasgow.
Jackson, John W.†	1882	1882	Kansas City.
January, B. F	1880	1880	Austin.
Jones, Caleb J. W	1872	1872	Independence.
Jones, Olin B	1878	1878	Belton.
Jones, Samuel.*	1873	1873	Clinton.
Jump, Albert	1877	1877	St. Louis.
Jones, Wm	....	1884	Sedalia.
Keeton, Calvin M	1881	1881	Brownsville.
Knease, T. H	....	1884	Purdy.
Lawton, W. R	1881	1881	Sedalia.
Lenig, Frank	1881	1881	North Springfield.
Lunbeck, I. J. K	1870	1870	Carthage.
Lunbeck, Oscar	1880	1880	Bonne Terre.
McAllister, H	....	1885	St. Louis.
Martin, O. M	....	1882	Springfield.
Morgan, Russell M.*	1847	1868	West Plains.
Moffat, Rolan*	1851	1872	Washburn.
Martin, John J	1878	1878	Golden City.
McCutchen, Wm	1878	1878	Waverly.
Miller, Jacob	....	1878	Marionville.
Miller, Henry R	1858	1865	Lebanon.
Munsell, L. W	....	1881	Eminence.
Moore, J. N	1881	1881	Pierce City.
Masden, C. P	....	1883	St. Louis.
Marlatt, Joseph P.†	1883	1883	4345 Garfield Av., St. Louis.
McNutt, Paterson	1860	1884	Warrensburg.
Neff, Wm. T.†	1882	1882	2734 Miami st., St. Louis.
Pine, James	1879	1880	Knob Noster.
Porter, Jas. S	1873	1873	Windsor.
Porter, Erastus A.*	1875	1875	Rich Hill.
Pierce, John N	1859	1865	Lee's Summit.
Pierce, Rich. R	1866	1866	Butler.
Powell, Wm. W.*	1868	1868	Hustonia.
Payne, John W	1870	1870	Farmington.
Pitts, Edgar *	1867	1867	Brownsville.
Poole, Benj. F	1877	1877	Rolla.
Pingry, Thomas	1883	1883	Adrian.
Parsons, C. W	....	1884	Kansas City.
Ramsey, Andrew	1878	1878	Carthage.
Reese, S. R	....	1866	Holden.
Reed, Martin	1874	1874	Springfield.
Revelle, Charles S	1877	1877	Marshfield.
Rich, G. W.†	....	1883	Richland.
Sallaway, A. P	1876	1876	East Lynne.
Short, Wm. O.*	1871	1871	Golden City.

CONFERENCE ROLL AND RECORD—Concluded.

NAMES. * Non-effective. † Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST-OFFICES. All in Missouri unless otherwise noted.
Small, F. H	1870	1870	St. Louis.
Smith, R. H	1873	1873	Sedalia.
Smith, Reuben	1874	1874	Marshall.
Sappenfield, L. C	1876	1876	West Plains.
Stewart, O. M	1864	1869	Carthage.
Stephens, Wm	1866	1866	1422 Ohio st., Sedalia.
Summers, Jas. W	1883	1883	Lexington.
Steele, Benjamin	1871	1871	Salt Pond.
Stickney, Francis M	1872	1872	Dry Branch.
Tally, J. W.*	....	....	
Tays, Christopher	1867	1867	Knob Noster.
Threlfall, Henry	1866	1866	Dixon.
Tuttle, Jos. K.*	1838	1871	Sedalia.
Thomas, B. F	1881	1881	Ironton.
Van Petten, J. B	....	1880	Claverac, N. Y.
Vaughn, Jas. H.*	1859	1859	Lebeck.
Warner, Samuel	1881	1881	Crystal City.
Walker, A. L.†	1876	1879	Lincoln.
Welsh, John*	1858	1866	Galena, Kan.
Wheeler, Wm	1874	1874	California.
Wood, M. B	1867	1883	Webb City.
Yeager, Wilbur F	1880	1880	Buffalo.

Probationers.

CLASS.	NAMES.	Admit'd on Trial.	POST-OFFICES.
2	Robert T. Smith	1883	Evanston, Ill.
2	Samuel L. Evans	1882	Clinton.
2	Walter H. Gardenhire	1884	DeSoto.
2	Charles E. Evans	1884	Mounds.
2	Thomas S. Gross	1884	Nashville.
1	Elias W. Howell	1884	Tipton.
1	Henson Baker	1884	Higginsville.
1	Richard Crosby	1882	Lebanon.
1	Edward Anthony	1884	DeSoto.
1	Thomas H. Corkill	1885	Butler.
1	Albert J. Graves	1885	Iberia,
1	Henry H. Toland	1885	High Point.
1	Dennis Payton	1885	Wellington.
1	Thomas H. Williams	1885	Neosho.

STATISTICS NO. 1.

	NAME OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No Children Baptized.	No. Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	P'd on Old Indebt'ness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (Sexton, light, fuel, etc.)
	St. Louis District.														
1	Bloomfield	25	112	4	5	3	15	4½	$1,500	1	$400	$100			$25 00
2	Bonne Terre														
3	Crystal City	36	130	1	1	10	33	3½	1,450						10 20
4	De Soto														
5	Farmington	6	71	1	1	8	3	1	3,000			15			27 00
6	Ironton and Webster	24	172	3		3	9	4	2,500	1	900	193			
7	Marble Hill and Cape Girardeau	29	184	3	2	3	4	8	3,600	1	300	1,640			
8	Perryville	24	177		1	23	3	6	4,300	1	500	82			50 00
9	Pacific (Calvey)	8	56				24								
10	Piedmont and Barnsville														
11	St. Louis, Carondelet	17	97			4	4	1	1,200				150		100 00
12	" Central	34	164	3	3	15	6	1	30,000			139	400	6,000	544 60
13	" Goode Avenue	23	65		1	2	3	1	2,000			100		250	130 00
14	" St. Luke's	12	49	1		10	5	1	5,000			39	57	500	199 50
15	" Trinity		200	1	2	22	1	1					1,650	1,550	175 00
16	" Union and Union														
17	" Mission	48	578	1				1	83,000	1	10,000		968		672 00
18	" Water Tower	57	83	2		32	2	1				138	316		75 00
19	Sullivan	2	39	1	1	3		1⅓	500			200			
	Totals	345	2236	21	17	138	122	35⅓	138,050	5	12,100	2,646	3,561	8,300	2,008 30
	Sedalia District.														
1	Appleton City	24	104	1	2	3		1	$4,400	1	$300	5,001		482	$100 00
2	Aullville		59		1			1				400			20 00
3	Clinton	24	177	1	4	4	13	1	3,000			250			125 00
4	Dresden	4	79			5	3	2	3,000						30 00
5	High Point	17	101		1		2	2½	1,500						15 00
6	Huntingdale	31	150		1		8	3	3,300	1	360	635			30 00
7	Knob Noster	15	184	1	3	3	7	5	6,600	1	700	1,160	46		60 00
8	Lebeck	14	151	6		11	10	2¼	625	1	100	10			
9	Malta Bend	14	56		1	3	8	2	2,200	1	800				80 00
10	Marshall	30	64	1	5		1	2	5,450	1	1,400	550		600	
11	Montrose	9	146		2	1	5	3	2,600	1	900	1,055		276	40 00
12	Osceola	13	157	1		3	5	3	6,100	1	1,000	100			90 00
13	Rockville	35	97	1			9	2	2,000	1	600	763		572	40 00
14	Schell City	11	75		2	4	5	1	2,000						80 00
15	Sedalia, Ohio Street	11	275	3	2	5	8	1	27,000	1	3,000			13549	300 00
16	" Montgomery Street	45	131	1		2	10	1	2,000	1	1,200	475		1,000	90 00
17	Smithton and Pilot Grove	27	238		6	1	12	2	4,200	1	700	145			240 00
18	Tipton	28	119		2	6	5	2	2,900	1	700	135	100		65 00
19	Warrensburg	3	192			1	2	1	5,500	1	2,000	304			129 00
20	Warsaw	15	86	2			12	2½	3,000	1	600	485			50 00
21	Windsor	16	107	1		3	3	2	2,400	1	100	226	163		70 00
	Totals	386	2748	19	33	55	128	41¾	$89,775	16	$14460	$7,193	$309	16479	$3,634 00

STATISTICS NO. I.

	SUNDAY-SCHOOLS			BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.												MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.		OTHER COLLECTIONS.
				For Missions.														
	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. Scholars of all ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday-Schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	
1	5	30	200	$7 75	$2 25	$10 00	$4 00	$0 50	$0 50	$1 00	$2 25	$0 50	$0 50	$ 80	$4 25	$2 00	.....
2	..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
3	5	36	248	.....	5 00	5 00	2 00	1 00	50	50	1 00	.....	.....	...	1 88	1.00	$2 0
4	..	....	....	1 50	.....	1 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	46	.....	.....
5	1	9	45	.....	11 00	11 00	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	2 00	.....	.....	...	4 95	3 00	.....
6	1	8	65	3 00	8 78	11 78	2 00	40	50	50	4 50	50	46 05	...	4 37	2 00	.....
7	5	25	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 90	.....	.....	...	3 34	.....	.....
8	3	15	50	17 00	.....	17 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	5 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	4 92	4 00	3 0
9	1	10	87	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1 13	.....	.....
0	..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
1	1	15	150	20 15	1 85	22 00	5 00	1 50	1 00	2 85	2 40	.....	.....	...	.....	5 00	.....
2	1	17	120	43 30	31 70	75 00	2 00	5 00	2 00	10 00	10 00	.....	43 50	....	11 74	5 00	8 0
3	1	17	189	1 50	16 25	17 75	2 00	1 00	50	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	....	6 69	1 00	20 0
4	1	9	153	20 00	.....	20 00	12 00	4 00	1 00	5 00	2 00	2 00	5 00	....	8 78	8 00	30 6
5	1	36	400	10 00	10 00	20 00	4 00	.....	.....	1 00	13 00	.....	.....	....	13 28	5 00	.....
6	..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
7	1	45	378	750 00	1050 16	1,800 16	100 00	25 00	20 00	100 00	1,000 00	40 00	310 91	....	52 50	300 00	1916 6
8	1	24	200	10 00	10 00	20 00	10 00	5 00	1 50	2 00	2 00	1 00	.....	....	10 07	2 00	7 3
9	1	6	40	5 00	.....	5 00	1 00	20	15	10	06	10	10	....	1 15	25	.....
	29	302	2490	889 20	1,146 99	2,036 19	257 00	44 60	28 65	130 95	1,050 11	45 10	407 06	1 80	129 51	338 25	1987
1	1	18	150	$20 00	.....	$20 00	$7 00	$3 00	$2 00	$4 00	$2 00	.....	.....	....	$770 40	$7 00	$6 0
2	1	5	25	4 00	.....	4 00	1 00	50	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	....	222 00	1 00	.....
3	1	22	221	51 00	$24 00	75 00	16 00	50	5 00	12 00	9 25	.....	.....	....	1,322 70	18 00	.....
4	2	14	85	8 50	.....	8 50	1 00	50	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	....	245 12	1 50	.....
5	1	9	70	8 00	.....	8 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	8 00	.....	.....	....	428 00	2 00	15 0
6	1	10	76	25 75	.....	25 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	287 85	6 00	.....
7	3	29	144	19 00	3 00	22 00	4 00	2 00	2 00	3 50	21 45	.....	$8 00	....	641 00	4 00	3 0
8	2	20	70	8 20	1 80	10 00	50	20	25	35	3 50	$0 30	30	...	386 75	3 00	1 2
9	2	20	100	15 00	.....	15 00	7 00	50	50	1 00	8 50	.....	.....	....	664 80	8 00	.....
10	2	17	86	20 00	.....	20 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	7 30	.....	.....	....	781 25	4 00	.....
11	2	19	135	10 00	.....	10 00	3 00	70	.....	2 00	3 00	.....	.....	....	449 22	1 00	.....
12	2	28	216	20 00	.....	20 00	9 00	1 30	1 30	2 50	5 00	.....	.....	....	705 05	5 00	2 5
13	2	24	138	15 00	.....	15 00	2 50	.....	1 25	2 00	1 20	.....	.....	....	444 90	3 00	.....
14	1	10	60	14 85	.....	14 85	3 75	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	....	19 25	....	379 50	4 10	2 3
15	1	28	220	75 95	12 50	88 45	30 00	.....	.....	17 00	35 00	.....	44 35	....	1,985 66	21 85	.....
16	1	17	160	15 00	5 00	20 00	5 00	4 00	5 00	.....	23 00	.....	.....	....	992 70	5 00	.....
17	2	36	225	60 00	50 00	110 00	16 00	8 00	8 00	12 00	10 00	2 00	17 00	....	838 25	16 00	15, 0
18	2	18	135	13 00	2 00	15 00	4 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	3 00	1 00	1 00	....	571 60	2 00	15 0
19	1	21	98	40 00	10 00	50 00	8 00	3 00	5 00	5 00	20 00	.....	26 75	....	1,047 00	17 00	30 0
20	2	20	144	6 35	4 40	10 75	2 75	1 20	1 00	.....	2 55	....	.....	....	488 25	3 00	.....
21	2	21	150	27 90	2 10	3 00	7 00	2 00	1 00	3 00	10 00	1 00	6 00	....	563 00	7 00	.....
	34	406	2708	477 50	114 80	592 30	130 50	34 90	35 30	71 35	173 55	4 30	122 65	....	14,215 00	139 45	90 0

STATISTICS NO. I.

	NAME OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. Children Baptized.	No. Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	P'd on old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (Sexton, light, fuel, etc.)
	Kansas City District.														
1	Adrian	14	78	2	2	....	12	2	$3,000	..	.....	$1,588	.....	.....	$25 00
2	Austin and Pleasant Valley	23	115	2	2	3	6	2	4,500	1	$500	62	.....	.....	90 00
3	Belton	31	147	1	1	1	7	2⅙	2,100	..	.....	127	$59	$99	56 65
4	Butler	32	142	1	3	11	14	1	4,000	1	1,500	50	35	.....	100 00
5	Butler Circuit	17	166	1	3	3	2	1½	1,475	1	1,500	103	.....	.....	.....
6	Centerview	7	106	1	1	....	6	1¼	1,400	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 00
7	East Lynne	12	79	..	..	...	....	2¼	3,000	1	400	1,650	.....	900	.....
8	Holden	6	189	..	2	....	6	1	5,000	1	1,500	150	.....	400	220 00
9	Holden Circuit	9	95	1	..	1	....	2½	3,700	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	80 00
10	Independence	2	87	..	..	....	....	2	6,000	1	1,500	.....	.....	300	.....
11	Kansas City, Dundee Place	41	163	3	..	....	5	1	23,000	..	.....	125	1,500	1,000	305 00
12	" Grand Avenue	60	640	3	3	12	10	1	50,000	..	.....	2,000	.....	.....	1,500 00
13	" Liberty Street	11	29	..	..	3	....	1	4,000	1	2,000	75	.....	.....	100 00
14	" Summit Street	20	124	..	2	....	....	1	9,000	..	.....	700	.....	.....	250 00
15	Lee's Summit	2	95	..	..	2	1	1	600	..	.....	8	10	.....	60 00
16	Mecklin	9	110	..	..	1	2	2	2,500	1	400	.....	40	.....	75 00
17	Pleasant Hill and Harrisonville	5	100	..	1	....	....	2	3,000	1	500	250	.....	1,000	130 00
18	Rich Hill	20	200	..	3	13	10	3	4,000	1	250	150	700	1,732	100 00
	Totals	321	2665	15	23	50	71	29⅔	130,275	10	10,050	7,038	2,344	5,431	3,111 65
	Springfield District.														
1	Bolivar	24	160	..	1	....	2	2	$4,000	..	.....	$1,100	.....	$750	$75 00
2	Buffalo and Urbana	10	348	8	4	2	4	1½	1,400	1	$1,000	340	.....	.....	40 00
3	Conway	14	192	1	2	7	13	4	3,100	..	.....	600	.....	100	.....
4	Cuba	51	162	1	1	5	8	2	1,600	1	500	1,000	.....	500	22 00
5	Dixon	9	123	1	..	....	1	....	.....	..	.....	815	.....	200	.....
6	Eminence	6	44	..	1	3	3	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Hartville	15	115	..	..	5	3	1	1,200	1	800	50	$25	310	10 00
8	Hermitage	10	82	1	2	4	14	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9	Houston	...	(35)	..	..	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10	Humansville	16	115	2	3	....	12	1⅓	700	1	500	215	.....	.....	10 00
11	Iberia	8	75	..	1	5	8	2½	1,400	1	300	25	.....	11	25 00
12	Lebanon	6	87	..	..	....	2	1	5,000	1	800	.....	400	600	100 00
13	Licking	10	110	2	2	1	4	1	1,000	1	300	.....	.....	.....	.....
14	Marshfield	3	30	..	..	1	....	1	3,500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	150 00
15	Mountain Grove	20	171	1	2	1	8	1	800	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 00
16	North Springfield	19	179	1	4	17	8	1	6,000	..	.....	2,100	123	805	100 00
17	Richland	(60	(250	(2	..	(20)	....	(1)	(2,500)	(1	(450)	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	Rolla	9	41	1	..	5	6	1	5,500	1	1,000	50	90	400	75 00
19	Roubideaux	...	...	..	..	....	....	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	Salem	69	200	3	3	....	23	1	1,500	1	800	40	205	.....	60 00
21	Seymour	25	65	1	..	2	9	½	500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
22	Springfield	58	263	2	4	16	....	1	10,000	..	.....	200	100	.....	300 00
23	Stockton	...	...	(2	..	....	....	(2½	(1,500)	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24	Strafford	...	...	..	..	....	....	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	Vichy Springs	15	128	1	1	....	7	4	3,400	1	250	.....	.....	.....	68 00
26	West Plains	27	81	2	3	4	3	2	4,800	1	1,200	2,268	.....	1,300	100 00
	Totals	484	3056	32	34	98	138	32⅓	$59,400	12	$7,900	$8,803	$943	$4976	$1,143 00

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3	26	150	$15 10	$2 90	$18 00	$3 83	$2 13	$2 00	$0 50	$6 31	.....	.....	....	$399 22	$5 10	.....
2	21	126	50 00	15 00	65 00	9 00	4 50	4 50	7 20	26 00	.....	$2 00	....	777 00	20 00	.....
2	20	95	32 79	9 28	42 07	8 00	4 00	4 00	6 40	3 20	.....	.....	....	519 33	8 00	.....
1	18	150	25 00	25 00	50 00	8 65	4 35	4 35	7 00	7 75	.....	10 40	....	911 00	8 65	.....
1	7	50	40 00	1 20	41 20	8 00	4 00	4 00	6 40	9 20	.....	.....	....	700 20	8 00	$2 40
..	....	....	10 00	.....	10 00	2 00	.....	.....	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	....	275 15	4 00	.....
..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	5 00	4 00	2 25	1 00	2 00	.....	.....	..	561 10	5 00	.....
1	16	150	61 00	9 00	70 00	13 00	7 50	3 00	7 00	7 00	....	50 00	....	1,276 00	13 00	40 00
1	8	40	12 00	.....	12 00	1 50	2 00	1 00	1 00	50	$0 50	1 00	....	585 49	5 00	10 00
1	7	42	45 00	.....	45 00	9 00	4 50	4 50	7 20	25 92	.....	17 00	....	888 00	9 00	.....
1	28	235	20 00	50 00	70 00	14 00	7 00	7 00	11 20	7 00	.....	30 75	....	1,863 00	14 00	.....
1	60	1000	255 00	60 00	315 00	52 00	15 00	15 00	42 00	100 00	1 00	252 00	...	3,000 00	65 00	1000 00
1	20	225	2 00	23 00	25 00	5 00	2 50	2 50	4 00	2 00	25	25	....	886 00	5 00	1 50
1	14	161	15 00	35 00	50 00	10 00	5 00	5 00	8 00	4 00	.....	10 00	$10	1,331 50	10 00	50 00
1	18	140	31 00	9 60	40 00	8 00	4 00	60	6 40	12 20	.....	.....	...	556 00	7 00	.....
1	10	52	20 00	.....	20 00	2 50	...	....	5 00	39 50	.....	20 00	....	614 55	12 00	249 00
2	29	175	25 00	.....	25 00	4 00	2 00	1 00	3 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	....	1,108 00	6 00	130 00
2	20	140	30 00	.....	30 00	10 00	....	.....	2 00	4 50	.....	10 00	....	924 00	5 00	.....
22	322	2931	688 89	239 18	928 27	173 48	72 48	60 70	127 30	261 08	3 75	386 45	$10	17,175 54	209 75	1482 90
1	10	75	$5 00	.....	$5 00	$2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	$506 15	$2 00	.....
1	9	40	20 00	.....	20 00	5 00	$1 00	$1 00	$1 00	$3 00	.....	$1 00	....	460 00	2 50	$2 00
..	....	....	9 50	.....	9 50	2 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 50	....	279 75	3 00	.....
5	35	142	10 00	.....	10 00	3 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	$1 00	1 00	1 00	381 25	2 00	6 00
1	8	35	10 00	.....	10 00	2 00	75	75	1 00	2 35	1 10	1 00	....	441 15	6 00	.....
1	8	33	2 60	$2 40	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
1	5	40	5 00	.....	5 00	1 00	50	50	50	50	25	50	....	292 00	2 00	.....
1	5	20	10 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	....	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	....	139 00	1 00	.....
..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
..	....	....	12 00	.....	12 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	....	356 00	4 00	.....
..	....	....	7 00	.....	7 00	2 00	1 00	.....	2 00	1 00	40	.....	....	203 25	3 00	1 00
1	14	150	8 00	7 00	15 00	7 00	1 30	1 00	2 00	3 00	2 80	12 00	....	738 00	9 00	.....
1	7	50	5 00	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
1	10	50	10 50	.....	10 50	3 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	5 00	30	5 00	....	456 00	2 00	3 00
..	....	....	5 00	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	136 36	.....	.....
1	21	225	25 00	5 00	30 00	6 00	2 00	1 00	4 00	10 60	1 00	2 00	1 00	806 00	3 00	5 50
1	11	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
1	10	100	15 00	7 00	22 00	4 00	1 00	50	1 00	7 00	50	1 00	....	684 00	5 00	.....
..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
1	10	56	12 50	7 50	20 00	3 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	2 00	....	2 00	....	505 50	4 00	2 00
..	....	....	1 25	.....	1 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	115 00	.....	.....
1	22	150	140 00	35 00	175 00	10 00	5 00	4 00	12 00	12 00	2 00	26 25	...	1,717 00	26 00	23 00
..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
3	14	90	.....	10 20	10 20	.....	.....	.....	6 10	2 00	.....	.....	....	220 00	.....	.....
1	13	140	1 75	.....	1 75	.....	30	20	25	.....	.....	.....	....	585 00	1 00	.....
23	212	1496	315 10	74 10	389 20	50 50	18 85	12 95	35 95	50 45	9 35	55 25	2 00	9,021 41	75 50	42 50

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	NAME OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							
		No of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	P'd on Old Indebt'ness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (Sexton, light, fuel, etc.)
	Carthage District.														
1	Avilla	17	96	..	1	1	4	2	$1,815	1	$500	$155	.....	$565	$50
2	Carthage	15	265	2	3	6	3	1	8,000	1	2,000	250	.....	.....	200
3	Carterville and Webb City	20	160	2	1	4	13	1	4,000	..	.....	300	$90	1,800	150
4	Cassville	13	165	5	1	3	14	1½	1,375	1	350	110	140	200	20
5	Dadeville	12	190	2	5	2	19	3	2,100	1	400	257	.....	130	25
6	Galena	...	90	..	..	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Golden City	16	136	3	1	3	7	2	2,000	1	800	175	279	200	55
8	Greenfield	24	191	2	3	....	1	2	3,800	1	1,000	42	.....	.....	43
9	Jasper and Mt. Moriah	...	60	..	1	....	2	2	4,100	1	500	350	750	440	20
10	Joplin	2	86	2	..	15	....	1	10,000	..	.....	.....	.....	4,000	186
11	Lamar	19	106	..	2	....	1	1	2,500	1	1,000	300	.....	50	75
12	Marionville	10	192	9	2	2	9	1	1,500	1	800	100	60	150	55
13	Medoc	4	119	2	1	6	13	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14	Moundsville	8	108	3	1	4	....	3	5,200	..	.....	1,600	150	300	45
15	Mt. Vernon	...	175	3	..	....	....	3	4,300	1	500	11	.....	190	.....
16	Oronogo	2	124	1	..	4	2	2	2,600	1	500	1,567	.....	1,000	25
17	Pierce City	28	123	3	5	4	13	2	7,000	..	.....	15	327	218	100
18	Republic and Ash Grove	...	254	1	1	2	17	1	400	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	25
19	Sarcoxie	14	174	2	5	....	3	4	4,700	1	500	.....	.....	200	.....
20	Seneca	20	218	3	..	3	6	3½	3,010	1	250	12	.....	.....	.....
21	Sheldon	25	105	1	1	3	8	1	1,200	..	.....	500	.....	190	20
22	South Carthage Circuit	1	64	..	..	1	3	1	1,500	..	.....	780	.....	650	.....
	Totals	250	3201	46	34	63	138	38	71,100	13	9,100	6,524	1,796	10283	1,094

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2	17	90	$21 70	.....	$21 70	$4 00	$2 00	$2 00	$3 00	$4 24	$1 00	$2 50	....	$528 50	$3 50	$2 00
1	34	400	90 00	$10 00	100 00	20 00	4 00	4 00	12 00	12 00	3 00	76 00	....	1,624 00	22 00	.....
1	12	135	3 65	.....	3 65	1 15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	631 00	1 50	.....
2	20	80	6 00	.....	6 00	1 00	25	25	25	50	.....	50	....	281 00	50	.....
..	...	....	20 05	.....	20 05	3 00	60	55	1 00	.....	.....	.....	....	320 00	3 00	1 00
..	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	10 00	.....	.....
1	14	103	10 00	3 00	13 00	1 75	1 00	.....	.....	3 00	.....	.....	...	654 00	5 00	2 00
3	24	160	20 00	.....	20 00	5 00	1 85	2 00	3 20	6 00	....	.....	....	543 30	5 25	.....
2	20	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	619 00	.....	.....
1	14	150	3 00	.....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 50	3 70	.....	....	237 00	.....	.....
1	15	131	35 00	.....	35 00	5 00	3 00	3 00	4 00	4 30	2 50	.....	...	864 00	16 05	.....
2	41	215	6 00	8 20	14 20	2 00	.....	.....	.....	6 60	3 00	32 25	...	491 00	2 00	.....
..	...	....	4 00	.....	4 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	2 10	1 00	1 00	2 10	....	235 40	1 50	16 00
3	23	140	15 00	.....	15 00	1 50	1 00	2 50	1 00	9 50	8 82	3 00	....	324 00	3 15	10 82
..	...	....	8 00	.....	8 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	137 90	.....	.....
2	18	120	1 25	.....	1 25	.....	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	332 00	.....	.....
2	20	200	5 00	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	....	806 00	1 00	.....
1	7	40	4 00	.....	4 00	50	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	297 40	.....	.....
2	15	140	6 35	.....	6 35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	477 00	.....	.....
1	5	35	5 00	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	....	320 00	60	.....
..	...	....	5 00	.....	5 00	1 00	.....	.....	10 00	14 00	.....	.....	....	345 00	5 00	1 00
..	...	....	3 00	.....	3 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	47 10	.....	.....
27	299	2259	272 00	21 20	293 20	46 90	16 65	15 30	36 55	70 14	23 02	116 41	....	10,114 60	70 05	32 82

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	Missouri District.														
1	Arrow Rock	4	35	1	1	2	26	1	$1,300	1	$300	$37	$10	$14	$7
2	Bridgeton and Baden	10	50	2	4	7	3	2	1,200	..	.....	30	30	420	36
3	Brownsville	7	120	1	..	3	5	1	500	1	20	50	5	53	
4	Butler and Harrisonville	8	60	1	1	....	6	2	1,600	1	150	30	.....	.....	35
5	California	...	30	2	1	3	....	1	300	1	365	165	.....	28	7
6	Cambridge	23	43	1	3	...	6	1	228	..	.....	60	128	168	10
7	Carthage and Joplin	62	30	1	..	5	3	1	1,200	..	.....	720	110	130	25
8	Clinton and Calhoun	2	27	..	..	...	1	1	2,500	1	200	245	220	11	18
9	De Soto	12	60	3	1	14	....	1	625	1	225	.....	16	26	22
10	Dresden and Lamonte	...	[37]	..	..	...	....	[1]	[382]	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	Farmington and Fredericktown	6	75	1	4	3	1	2	900	1	700	26	.....	26	8
12	Georgetown and Mt. Zion	...	[40]	..	..	....	....	[2]	[600]	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	Greenfield and Mt. Vernon	1	39	..	1	....	...	1	550	1	160	.....	.....	.....	5
14	Higginsville and Odessa	...	[20]	..	..	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Holden and Centerview	10	70	3	2	....	32	2	1,200	1	300	200	100	200	40
16	Ironton and Potosi	...	46	2	1	2	3	1	150	..	.....	.....	.....	30	3
17	Kansas City	79	60	1	..	4	1	1	2,500	..	.....	.....	100	500	146
18	Lebanon and Marshfield	15	42	..	1	4	8	1	1,000	1	150	150	.....	70	15
19	Lexington	...	100	3	2	5	....	1	5,000	1	500	100	50	200	
20	Marshall	5	85	..	3	...	....	1	800	1	500	148	7	86	.....
21	Marshall Circuit	2	35	1	..	3	2	2	800	1	150	125	.....	.....	5
22	Neosho and Newtonia	19	34	4	2	....	2	2	600	1	50	.....	.....	.....	16
23	Osceola and Stockton	...	...	..	..	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24	Rolla and St. James	14	60	1	1	7	18	1	1,000	..	.....	150	8	325	
25	St. Louis, Lowell	...	...	..	..	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
26	" Wesley Chapel	110	531	7	11	26	25	1	20,000	1	1,500	122	568	111	3
27	" Elliot Avenue	27	53	..	..	....	....	1	15,000	..	.....	.....	1,101	6,500	61
28	St. Louis Circuit	5	30	3	3	1	1	1	100	..	.....	.....	5	15	
29	Salt Pond and Malta Bend	10	158	2	3	4	26	2	1,100	..	.....	100	75	35	.....
30	Sedalia	95	385	5	..	60	33	1	2,000	1	800	.....	495	140	195
31	Smithton, Pilot Grove and Beeman's Chapel	7	55	..	2	....	2	1	400	1	100	28	....	.....	23
32	Springfield	17	216	4	3	19	28	1	5,000	1	300	250	.....	600	98
33	Springfield Circuit	4	37	..	1	....	1	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
34	Tipton, Versailles and Otterville	28	93	1	..	....	31	1	1,150	..	.....	381	.....	153	35
35	Warrensburg and Knob Noster	3	91	3	3	....	4	2	600	1	150	2	.....	.....	20
36	Waverly	7	68	1	2	3	5	2	690	1	225	33	.....	12	6
37	Wellington	2	60	1	2	....	....	2	700	1	100	15	110	25	6
	Totals	594	2975	55	58	175	273	44	71,675	21	6,945	3,167	3,138	9,878	850

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1	9	45	$0 75	$0 25	$1 00	$0 75	$0 25	.....	$0 50	20	$0 10	$0 15	0 16	$285 75	$0 25	$1 50
2	7	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	132 00	.....	.....
1	11	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	190 00	.....	.....
2	12	122	1 55	.....	1 55	50	1 00	.....	.....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	377 00	.....	.....
1	4	65	25	25	50	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	171 50	1 00	.....
1	7	25	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	25	50	.....	.....	.....	95 00	1 00	.....
1	8	70	1 00	.....	1 00	75	35	25	1 00	50	25	25	.....	321 65	.....	.....
1	6	82	2 00	1 00	3 00	1 25	1 00	50	1 50	1 25	50	50	.....	189 00	1 00	.....
1	8	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	358 00	.....	.....
2	8	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	15	100	50	25	75	25	15	10	25	15	10	10	15	394 25	25	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	8	50	1 00	.....	1 00	25	.....	25	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	132 50	25	.....
1	4	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	10	40	3 00	.....	3 00	50	.....	.....	50	50	.....	50	.....	341 00	.....	.....
1	8	37	.....	.....	.....	20	50	.....	6	20	21	6	.....	177 00	.....	.....
1	8	60	50	1 70	2 20	1 00	25	10	2 00	2 00	25	50	.....	648 00	75	.....
2	5	35	1 50	50	2 00	23	25	15	50	25	15	20	15	225 50	50	.....
2	9	75	25	25	50	50	50	25	75	50	50	1 00	50	541 00	50	.....
1	5	30	1 10	.....	1 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	337 00	.....	.....
2	10	41	1 00	.....	1 00	25	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	1 00	161 00	50	.....
3	11	92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	167 75	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	10	75	50	.....	50	50	50	25	1 00	.....	25	30	.....	207 50	50	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	20	225	4 35	2 65	7 00	6 00	1 25	50	3 00	7 00	50	50	75	1,098 00	50	10
1	12	94	1 00	4 16	5 16	1 50	50	50	1 00	1 00	.....	75	.....	62 75	1 00	.....
1	6	50	1 00	25	1 25	50	10	15	50	50	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	9	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	25	.....	153 00	.....	.....
1	15	280	.....	1 50	1 50	6 00	3 00	1 00	4 00	6 25	1 00	50	.....	603 00	3 00	.....
3	9	70	1 00	50	1 50	1 00	50	25	50	1 00	.....	10	.....	308 50	50	.....
1	15	160	75	.....	75	1 25	25	15	3 50	3 50	50	25	25	582 00	1 00	.....
1	4	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	155 35	.....	.....
3	21	93	50	.....	50	50	25	15	1 00	25	25	25	25	189 68	50	.....
2	14	75	35	25	60	1 10	.....	.....	1 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	389 00	50	.....
2	14	70	2 00	.....	2 00	1 00	60	55	1 50	1 05	50	55	.....	202 73	1 00	.....
2	8	85	.....	20	20	.....	30	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	213 85	1 00	.....
53	330	2532	25 85	13 71	39 56	26 03	11 75	5 40	25 61	31 60	5 06	7 26	3 21	19,410 26	15 50	1 60

Recapitulation by Districts.

	NAME OF CHARGE.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.		
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptised.	No. of Adults Baptised.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Pasonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (sexton, light, fuel, etc.)	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars of all ages.
1	St. Louis District	345	2,236	21	17	138	122	35½	$138,050	5	$12,100	$2,646	$3,561	$8,300	$2,008 30	29	302	2,490
2	Kansas City District	321	2,665	15	23	50	71	29⅔	130,275	10	10,050	7,038	2,344	5,431	3,111 65	22	322	2,931
3	Sedalia District	386	2,748	19	3	55	128	41¾	89,775	16	14,460	7,193	309	16,479	3.654 00	34	406	2,708
4	Carthage District	250	3,201	46	34	63	138	38	71,100	13	9,100	6,524	1,796	102,83	1,094 00	27	299	2,259
5	Springfield District	484	3,056	32	34	98	138	32½	59,400	12	7,900	8,803	943	4,976	1,143 00	23	212	1,496
6	Missouri District	594	2,975	55	58	175	273	44	71,675	21	6,945	3,167	3,138	9,878	850 77	53	330	2,532
	Totals for Conference	2,380	16,881	188	199	576	870	220	560,300	77	60,555	35,371	12,091	55,337	11,862 72	188	1,871	14,416
	Last Year	2,336	16,240	175	251	484	821	209¾	543,366	73	56,031	83,319	10,025	58,567	19,010 60	184	1,775	14,428
	Increase	44	641	13	....	92	49	11¼	16,909	4	4,524	.....	2,066	.....	.....	4	96	.....
	Decrease	....	.....	...	52	....	....	.....	.....	...	.....	47,948	.....	3,230	7,148 98	...	.....	12

	NAME OF CHARGE.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.											MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.		OTHER COLLECTIONS.
		FOR MISSIONS.													
		From Churches.	From Sunday Schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	
1	St. Louis District	$889 20	1,146 99	2,036 19	$257 00	$44 60	$28 65	$130 95	$1050 11	$45 10	$407 06	$1 80	$12951 00	$338 25	$1987 50
2	Kansas City District	688 89	239 18	928 27	173 48	72 48	60 70	127 30	261 08	3 75	386 45	10 00	17,175 54	209 75	1,482 90
3	Sedalia District	477 50	114 80	592 30	130 50	34 90	35 30	71 35	173 55	4 30	122 65	.....	14,215 00	139 45	99 05
4	Carthage District	272 00	21 20	293 20	46 90	16 65	15 30	36 55	70 14	23 02	116 41	.....	10,114 60	70 05	32 82
5	Springfield District	315 10	74 10	389 20	50 50	18 85	12 95	35 95	50 45	9 35	55 25	2 00	9,021 41	75 50	42 50
6	Missouri District	25 85	13 71	39 56	26 03	11 75	5 40	25 61	31 60	5 06	7 26	3 21	19,410 26	15 50	1 60
	Total for Conference	2,663 54	1,609 82	4,277 12	684 41	199 23	158 20	427 71	1,636 93	90 58	1095 08	16 01	82,887 81	848 50	3,646 35
	Last Year	2,630 61	1,255 32	4,885 68	670 20	242 47	162 80	755 34	478 98	129 39	1243 05	.....	76,352 56	1138 95	3,059 05
	Increase	32 93	354 50	.....	14 21	.....	.....	.....	1,587 95	.....	.....	16 01	6,535 25	.....	587 50
	Decrease	.....	.....	508 56	.....	52 24	4 60	328 63	.....	28 81	147 97	.....	.....	290 45	.....

Sessions of St. Louis Conference.

At the General Conference held at Chicago, May, 1858, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conferences, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri River. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn, May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory and constituted the "Arkansas Conference." The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some items of each session since its organization:

	Time.	Place.	Bishop.	Secretary.	Received on Trial.	Received in Full.	Ordained Deacons.	Ordained Elders.	Located.	Withdrawn.	Expelled.	Rec. by Re-ad. & Tr.	Transferred.	Deaths.
1	1869, Mar. 11	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	7	8	4	10	..	1	..	5	..	..
2	1870, Mar. 9	Springfield	Clark	"	27	9	..	12	3	..	..	3	4	..
3	1871, Mar. 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	"	29	9	5	4	4	..	..	6	4	1
4	1872, Feb. 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	22	20	19	6	2	1	..	10	4	2
5	1873, Mar. 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	"	13	14	11	1	3	2	..	3	5	2
6	1874, Mar. 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	"	14	9	8	11	5	..	..	17	7	..
7	1875, Mar. 17	Carthage	Merrill	"	5	9	10	7	2	..	..	2	7	1
8	1876, Mar. 29	Sedalia	Peck	"	4	11	10	10	4	1	..	3	8	2
9	1877, Mar. 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	"	6	4	3	5	3	..	..	3	4	1
10	1878, Mar. 20	Kansas City	Bowman	"	11	2	2	6	3	1	..	6	3	1
11	1879, Mar. 26	Springfield	Wiley	"	4	5	5	6	2	..	..	3	..	..
12	1880, Mar. 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	10	12	12	4	..	1	..	6	7	2
13	1881, Mar. 31	Carthage	Hurst	"	14	4	4	6	2	..	..	5	2	5
14	1882, Mar. 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	9	6	4	9	4	..	..	6	9	1
15	1883, Mar. 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	6	10	5	2	4	2	..	5	4	1
16	1884, Mar. 12	Kansas City	Foss	J.F.Corrington	6	3	6	6	..	..	..	10	5	2
17	1885, Mar. 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	5	6	3	7	1	1	..	8	9	2

Certificate of Ordination.

This is to certify that I have this day ordained W. T. Neff, J. W. Somers and Joseph Marlatt, as deacons;

And that, assisted by several elders, I have also ordained B. F. Thomas, Samuel Warner, D. W. Crow, Frank Lenig, Jno. N. Moore, Calvin M. Keeton and Patrick Atkisson, as elders.

C. H. FOWLER.

Done at Lebanon, Mo., March 29th, 1885.

STATISTICS NO. II.

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.
	St. Louis District.	
1	Bloomfield	D. W. Crow
2	Bonne Terre	Jas. McCaw
3	Crystal City	W. H. Gardenhire
4	De Soto	J. McCown (Supply)
5	Farmington	M. B. Wood
6	Ironton and Webster	B. F. Thomas
7	Marble Hill and Cape Girardeau	F. Ballaine
8	Perryville	Mordecai Bell
9	Pacific (Calvey)	A. P. Crow
10	Piedmont and Barnsville	(Supply)
11	St. Louis—Carondelet	F. S. Beggs
12	" —Central	W. T. Neff
13	" —Goode Avenue	Joseph Marlatt
14	" —St. Luke's	Albert Jump
15	" —Trinity	W. K. Collins
16	" —Union Mission	
17	" —Union	C. P. Masden
18	" —Water Tower	T. H. Hagerty
19	Sullivan	F. M. Stickney
	Totals	

	Sedalia District.	
1	Appleton City	C. V. Criss
2	Aullville	C. Brough
3	Clinton	W. P. Armstrong
4	Dresden	C. Brough
5	High Point	H. A. Toland
6	Huntingdale	A. R. Huson
7	Knob Noster	J. H. Gillespie
8	Lebeck	I. M. Galbraith
9	Malta Bend	E. J. Hunt
10	Marshall	W. G. Cowan
11	Montrose	J. B. Daniel
12	Osceola	John Ashley
13	Rockville	Thos. Pingry
14	Schell City	E. A. Neiberger
15	Sedalia—Ohio Street	W. Jones
16	" —Montgomery Street	H. R. Miller
17	Smithton and Pilot Grove	W. V. Hamel
18	Tipton	E. W. Howel
19	Warrensburg	Patterson McNutt
20	Warsaw	A. L. Walker
21	Windsor	J. S. Porter
	Totals	

STATISTICS NO. II.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

	Pastors.			Presiding Elders.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.	
	Claims, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.	Receipts, including house rent, or rental value of parsonage.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	$400 00	$400 00	.....	$34 00	$34 00	$1 00	$1 00	$2 00	$2 00
2	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 35	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	200 00	167 00	33 00	20 00	20 15	50	50	1 00	1 00
4	.....	.....	.....	46 00	46 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....
5	675 00	519 00	156 00	64 00	49 00	2 00	2 00	10 00	3 00
6	600 00	400 00	200 00	56 00	36 65	1 00	1 00	5 00	2 00
7	415 00	284 00	131 00	50 00	43 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	600 00	450 00	150 00	56 00	39 80	50	50	2 00	4 00
9	.....	75 00	.....	28 00	31 60	.....	.....	.....	.....
10	.....	.....	.....	10 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	.....	.....	.....	91 00	43 00	.....	.....	5 00	5 00
12	1,200 00	1,069 10	130 90	135 00	100 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00
13	600 00	600 00	.....	67 00	67 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	1 00
14	800 00	800 00	.....	73 00	73 00	5 00	5 00	8 00	8 00
15	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	135 00	123 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00
16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	4,600 00	4,600 00	.....	500 00	500 00	150 00	150 00	200 00	300 00
18	900 00	900 00	.....	101 00	101 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00
19	300 00	87 00	213 00	34 00	28 41	1 00	50	2 00	25
	$12,490 00	11,650 10	1,033 90	1,500 00	1,340 96	175 00	175 50	248 10	338 25
1	$700 00	$700 00	.....	$64 00	$64 40	$7 70	$6 00	$10 00	$7 00
2	200 00	200 00	.....	20 00	20 00	2 25	2 00	2 00	1 00
3	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	110 50	110 50	13 20	13 20	16 00	16 00
4	360 00	209 00	151 00	33 12	33 12	4 00	3 00	4 00	1 50
5	450 00	375 00	75 00	41 50	35 00	5 00	3 00	5 00	2 00
6	301 00	253 25	47 75	32 25	33 10	2 85	2 85	6 00	6 00
7	650 00	580 00	70 00	59 80	51 85	7 00	6 00	8 00	4 00
8	375 00	350 65	24 35	34 50	32 85	4 12	3 85	4 00	3 00
9	600 00	603 00	.....	55 20	55 20	6 60	6 60	8 00	8 00
10	850 00	708 80	141 20	78 20	64 20	9 35	7 75	8 00	4 00
11	525 00	405 22	124 78	48 50	37 30	5 75	1 75	6 00	1 00
12	750 00	639 80	110 20	69 00	58 80	8 25	7 05	8 00	5 00
13	.....	401 95	.....	55 20	38 00	6 60	5 00	5 00	3 00
14	500 00	344 00	56 00	46 00	31 70	5 50	3 80	6 00	4 00
15	1,800 00	1,800 00	.....	165 60	165 60	19 80	20 00	30 00	21 85
16	900 00	900 00	.....	82 80	82 80	9 90	9 90	10 00	5 00
17	760 00	760 00	.....	70 00	70 00	8 25	8 25	16 00	16 00
18	675 00	518 25	.....	62 10	47 70	7 00	5 00	7 00	2 00
19	1,000 00	950 00	50 00	92 00	87 40	11 00	10 00	16 00	17 00
20	500 00	452 00	48 00	46 00	40 65	5 50	5 00	7 00	3 00
21	600 00	506 30	93 70	55 20	51 60	6 00	5 50	7 00	7 00
	$13,696 00	12,857 22	991 98	1,321 87	1,211 77	155 62	135 50	189 00	138 35

STATISTICS NO. II.

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.
	Kansas City District.	
1	Adrian	T. S. Johnson (Supply)
2	Austin and Pleasant Valley	Frank Exley
3	Belton	O. B. Jones
4	Butler	B. A. Disney
5	Butler Circuit	T. H. Corkhill
6	Centerview	J. N. Cobb (Supply)
7	East Lynne	A. P. Sallaway
8	Holden	S. R. Reese
9	Holden Circuit	W. F. Baker
10	Independence	S. H. Mortland
11	Kansas City, Dundee Place	—— Cowles
12	" Grand Avenue	R. M. Barnes
13	" Liberty Street	J. H. Hard
14	" Summit Street	A. H. Tevis
15	Lee's Summit	S. Ing
16	Mecklin	B. F. January
17	Pleasant Hill and Harrisonville	R. R. Pierce
18	Rich Hill	H. M. Hackney
	Totals	
	Springfield District.	
1	Bolivar	James Pine
2	Buffalo and Urbana	Isaac Entwistle
3	Conway	Wm. McClanahan (Supply)
4	Cuba	John Clark (Supply)
5	Dixon	J. B. Brewington
6	Eminence	L. W. Munsell (Supply)
7	Hartville	R. H. Hanson
8	Hermitage	H. Threlfall
9	Houston	W. Longacre (Supply)
10	Humansville	William De Motte
11	Iberia	Albert Graves (Supply)
12	Lebanon	J. N. Pierce
13	Licking	J. W. Haymes
14	Marshfield	Charles S. Revelle
15	Mountain Grove	Wesley Nall (Supply)
16	North Springfield	Frank Lenig
17	Richland	James H. Scott (Supply)
18	Rolla	B. F. Poole
19	Roubideaux	Wm. Patterson (Supply)
20	Salem	S. Warner
21	Seymour	T. J. Ramsey
22	Springfield	O. M. Martin
23	Stockton	
24	Strafford	A. C. McGinty (Supply)
25	Vichy Springs	D. S. Dunlavy
26	West Plains	L. C. Sappenfield
	Totals	

* Includes rental value of parsonage.

STATISTICS NO. II.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

	Pastors.			Presiding Elders.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.	
	Claims, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.	Receipts, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.	Deficiences.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	$450 00	$358 86	$91 14	$45 00	635 86	$6 00	$4 50	$6 00	$5 10
2	700 00	700 00	.....	70 00	70 00	7 00	7 00	9 00	20 00
3	458 00	458 00	.....	55 00	55 00	6 00	6 00	8 00	8 00
4	820 00	820 00	.....	82 00	82 00	9 00	9 00	13 00	8 65
5	700 00	633 20	66 80	70 00	59 40	7 00	7 00	8 00	8 00
6	400 00	247 40	152 60	40 00	24 75	5 00	3 00	5 00	4 00
7	600 00	505 47	94 53	60 00	50 37	6 00	5 05	8 00	5 05
8	1,150 00	1,150 00	.....	115 00	115 00	11 00	11 00	13 00	13 00
9	600 00	527 37	72 63	60 00	52 72	6 00	5 50	7 00	5 00
10	800 00	800 00	.....	80 00	80 00	8 00	8 00	9 00	9 00
11	1,700 00	1,700 00	.....	150 00	150 00	13 00	13 00	14 00	14 00
12	2,700 00	2,700 00	.....	270 00	270 00	30 00	30 00	52 00	65 00
13	800 00	800 00	.....	80 00	80 00	6 00	6 00	5 00	5 00
14	1,200 00	1,200 00	.....	120 00	120 00	12 00	11 50	10 00	10 00
15	500 00	500 00	.....	50 00	50 00	6 00	6 00	8 00	7 00
16	575 00	554 40	20 60	57 50	54 15	7 00	6 00	8 00	12 00
17	1,000 00	1,000 00	.....	100 00	100 00	8 00	8 00	9 00	6 00
18	900 00	844 00	56 00	90 00	81 67	12 00	10 00	11 00	5 00
	$16,053 00	15,498 70	554 30	1,594 50	1,530 92	165 00	156 55	203 00	209 80
1	$600 00	$450 35	$149 65	$78 00	$58 50	$6 00	$6 00	$6 00	$2 00
2	484 00	410 00	74 00	65 00	46 00	4 00	4 00	4 00	2 50
3	350 00	240 00	110 00	49 00	40 00	3 00	1 50	3 00	3 00
4	560 00	320 00	240 00	72 00	58 25	4 00	2 00	2 00	2 00
5	500 00	391 10	108 90	65 00	53 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	6 00
6	.....	.....	.....	15 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....
7	475 00	250 00	225 00	62 00	40 00	3 00	2 00	3 50	2 00
8	125 00	125 00	.....	15 00	13 00	2 00	1 00	.....	1 00
9	.....	.....	.....	20 00	11 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....
10	460 00	311 00	149 00	60 00	43 00	5 00	5 00	3 00	4 00
11	300 00	170 00	130 00	40 00	31 50	3 00	3 00	3 00	3 00
12	653 00	653 00	.....	80 00	80 00	5 00	5 00	.....	9 00
13	400 00	200 00	200 00	58 00	37 00	4 00	.....	.....	.....
14	400 00	400 00	.....	52 00	52 00	4 00	4 00	3 00	2 00
15	410 00	110 80	299 20	30 00	26 00	3 00	2 00	.....	.....
16	700 00	700 00	.....	98 00	98 00	8 00	8 00	4 00	3 00
17	.....	.....	.....	65 00	49 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....
18	* 600 00	600 00	.....	78 00	78 00	6 00	6 00	5 00	5 00
19	.....	.....	.....	5 00	4 50	1 00	.....	.....	.....
20	450 00	450 00	.....	63 00	53 00	4 50	4 50	4 00	4 00
21	250 00	115 00	135 00	15 00	14 00	2 50	50	.....	.....
22	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	202 00	202 00	15 00	15 00	25 00	26 00
23	.....	.....	.....	25 00	14 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....
34	.....	.....	.....	5 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....
25	350 00	175 00	175 00	45 00	45 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....
26	600 00	500 00	100 00	68 00	67 00	4 00	1 00	.....	1 00
	$10,167 00	8,071 25	2,095 75	1,420 00	1,214 25	102 00	72 50	67 50	75 50

STATISTICS NO. 11.

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.
	Carthage District.	
1	Avilla	J. M. Darby
2	Carthage	O. M. Stewart
3	Centerville and Webb City	J. N. Moore
4	Cassville	T. H. Knease
5	Dadeville	W. F. Yeager
6	Galena	P. L. Virden (Supply)
7	Golden City	J. J. Martin
8	Greenfield	N. H. Buck
9	Jasper and Mt. Moriah	Wm. Buck
10	Joplin	Wesley Lattin
11	Lamar	A. H. Heinlein
12	Marionville	Jacob Miller
13	Medoc	T. S. Gross
14	Moundville	C. E. Evans
15	Mt. Vernon	J. E. Fenton
16	Oronogo	E. F. Reeser (Supply)
17	Peirce City and Neosho	G. W. Rich
18	Republic and Ash Grove	A. Burris (Supply)
19	Sarcoxie	
20	Seneca	H. H. Ashbaugh
21	Sheldon	Oscar Lunbeck
22	South Carthage Circuit	W. T. Burkholder (Supply)
	Totals	

STATISTICS NO. II.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

	Pastors.			Presiding Elders.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.	
	Claims, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.	Receipts, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.	Deficiences.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	$560 00	$485 00	$75 00	$45 00	$41 00	$3 00	$2 50	$4 00	$3 50
2	1,442 00	1,442 00	.....	167 00	167 00	15 00	15 00	20 00	22 00
3	750 00	612 00	138 00	50 00	18 00	2 00	1 00	3 00	1 50
4	470 00	270 00	200 00	40 00	14 00	2 00	1 00	3 00	50
5	386 00	294 00	92 00	40 00	24 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	3 00
6	.....	.....	.....	15 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	600 00	600 00	.....	50 00	50 00	4 00	4 00	5 00	5 00
8	560 00	494 00	66 00	52 00	45 00	5 00	4 30	5 00	5 25
9	700 00	579 00	121 00	50 00	38 00	4 00	2 00	5 00	.....
10	400 00	200 00	200 00	50 00	37 00	4 00	.....	5 00	.....
11	800 00	800 00	.....	60 00	60 00	4 00	4 00	5 00	16 05
12	560 00	460 00	10 00	56 00	29 00	4 00	2 00	5 00	2 00
13	450 00	214 90	235 00	40 00	19 00	3 00	1 50	3 00	1 50
14	401 00	288 00	113 00	45 00	33 00	4 00	3 00	5 00	3 15
15	89 00	89 00	.....	50 00	44 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	.....
16	460 00	320 00	140 00	35 00	12 00	2 00	.....	3 00	.....
17	860 00	760 00	100 00	50 00	43 00	5 00	3 00	5 00	1 00
18	400 00	278 40	421 60	40 00	18 00	3 00	1 00	4 00	.....
19	560 00	437 00	123 00	45 00	37 00	4 00	3 00	5 00	.....
20	450 00	302 00	148 00	40 00	17 00	4 00	1 00	5 00	60
21	360 00	315 00	45 00	45 00	26 00	3 00	4 00	4 00	5 00
22	60 00	22 10	37 90	25 00	23 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	.....
	$11,318 00	9,262 40	2,055 60	1,090 00	805 00	84 00	61 30	104 00	70 05

STATISTICS NO. II.

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.
	Missouri District.	
1	Arrow Rock	Patrick Atkinson
2	Bridgeton and Baden	Allen Abanatha
3	Brownsville	Edgar Pitts
4	Butler and Harrisonville	J. W. Brown
5	California	William Wheeler
6	Cambridge	T. Williams (Supply)
7	Carthage and Joplin	Andrew Ramsey
8	Clinton and Calhoun	J. D. Evans
9	De Soto	J. E. Summers
10	Dresden and Lamont	J. C. Shackleford (Supply)
11	Farmington and Fredericktown	A. Coleman
12	Georgetown and Mt. Zion	A. Smith, (Supply)
13	Greenfield and Mt. Vernon	Benjamin Steele
14	Higginsville and Odessa	Henson Baker
15	Holden and Centerview	S. L. Evans
16	Ironton and Potosi	Edward Anthony
17	Kansas City	John W. Jackson
18	Lebanon and Marshfield	J. W. Payne
19	Lexington	J. W. Hill
20	Marshall	W. H. H. Brown
21	Marshall Circuit	Reuben Smith
22	Neosho and Newtonia	Eli. Bly (Supply)
23	Osceola and Stockton	M. E. Williams (Supply)
24	Rolla and St. James	Richard Rush
25	St. Louis, Lowell	William Wilson (Supply)
26	" Wesley Chapel	F. H. Small
27	" Elliot Avenue	J. W. Hughes
28	" Circuit	R. L. Hill (Supply)
29	Salt Pond and Malta Bend	R. Crosby
30	Sedalia	W. R. Lawton
31	Smithton, Pilot Grove and Beeman's Chapel	W. Dives (Supply)
32	Springfield	C. M. Keeton
33	Springfield Circuit	Martin Reed
34	Tipton, Versailles and Otterville	J. S. Burton
35	Warrensburg and Knob Noster	Christopher Tays
36	Waverly	William McCutchen
37	Wellington	Dennis Payton (Supply)
	Totals	

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

1	St. Louis District	
2	Kansas City District	
3	Sedalia District	
4	Carthage District	
5	Springfield District	
6	Missouri District	
	Totals for Conference	
	Last Year	
	Increase	
	Decrease	

STATISTICS NO. II.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

	Pastors.			Presiding Elders.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.	
	Claims, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.	Receipts, including house rent, or rental value of parsonages.	Deficiences.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	$300 00	$250 00	.....	$30 00	$30 00	$1 00	$0 70	$5 00	$0 25
2	200 00	104 00	.....	26 00	26 00	1 25	.....	.....	.....
3	400 00	150 00	.....	40 00	39 00	5 00	.....	5 00	.....
4	450 00	345 00	.....	35 00	32 00	1 00	50	2 00	.....
5	450 00	146 00	.....	40 00	23 50	2 00	1 50	1 00	1 00
6	200 00	75 00	.....	20 00	20 00	.....	25	1 00	1 00
7	350 00	284 00	.....	40 00	37 00	1 00	65	.....	.....
8	288 00	188 00	.....	30 00	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	1 00
9	328 00	328 00	.....	30 00	30 00	.....	.....	14 00	.....
10	.....	.....	.....	20 00	6 05	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	354 00	354 00	.....	40 00	40 00	1 00	25	2 00	25
12	.....	.....	.....	25 00	10 55	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	306 00	110 00	.....	30 00	20 50	1 00	1 00	.....	25
14	.....	.....	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	300 00	300 00	.....	40 00	40 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....
16	325 00	156 00	.....	32 00	21 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	600 00	605 00	.....	42 00	42 00	1 50	1 50	50	75
18	300 00	200 00	.....	30 00	22 00	1 00	50	1 00	50
19	480 00	480 00	.....	60 00	60 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	50
20	500 00	301 00	.....	55 00	35 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....
21	208 00	135 00	.....	25 00	25 00	1 00	1 00	50	50
22	230 00	148 00	.....	25 00	11 25	1 75	.....	.....	.....
23	.....	.....	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
24	175 00	175 00	.....	32 00	32 00	5 00	75	8 00	50
25	.....	.....	.....	12 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
26	980 00	981 00	.....	110 00	110 00	8 00	7 00	5 00	50
27	.....	52 00	.....	.....	10 00	.....	75	.....	1 00
28	.....	22 00	.....	20 00	8 00	1 00	25	1 00	.....
29	370 00	195 00	.....	32 00	18 00	.....	25	.....	.....
30	579 00	579 00	.....	101 00	101 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	3 00
31	293 00	281 00	.....	26 00	26 00	1 50	.....	50	50
32	500 00	500 00	.....	85 00	82 50	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00
33	240 00	140 00	.....	25 00	12 00	1 00	35	.....	.....
34	300 00	164 00	.....	26 00	20 00	1 00	60	1 00	50
35	347 00	347 00	.....	40 00	40 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	50
36	286 00	188 00	.....	26 00	14 00	1 50	1 00	1 00	1 00
37	281 00	200 00	.....	30 00	13 00	1 00	25	5 00	1 00
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2	16,053 00	15,498 70	554 30	1,594 50	1,530 92	165 00	156 55	203 00	209 80
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4	11,318 00	9,262 40	2,055 60	1,090 00	805 00	84 00	61 30	104 00	70 05
5	10,187 00	8,071 25	2,095 75	1,420 00	1,214 25	102 00	72 50	67 50	75 50
6	10,920 00	8,366 00	1,554 00	1,300 00	1,062 35	44 55	26 85	70 50	15 50
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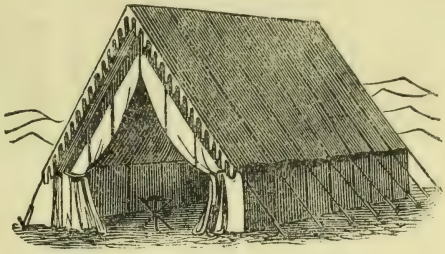

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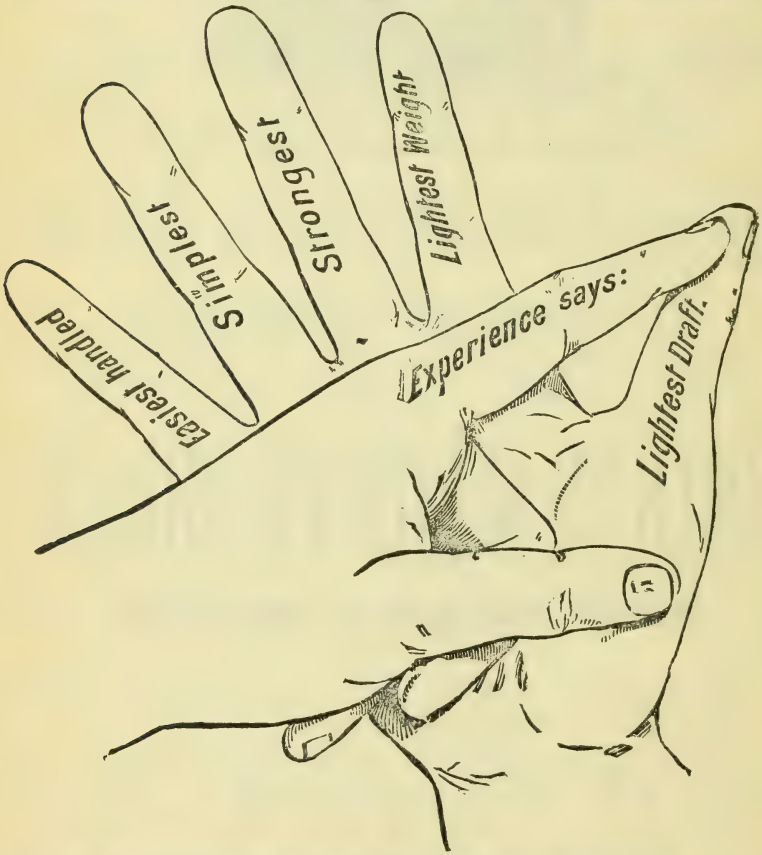

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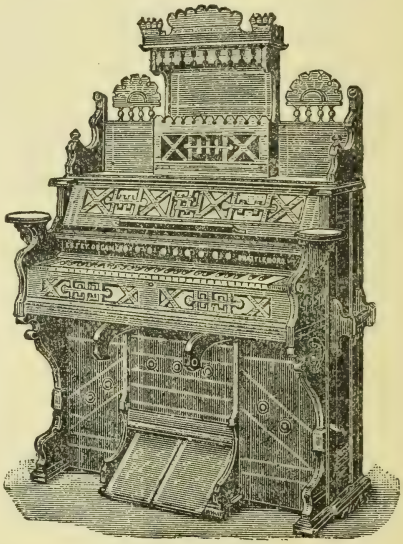

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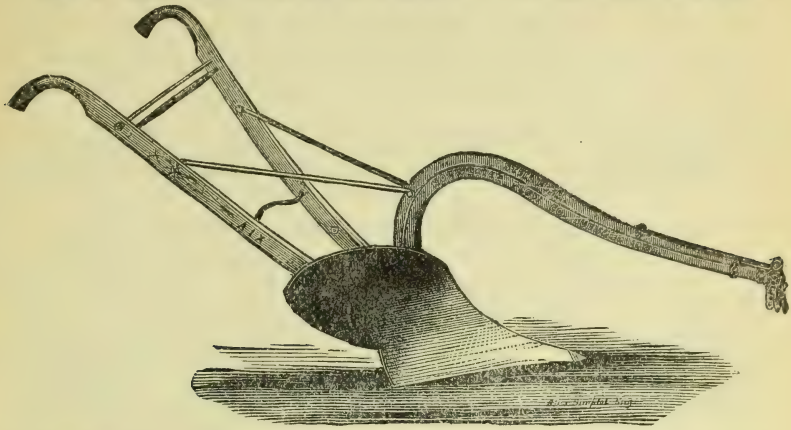

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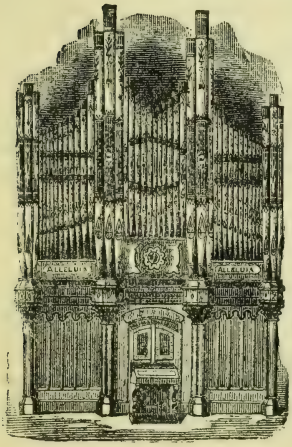

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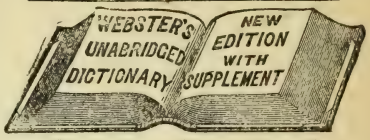

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II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate.

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member request it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection; unless one of the following motions shall intervene, namely: indefinite postponement, postponement till a given time, to lie on the table, to amend or substitute; and these motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any member speak more than once, till every one desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a subject has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present

sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless, for special reasons, the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. A session shall be held on the first day of each Conference session for the collection of statistics from the various charges, and each pastor shall be required to report his statistics at that time, in order to find a place in the Minutes, and the names of those preachers not presenting their statistical report on the first day of Conference shall be called immediately after the opening of the morning session of the second day, and their reports required; and the Secretaries shall not be required to insert any reports coming in after 12 o'clock of the second day.

XV. The officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the officers and managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examinations of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. The Chairman of each Examining Committee shall present a written report of the class examination, to be preserved with the records of the Conference.

XVIII. All applications for aid from the Conference Claimant Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions:

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Sessions of St. Louis Conference.

At the General Conference held at Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conferences, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn, May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory and constituted the "Arkansas Conference." The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some items of each session since its organization:

	Time.	Place.	Bishop.	Secretary.	Received on Trial.	Received in Full.	Ordained Deacons	Ordained Elders.	Located.	Withdrawn.	Expelled.	Rec. by re-ad. & Tr.	Transferred.	Deaths.
1	1869, Mar. 11	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	7	8	4	10	..	1	..	5	..	..
2	1870, Mar. 9	Springfield	Clark	"	27	9	...	12	3	..	..	3	4	..
3	1871, Mar. 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	"	29	9	5	4	4	.	..	6	4	1
4	1872, Feb. 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	22	20	19	6	2	1	..	10	4	2
5	1873, Mar. 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	"	13	14	11	1	3	2	..	3	5	2
6	1874, Mar. 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	"	14	9	8	11	5	..	..	17	7	..
7	1875, Mar. 17	Carthage	Merrill	"	5	9	10	7	2	..	..	2	7	1
8	1876, Mar. 29	Sedalia	Peck	"	4	11	10	10	4	1	..	3	8	2
9	1877, Mar. 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	"	6	4	3	5	3	..	..	3	4	1
10	1878, Mar. 20	Kansas City	Bowman	"	11	2	2	6	3	1	..	6	3	1
11	1879, Mar. 26	Springfield	Wiley	"	4	5	5	6	2	..	..	3	..	..
12	1880, Mar. 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	10	12	12	4	..	1	..	6	7	2
13	1881, Mar. 31	Carthage	Hurst	"	14	4	4	6	2	..	..	5	2	5
14	1882, Mar. 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	9	6	4	9	4	..	..	6	9	1
15	1883, Mar. 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	6	10	5	2	4	2	..	5	4	1
16	1884, Mar. 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	6	3	6	6	..	..	..	10	5	2
17	1885, Mar. 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	5	6	3	7	1	1	..	8	9	2
18	1886, Mar. 25	Warrensburg	Harris	"	15	2	5	3	2	2	..	8	4	3

JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY—First Session.

Thursday, March 25, 1886.

The eighteenth session of the St. Louis Conference began in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Warrensburg, Mo., Thursday, March 25, 1886.

Bishop W. L. Harris, D. D., LL. D., called the Conference to order at 9 o'clock A. M.

The Bishop being unwell, requested Dr. B. St. James Fry to conduct the religious services, which he did, reading as scripture lessons the 72d Psalm and the 2nd chapter of II Timothy. Hymn No. 798 was sung, and J. K. Tuttle and Wm. Jones led the Conference in prayer.

H. R. Miller, the former secretary, was directed to call the roll, and seventy-eight members were present.

The Conference ordered the election of Secretary by nomination and a hand vote. H. R. Miller was nominated and elected, and permitted to nominate his assistants. He nominated A. L. Walker and O. B. Jones, and they were elected.

C. S. Revelle was elected Statistical Secretary, and nominated as his assistants O. Lunbeck, S. Warner, J. Ashley, J. H. Hard, R. H. Hanson, C. M. Keeton and J. W. Hill, and they were elected.

Question I was taken up. "Who are Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?"

Certificates of transfer of C. E. Felton, of the Baltimore Conference; Job Ingram, of the Illinois Conference; David Kivett, of the North Indiana Conference, and Beriah McCain, of the Little Rock Conference, were read, and Brothers Kivet, Ingram and McCain were introduced to the Conference.

Communications were received from Boston University and the Book Concern, and were referred to the Committee on Education.

A communication from the National Local Preachers' Association, concerning the postoffice addresses of Local Preachers, was referred to the Statistical Secretary.

A letter from Rev. W. McCready to J. N. Pierce, and a communication on General Conference Entertainment, were referred to the Bishop and Presiding Elders. A package from Cranston & Stowe was turned over to the Secretary. The New York book accounts were referred to Frank Lenig for collection; also an accompanying communication.

A draft on the chartered fund for $30 was ordered; also a draft on

the Book Concern for $195. These were turned over to J. B. Daniel, Chairman of the Board of Stewards.

The Rules of last Conference were adopted, except that the Conference shall meet at 8:30 instead of 9 A. M., the first half hour to be devoted to religious services.

W. K. Collins was elected Railroad Secretary.

The following are the Conference Committees named and appointed:

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES.

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Memoirs—C. J. W. Jones, R. H. Smith, C. M. Keeton, Wm. Stephens.

Missions—The Presiding Elders.

New York Book Accounts—Frank Lenig.

Observance of the Sabbath—T. Pingry, J. S. Porter, J. P. Marlatt.

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Postoffices—C. V. Criss.

Publication of Minutes—The Secretaries.

Public Worship—The Presiding Elders and Pastors of Warrensburg.

Stewards—J. B. Daniel, J. S. Porter, O. M. Stewart.

Statistics—C. S. Revelle, J. M. Darby, J. W. Hill, C. M. Keeton, S. Warner, J. Ashley, J. H. Hard.

Sunday Schools and Tracts—J. N. Pierce, J. B. Brewington, W. Buck, E. Anthony, D. Peyton, A. Jump, W. P. Armstrong.

Temperance—J. W. Hughes, C. M. Keeton, G. W. Hughey, W. Jones, R. R. Pierce, O. M. Martin.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—R. Crosby, B. Steele, W. T. Neff, W. G. Cowan, S. Ing, H. R. Miller, A. H. Heinlein.

Woman's Home Missionary Society--W. McCutchen, C. E. Heaton, C. Brough, D. Kivett, B. F. Poole, H. H. Ashbaugh, R. Rush.

Question XX was taken up. "Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?"

St. Louis District was called. The character of J. F. Corrington, Presiding Elder, was passed, and he represented his district.

Each preacher was required to report in addition to his Missionary Collection, whether all the other collections were taken, and up to the apportionments.

The names of the following effective Elders were called. Their characters were passed and they reported their collections, viz: D. W. Crow, M. Bell, T. H. Hagerty, S. Warner, F. Ballaine, G. W. Hughey, A. Jump, B. F. Thomas and W. K. Collins.

The characters of B. St. James Fry and L. Hallock were passed.

C. P. Masden's character was passed, and he was announced as transferred to the New York Conference.

The Sedalia District was called. The character of the Presiding Elder, Wm. Stephens, was passed and he reported his district.

The characters of the following effective Elders were passed, and they reported their collections, viz: C. V. Criss, C. Brough, W. P. Armstrong, James Pine, J. H. Gillespie, Wm. Jones, W. V. Hamel, J. B. Daniel, J. Ashley, E. J. Hunt, W. G. Cowan and J. S. Porter.

J. B. Van Petten's character was passed. P. McNutt had died during the year.

The Kansas City District was called. The character of the Presiding Elder, C. J. W. Jones, was passed, and he reported his district.

The names of the following effective Elders were called, their characters passed, and they reported their collections, viz: O. B. Jones, W. F. Baker, C. W. Parsons, S. Ing, A. P. Sallaway, H. M. Hackney, J. H. Hard, R. R. Pierce, B. A. Disney, O. J. Cowles and J. N. Pierce. A. J. Clifford had died during the year.

H. G. Jackson's character was passed, and he was announced as transferred to the Rock River Conference.

The name of S. R. Reese was called, and his character was not passed. In a letter to his Presiding Elder he inclosed his parchments, with a request to be permitted to withdraw from the ministry and membership of the church. The Conference granted his request.

A session of the Conference for the collection of statistics was ordered at 2:30 P. M., and T. H. Hagerty was appointed by the Bishop to preside.

O. M. Martin was appointed to conduct the religious services of to-morrow morning's session.

Rev. Lorenzo Waugh was introduced to the Conference.

After the announcements were made the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. L. Waugh.

SECOND SESSION.

THURSDAY, 2:30 P. M.

The Conference was called to order at 2:30 P. M., with Rev. T. H. Hagerty in the chair. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Albert Jump.

By order of the Conference the roll was called by districts and the statistics gathered and put into the hands of the Statistical Committee.

A. Jump was elected Treasurer of the Conference Missionary Society, in place of P. McNutt, deceased.

Rev. L. Waugh addressed the Conference.

Rev. J. F. Mesner, of the Missouri Conference and agent of Lewis College, addressed the Conference concerning subscriptions made at the last Conference for the College.

The Conference then adjourned.

SECOND DAY—THIRD SESSION.

FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1886.

At 8:30 A. M. Bishop Harris took the chair and called the Conference to order. The religious services for thirty minutes were led by O. M. Martin.

The Conference ordered that after calling the absentees of yesterday, the further calling of the roll shall be dispensed with.

The Journal of yesterday morning was read, corrected and approved.

L. C. Sappenfield was relieved from the Committee on the Woman's Home Missionary Society, and B. F. Poole was put in his place.

The following visiting brethren were introduced, viz: Revs. W. C. Snodgrass and H. A. Tucker, of the South Kansas Conference; Rev. J. W. Lee, of the Missouri Conference; Rev. —— White, of the Colored M. E. Church of America; Revs. J. Spencer, D. K. Steele, J. C. Steele, L. M. Berry and J. J. Lord, Pastors in this city; Prof. H. A. Simonds, of Carleton Institute; Rev. E. Wright, agent of the American Bible Society; Rev. R. Lidell; Dr. J. C. W. Coxe, Western District Secretary of the Sunday School and Tract Society, and Mr. Dorman, clerk of the Book Concern.

Rev. C. W. Parsons, recently transferred from the Northern New York Conference, and pastor of Grand Avenue M. E. church, Kansas City, was introduced.

The Journal of the Second Session yesterday was read and approved.

The Bishop called the attention of the Conference to the action of the colored and white members of the Missouri Conference to organize the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences into an annual Conference. He felt it to be his duty to bring the subject before this Conference, as a similar action was contemplated here.

The following resolution was then offered:

Inasmuch as the last General Conference authorized the colored members of the St. Louis and the Missouri Conferences, under certain conditions, to organize themselves into an Annual Conference, and inasmuch as the colored members of the St. Louis Conference believe the time has fully come when the interests of our Church in Missouri, and especially among the colored people of the state, will be greatly promoted by such organization; therefore,

Resolved, By the colored members of the St. Louis Conference, that the steps authorized by the last General Conference be taken at the present session, to organize the said Annual Conference.

Signed, { W. H. H. BROWN, R. H. SMITH, C. M. KEETON.

The resolution was adopted by the colored members' vote, eighteen for and one against, and concurred in unanimously by the white members.

The following resolution was offered and adopted unanimously by a rising vote of the white members of the Conference:

Resolved, That the white members of the St. Louis Conference, in concurring with the colored members in the inauguration of an Annual Conference of their own, desire to express their confidence and good will for them; that our Conference relations have been always pleasant and mutually satisfactory, and that we bid them God-speed in their new relation.

Signed, { B. ST. JAMES FRY, S. ALEXANDER.

Also the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Be it Resolved, By the colored members of the St. Louis Conference, that we do not ask for a separate Conference on account of any ill feelings existing between the white and colored members; but we believe it will be for the best interests of our people in the future. We leave with no ill feelings whatever. We trust that this good spirit will continue to exist.

Signed, { R. H. SMITH, P. E., J. W. HILL, C. M. KEETON.

The Bishop announced his concurrence with the action of the white and colored members of the Conferences, in authorizing the formation of the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences into an Annual Conference.

The Bishop referred to a suggestion made by the colored members of the Missouri Conference, that the name of the new Conference be Central Missouri, whereupon F. H. Small moved it as the sense of the colored members of this Conference, that they concur in the suggestion of the Missouri Conference.

The Bishop gave the floor to the Statistical Secretary to call for statistics not handed in yesterday, and to call the attention of brethren to needed corrections in those which have been received.

The Bishop then invited Rev. Edmund Wright, agent of the American Bible Society, to address the Conference in the interest of that Society.

Question XX was resumed. The Springfield district was called and the character of S. Alexander, Presiding Elder, was passed, and he reported his district.

The following effective Elders were called, their characters passed, and they reported their collections, viz: J. B. Brewington, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Haymes, Wm. Demott, H. R. Miller, C. S. Revelle, H. Threlfall, Frank Lenig, B. F. Poole, R. H. Hanson, O. M. Martin and L. C. Sappenfield.

The name of G. W. Rich was called and he was reported to have withdrawn and to have joined another church, and the Secretary was instructed to enter his name as withdrawn, and the Presiding Elder instructed to ask him to return his parchments to the Conference.

Wm. Demott was granted a superannuated relation.

Prof. Chas. F. Bradley, of Garrett Biblical Institute, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of the institution.

The Carthage district was called. The character of I. J. K. Lunbeck, Presiding Elder, was passed, and he reported his district.

On motion, the time was extended to finish that report.

The characters of the following effective Elders were passed, and they reported their collections, viz: N. H. Buck, O. M. Stewart, M. B. Wood, T. H. Knease, I. Entwisle, J. J. Martin, T. M. Durham, Wm. Buck, A. H. Heinlein, Jacob Miller, H. H. Ashbaugh, J. N. Moore, J. M. Darby.

A paper from Carthage district, presented by J. J. Martin, was referred to the Committee on Education.

The Bishop appointed Dr. Hughey to conduct the opening religious services to-morrow morning.

After the announcements the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Rev. J. B. Daniel.

THIRD DAY—Fourth Session.

Saturday, March 27, 1886.

Bishop Harris took the chair and called the Conference to order at 8:30 A. M. Dr. G. W. Hughey led the religious services for half an hour.

The Journal of the preceding Session was read, corrected and approved.

A paper from Carleton Institute was referred to the Committee on Education.

W. P. Armstrong was put on the Committee on Sunday Schools and Tracts, in place of E. J. Hunt, who is sick.

The Conference made the Secretaries the Committee on Publication of the Minutes.

Monday morning, 10 o'clock, was fixed as the time for Memorial Services.

Wm. Jones was made chairman of the Committee on Temperance, instead of O. M. Stewart.

C. V. Criss was appointed Committee on Postoffices.

O. M. Stewart was excused from the Committee on Conference Relations and N. H. Buck appointed in his stead.

The Secretary presented communications concerning Mrs. Corrilla Little and Mrs. Eliza Garner, Conference Claimants, which were referred to the Board of Stewards.

A communication was read from Prof. G. L. Osborne, President State Normal School, inviting the ministers of the Conference to chapel exercises next Monday morning, at 8:15. The Conference accepted the invitation, and postponed the opening of Conference on that morning to 9 o'clock.

F. Ballaine was granted a superannuated relation, at his own request.

The parchments of John Ing were presented to the Conference; also the parchments of Daniel McNeil and Amos Williams, Local Deacons.

The Certificate of Transfer of Rev. Clarence E. Heaton, from the Austin Conference, was read and he was introduced to the Conference and the Secretary ordered to enter his name on the roll.

Dr. J. H. Vincent, Corresponding Secretary of the Sunday School and Tract Society; Dr. Marshall Taylor, editor of the Southwestern Christian Advocate; Dr. W. A. Spencer, Assistant Secretary of the Church Extension Society; Rev. Curry, of the Missouri Conference; Rev. L. C. Brooks, of the Ohio Conference; Rev. Addis Albro, President of Lewis College; Rev. E. K. Johnson, of the South Kansas Conference; Prof. S. C. Leavel, President of Marionville Institute; Dr. Wm. Butler, of the New England Conference, and Elder Meigs, were introduced to the Conference.

Dr. Vincent addressed the Conference on Sunday Schools and Tract Work and Publications.

Dr. Marshall Taylor addressed the Conference in the interest of the Southwestern Christian Advocate.

Dr. Spencer spoke in behalf of the Church Extension Society.

Question V was taken up. "Who are Admitted into Full Connection?"

The Bishop called forward Charles E. Evans and Samuel L. Evans. The usual disciplinary questions were asked and answered. They reported their collections. The Committee reported their examinations, the Presiding Elders represented them, their characters were passed, they were admitted to full connection and elected to Deacon's orders.

Robert T. Smith was reported to have been transferred to the Rock River Conference, received into full connection, ordained Deacon and then re-transferred to this Conference.

Question XIII was taken up: "Who are Traveling Deacons of the Second Class?"

John W. Jackson was reported away at school. His character was passed, and he was continued a Deacon of the second class.

Joshua S. Burton was not before the committee for examination.

His character was passed, he reported his collections and he was continued a Deacon of the second class.

The Committee reported the examinations of A. L. Walker, Beriah McCain and Henry McAllister as satisfactory. They reported their collections, their Presiding Elders represented them, their characters were passed, and they were elected to Elder's orders.

Question III was taken up: "Who Remain on Trial?"

The following names were called, their characters passed and they reported their collections. The Committee reported their examinations and they were continued on trial, viz: Thomas H. Corkill, Albert J. Graves, Dennis Peyton and Henry A. Toland.

The character of Thomas H. Wilson was passed and he was discontinued

Elias W. Howell was reported as transferred to the West Nebraska Conference.

Walter H. Gardenhire was discontinued at his own request.

Thomas S. Gross was reported transferred to the Nebraska Conference.

Richard Crosby and Henson Baker were not before the Committee for examination. Their characters were passed, their collections were reported, and they were continued on trial.

Edward Anthony's character was passed, and he reported his collections. He was before the Committee of the first year and passed a satisfactory examination, and was continued on trial.

Question X was taken up: "What Local Preachers have been Elected Deacons?"

The following Local Preachers were recommended for Deacon's orders, viz: George W. King, Thomas H. Corkill and Thomas H. Hawkins. These were reported in their studies, represented by their Presiding Elders, and elected to Deacon's orders.

The Conference extended the time.

Question VII was taken up: "Who are Received on Credentials from other Churches?"

William T. Pyles presented credentials from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, showing that he was a Deacon in that church; John W. Russell presented credentials showing him to be in Elder's orders in the Missionary Baptist church, and David L. Irwin presented credentials showing that he is an Elder in the African Methodist Episcopal Zion church, and they were severally received on trial, in the Conference, and on motion they were respectively admitted to the same orders which they had held in their respective churches, on condition they shall take upon themselves the ordination vows prescribed in the Ritual of our church for these offices.

Wesley Monroe Creamer presented credentials showing him to be a member and minister of the Methodist Protestant church, and he was admitted to membership in the Conference, and his orders as an Elder

were recognized on condition of his taking upon himself the ordination vows prescribed in our Ritual for that office.

The Committee on Personal Finance reported as follows: We have examined accounts of Brother B. F. January and have heard his statements. Unpaid notes and accounts were presented against him to the amount of $163, upon which he paid to the Committee $25, leaving a balance of $138. This, he assures us, he will pay.

Signed, { W. V. HAMEL, T. M. DURHAM.

The report was adopted and his character was passed.

The Treasurer of the Permanent Fund was instructed to turn over the interest on the funds in his hands to the Conference Stewards.

The Treasurer was also instructed to receive the moneys for that fund, and to keep an account that shall be published in the Minutes.

The Bishop appointed Albert Jump to open the Conference with religious services on Monday morning.

After the announcements the Conference adjourned with benediction by Rev. A. H. Heinlein.

FOURTH DAY—FIFTH SESSION.

The Conference opened shortly after 9 o'clock, with Bishop Harris in the chair.

The religious services were conducted by Rev. A. Jump. The Journal of the Fourth Session was read, corrected and approved.

Thomas H. Corkill was announced as transferred to the Austin Conference.

Question XX was resumed. The character of R. H. Smith, Presiding Elder of the Rolla District, was passed and he reported his district.

The characters of the following effective Elders were passed and they reported their collections, viz: Wm. Wheeler, J. W. Payne, Allen Abanatha, Richard Rush, F. H. Small and Martin Reed.

The Lexington District was called. The character of W. H. H. Brown, Presiding Elder, was passed and he reported his district.

The following effective Elders reported their collections and their characters were passed, viz: Patrick Atkinson, C. M. Keeton, J. W. Brown, Andrew Ramsey, J. D. Evans, Reuben Smith, Benjamin Steele, Christopher Tays and Anthony Coleman.

Wm. McCutchen's character was passed.

Question XII was taken up: "Who are the Traveling Deacons of the First Class?"

The characters of Joseph P. Marlatt, Thomas Pingry, John W. Hill, Oscar Lunbeck, Isaac M. Galbraith and David Kivett were passed and they reported their collections. The Committee reported their examinations, their Presiding Elders represented them and they were advanced to Deacons of the second class.

The characters of James W. Summers and W. T. Neff were passed and they reported their collections. They were not before the Committee of examination, and were continued Deacons of the first class.

At 10 o'clock the order of the day was taken up. The Memorial Services were introduced by singing the 1033d hymn. Wm. Stephens read a memoir of S. H. Mortland, and J. K. Tuttle, T. H. Hagerty and J. F. Corrington made appropriate remarks.

The memoir of Alonzo J. Clifford was read by A. K. Johnson, followed by remarks from C. J. W. Jones.

Wm. Stephens read a memoir of Patterson McNutt. A verse of "Shall We Gather at the River," was sung by the congregation, and remarks made by J. N. Pierce, B. St. James Fry and W. K. Collins.

The memoir of W. R. Lawton was read by C. M. Keeton, followed by remarks from Wm. Stephens, F. H. Small, J. W. Hughes, I. M. Galbraith, Wm. Jones, J. K. Tuttle and John W. Hill. The memorial services closed by the congregation rising and singing three verses of hymn 1045.

The Conference ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 2 o'clock P. M. J. P. Marlatt was appointed Secretary of the Conference Missionary Society.

Rev. Addis Albro, President of Lewis College, addressed the Conference in the interests of the college.

Dr. W. P. Stowe, one of the agents of the Western Book Concern, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interests of our church literature.

The Conference extended the time.

The Conference Stewards made their report which was adopted.

Wm. Jones was appointed to conduct the devotional exercises of the next session.

Conference adjourned with benediction by R. H. Smith.

FOURTH DAY—Sixth Session.

March 29, 1886.

Conference convened at 2 o'clock P. M., with Bishop Harris in the chair. Wm. Jones conducted the religious services.

A communication was read from Junction City Quarterly Conference of the Kansas Conference, requesting the St. Louis Conference to restore the parchments of F. S. Haughawout. The request was granted.

Question XVIII was taken up, viz: "Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?"

The characters of Samuel Jones, L. W. Munsell, J. K. Tuttle, L. R. Carpenter, F. S. Beggs, N. E. Boyce and E. Hopkins were passed, and their relations continued.

The characters of Edgar Pitts, J. W. Finley and J. W. Hughes were passed and they were made effective.

W. O. Short's character was passed and he was located at his own request.

J. N. Pierce and J. W. Haymes were granted a Supernumerary relation.

Question XIX was taken up, viz: "Who are the Superannuated Preachers?"

The characters of E. A. Porter, J. H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, J. W. Tally, A. J. Gaither, E. H. Baird, R. Moffat, John Welch, R. M. Morgan, A. Barber, J. W. Cowden and T. S. Benefiel were passed and their relation continued.

The Secretary was instructed to write to the Supernumerary and Superannuated Preachers living without the bounds of the Conference, reqesting them to send annually certificates of Christian character from the charges in which they reside.

Question II was taken up, viz: "Who are Admitted on Trial?"

Geo. W. King, John G. Mohrweis, Elijah F. S. Darby, Wm. T. Pare, George A. Glens, Thomas H. Hawkins, Wm. T. Wright, Armor M. Hammond, David B. Johnson, John W. Thomas, Wm. H. Smith, were introduced to the Conference, and answered affirmatively the disciplinary question, "Will you abstain from the use of tobacco?" They were reported by the Committee on Examination, represented by their Presiding Elders, and admitted on trial. W. B. Herbert was received on his credentials from the United Brethren in Christ, was admitted on trial, and assigned to the class of the second year.

Dr. Fry presented reports of the Church Extension Society, of St. Louis Conference, and from Carleton Institute, which were ordered to be printed in the Minutes.

Papers concerning the Permanent Fund presented by B. St. James Fry, were referred to a special committee, consisting of B. St. James Fry, J. K. Tuttle, G. W. Hughey.

H. H. Ashbaugh was granted a location at his own request.

Question XXXIII was taken up: "Where Shall the Next Conference be Held?"

Butler and Lamar were nominated and Lamar was chosen.

O. M. Stewart presented a resolution requesting the District Stewards, at their annual meeting, to appoint lay delegates to the Annual Conference as advisory members of the committees.

A motion to reconsider the Steward's report was carried, and it was re-committed.

G. W. Hughey was appointed to ascertain the relation of Brother West to this Conference at the time of his death.

The following resolution was offered and adopted by a rising vote:

WHEREAS, Our esteemed brother, the Rev. J. K. Tuttle, a member of this Conference, will have completed the fiftieth year of his itinerant ministry before the next annual session of the Conference, therefore,

Resolved, That we request him to preach a semi-centennial sermon at some convenient time during the next session of this Conference.

W. Jones,
O. J. Cowles,
Wm. Stephens,
B. St. James Fry.

Reports of the Committees on Church Extension, Periodicals, Episcopal Fund, Sunday School and Tract, Observance of the Sabbath, Bible Society and Freedmen's Aid Society were adopted.

The report of the Auditing Committee was adopted, with the understanding that Rev. W. H. H. Brown will present a receipt for missionary money, when the Secretary will be authorized to change the report to conform to the same.

Brothers Burton, Hubbard, Colby and Clark, of the Missouri Conference, were introduced.

Conference was ordered to meet at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning. R. R. Pierce was appointed to conduct devotional services.

Conference adjourned with benediction by T. H. Hagerty.

FIFTH DAY—Seventh Session.

Tuesday, March 30, 1886.

The Conference convened at 8 o'clock A. M., with Bishop Harris in the chair. Religious services for half an hour were conducted by R. R. Pierce.

The Journal of the previous session was read, corrected and approved.

On motion the Conference requested the Bishop to appoint J. D. Van Petten, Professor in Claverac College, New York.

B. St. James Fry read a report from the President of the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund; also the Charter, By-Laws and Form of Will touching the same. The Conference adopted the By-Laws regulating this fund, and appointed W. H. Reed, Esq., Rev. A. H. Heinlein and Rev. T. H. Hagerty as trustees of the same, in place of those whose time had expired.

G. W. Hughey moved that the Trustees of the Permanent Fund be requested to secure such change in the style and title of the Fund as that such name may be given to it as T. H. Hagerty may suggest.

The Secretary was instructed to have printed in the Minutes these documents relating to the Permanent Fund.

The Stewards re-submitted their report, which was adopted and the funds were distributed to the Conference claimants. (See financial report of Stewards.)

The Committee on Education made their report, which was adopted seriatum. The Conference reconsidered that part of the report relating to Lewis College, and amended it so that the phrase, "a collection be taken for the benefit of Lewis College," should read, "a collection be

taken for the benefit of the educational institutions of the Conference and Lewis College." The item was then adopted as amended and the report was adopted as a whole.

The Committees on Temperance, Woman's Home Missionary Society, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society and District Records made their reports, which were adopted.

The Presiding Elder of the Kansas City District was appointed fraternal delegate from this Conference to the Southwest Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

A collection amounting to $39 was taken for Brother E. J. Hunt, who is at Conference very sick.

The Statistical Secretary made his report, which was adopted.

Rev. T. H. Hagerty offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That we have been, and are highly pleased with the presence of Bishop Harris, who has visited us for the first time, in the cheerfulness of his manner, the firmness of his administration, the great exactness of his phraseology, his clear and equitable interpretation of ecclesiastical law, and in his great care and kindness in looking after all the details of our Conference business. We will gladly welcome him among us, whenever in the future it may be his pleasure or duty to visit our Conference or churches.

The Secretary put the motion to adopt the resolution, which was unanimously done by a rising vote.

At this point R. H. Smith arose to a question of privilege and presented to Bishop Harris a beautiful gold pen from the preachers of Rolla and Lexington Districts. The Bishop responded in an appropriate speech.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Conference be, and are hereby, tendered to the good people of Warrensburg, who, regardless of church or ecclesiastical boundaries, have so kindly entertained us during our stay among them during our Session, and to the Pastors and Presiding Elders, for their great care and labor in looking after our entertainment and comfort.

Resolved. That we highly appreciate the kindness and brotherly courtesy of our sister denominations, who have opened their churches for our accommodation, and invited us to their pulpits to preach the gospel of our common Lord and Master.

Resolved, That we tender our thanks to the Daily Standard for its enterprise and kindness in giving us such full reports of our proceedings as well as general Conference news.

Resolved, That our deepest sympathy be assured to our dear brother Hunt, who has been so deeply afflicted, and that our united prayers shall ascend to our God and his God, that great mercy and sustaining grace be given him; and, if necessary, we will open our purses for his relief.

T. H. HAGERTY,
O. J. COWLES.

Resolved. That the thanks of this Conference are extended to the officials of the Missouri Pacific Railroad Company, and the officials of the other railroads for favors received.

Dr. Wm. Jones moved and the motion prevailed that the ministers of the Conference be, and are hereby, requested to have the resolutions

in the report of the Committee on Temperance published in their local papers, after the Minutes are received.

Resolved, That in the removal of Dr. C. P. Masden from our Conference, we express our high appreciation of his services to Methodism while with us in this Conference, and that our prayers go with him to his new field of labor.

Signed, { J. F. CORRINGTON.
BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY.
G. W. HUGHEY.

Boards of Church Extension, Church Location, Committee on General Conference Entertainment and Committees on Examination were nominated and elected.

The Bishop nominated as Triers of Appeals, I. J. K. Lunbeck, L. R. Carpenter, W. P. Armstrong, L. C. Sappenfield, A. H. Heinlein, J. K. Tuttle, O. M. Stewart, and they were elected.

The Committee on Missions made their report and it was adopted.

A collection of $9.40 was taken for the Janitor.

B. A. Disney was announced as transferred to the North Ohio Conference.

O. M. Stewart was appointed to preach the Missionary Sermon, with Albert Jump as alternate.

Rev. L. A. Markham, an Elder, was announced as transferred from the North Ohio Conference to the St. Louis Conference.

Rev. Robert Lidell, a preacher of the first year on trial, was announced as transferred from the Kentucky Conference to the St. Louis Conference.

It was moved and carried that when the Journal is read and approved and the appointments are read, that the Conference adjourn without date.

After an appropriate address by Bishop Harris, he read the appointments and the Conference stood adjourned sine die.

APPOINTMENTS.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

J. F. CORRINGTON, P. E. P. O., 3036 Thomas St., St. Louis.

Bloomfield.....G. W. King.
Bonne Terre and Mineral Point.....Supplied by T. G. Herriman.
Crystal City and Zion, D. W. Crow.
Crystal City Circuit.....Supplied by W. H. Hendrickson.
DeSoto, to be supplied.....
Farmington.....C. E. Heaton.
Fredericktown.....To be supplied by T. H. Denman.
Ironton and Piedmont.....B. F. Thomas.
Lutesville and Cape Girardeau, to be supplied.....
Pacific and Calvey, to be supplied.
Perryville.....M. Bell.
St. Louis, Carondelet, C. Brough.
St. Louis, Central.....F. Lenig.
" Goode Ave, J. P. Marlatt.
" St. Luke's.....W. T. Neff.
" Tower Grove, S. Warner.
" Trinity.....O. M. Martin.
" Union.....C. E. Felton.
" Water Tower.....T. H. Hagerty.
Sullivan, supplied by C. R. Wade.
Webster Circuit.....Oscar Lunbeck.

Leander Hallock, City Missionary, member of Union Quarterly Conference, St. Louis.

Benj. St. James Fry, editor of the Central Christian Advocate, member of the Union Quarterly Conference, St. Louis.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

WILLIAM STEPHENS, P. E. P. O., 1422 Ohio St., Sedalia, Mo.

Appleton City.....C. V. Criss.
Aulville.....Supplied by R. R. Highleyman.
Clinton.....W. K. Collins.
Dresden, to be supplied.....
Eldorado Springs, J. G. Mohrweiss, and one to be supplied by S. B. Campbell.....
High Point, supplied by W. F. Jones.
Huntingdale, I. M. Galbraith, one to be supplied.....
Knob Noster.....W. T. Pyles.
Lincoln.....Jas. Pine.
Lowry City, supplied by H. Smith.
Malta Bend.....A. L. Walker.
Marshall.....Supplied by G. W. Weselins.
Montrose.....J. B. Daniel.
North Clinton.....To be supplied by S. Jones.
Osceola.....Jno. Ashley.
Smithton and Pilot Grove.....I. J. K. Lunbeck.
Rockville, supplied by T. S. Johnson.
Schell City.....Supplied by W. S. Courtney.
Sedalia, Montgomery Street.....J. H. Gillespie.
Sedalia, Ohio Street.....Wm. Jones.
Tipton.....W. G. Cowan.
Warrensburg.....L. A. Markham.
Windsor.....J. S. Porter.

J. B. Van Petten, Professor in Claverac College, New York, member of Ohio Street Quarterly Conference.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

C. J. W. JONES, P. E. P. O., Independence, Mo.

Adrian.....Thos. Pingry.
Austin and Pleasant Valley.....A. P. Sallaway.
Belton.....O. B. Jones.
Butler.....R. R. Pierce.
Butler Circuit.....H. A. Toland.

East Lynn ..... E. J. Hunt.
Holden ..... J. Ingram.
Holden Circuit ..... W. F. Baker.
Independence ..... H. M. Hackney.
Kansas City, Dundee Place ..... O. J. Cowles.
" East Side ..... to be supplied.
" Liberty Street ..... J. H. Hard.
Kansas City, Grand Avenue ..... C. W. Parsons.
" Summit Street ..... O. M. Stewart.
Lee's Summit and Harrisonville, to be supplied by ..... A. K. Johnson.
Mecklin ..... S. Ing.
Pleasant Hill ..... D. Kivett.
Rich Hill ..... F. Exly.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

S. ALEXANDER, P. E. P. O., Lock Box 805, Springfield, Mo.

Bolivar ..... J. B. Brewington.
Buffalo and Urbana ..... W. F. Yeager.
Conway ..... H. Threlfall.
Cuba ..... G. A. Glens.
Dadeville and Ash Grove ..... E. F. S. Darby.
Dixon, to be supplied, P. A. Crow.
Eminence, to be supplied.
Fair Play, to be supplied.
Gainesville ..... To be supplied by E. McClintock.
Hartville ..... To be supplied by W. M'Clanahan
Hermitage ..... W. T. Pare.
Houston ..... To be supplied by W. Nall.
Humansville ..... To be supplied by Jno. Clarke.
Iberia ..... F. M. Stickney.
Lebanon ..... H. R. Miller.
Licking ..... R. Liddell.
Marshfield ..... C. S. Revelle.
Mountain Grove ..... To be supplied by J. K. Mosher.
North Springfield ..... A. Jump.
Ozark ..... To be supplied by Wm. Hulse.
Republic ..... To be supplied by C. E. Wharton.
Richland ..... B. F. January.
Rolla ..... B. F. Poole.
Roubideaux ..... To be supplied by Wm. Patterson.
Salem ..... W. M. Creamer.
Seymour and Ava ..... R. H. Hanson.
One to be supplied.
Sligo ..... To be supplied by W. T. Campbell.
Springfield ..... W. P. Armstrong.
Strafford ..... To be supplied by A. C. McGinty.
Vichy Springs ..... A. J. Graves.
West Plains ..... L. C. Sappenfield.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

W. V. HAMEL, P. E. P. O., Carthage, Mo.

Avilla ..... D. B. Johnson.
Billings ..... N. H. Buck.
Carterville and Webb City ..... T. H. Hawkins.
Carthage ..... G. W. Hughey.
Carthage Circuit, to be supplied.
Cassville ..... W. B. Herbert.
Galena ..... A. M. Hammond.
Golden City ..... J. Miller.
Greenfield ..... Wm. Buck.
Jasper and Mount Moriah ..... M. B. Wood.
Joplin ..... T. M. Durham.
Lamar ..... A. H. Heinlein.
Marionville ..... J. J. Martin.
Mounds ..... To be supplied by G. R. Anderson.
Mt. Vernon ..... T. H. Knease.
Nashville ..... C. E. Evans.
Neosho ..... To be supplied by T. J. Moore.
Oronogo ..... I. Entwisle.
Peirce City ..... J. N. Moore.
Sarcoxie ..... J. M. Darby.
Seneca ..... W. T. Wright.
Sheldon ..... J. W. Finley.
Stockton, to be supplied.
R. T. Smith, left without appointment that he may attend some one of our schools.

ROLLA DISTRICT.

J. W. Brown, P. E. P. O.,

California P. Atkinson.
Carthage A. Ramsay.
De Soto E. Anthony.
Farmington J. W. Payne.
Fredericktown
To be supplied by B. P. Toley.
Greenfield and Mt. Vernon
M. Reed.
Ironton and Potosi, A. Abanatha.
Joplin
To be supplied by A. Smith.
Lebanon and Marshfield
R. Crosby.
Neosho and Newtonia
A. Coleman.
New Tennessee and St. Marys
To be supplied by W. Campbell.
Osceola and Stockton
To be supplied by W. Dives.
Rolla and St. James
J. H. Russell.
St.Louis, Elliott Avenue
J. W. Hughes.
" Baden and Lowell
B. McCain.
" Bridgton and Rock Sp'gs
H. H. McAllister.
" Wesley Chapel
F. H. Small.
Springfield J. W. Hill.
Springfield Circuit E. Pitts.
Tipton and Versailles
J. S. Burton.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

W. H. H. Brown, P. E. P. O., Marshall, Mo.

Arrow Rock Wm. Wheeler.
Beaman and Pilot Grove
J. W. Thomas.
Brownsville C. M. Keeton.
Butler and Harrisonville, B. Steele.
Clinton and Calhoun, S. L. Evans.
Dresden and Lamont
To be supplied by D. B. Dixon.
Georgetown and Mt.Zion,H.Baker.
Holden C. Tays.
Kansas City J. W. Jackson.
Lexington J. W. Summers.
Malta Bend and Salt Pond
Dennis Peyton.
Marshall J. D. Evans.
Sedalia R. H. Smith.
Slater and Gilham D. L. Irwin.
Smithton and Otterville
To be supplied by A. W. Taw.
Warrensburg R. Rush.
Waverly R. Smith.
Wellington Wm. McCutchen.
*Centerview and Knob Noster
W. H. Smith.

Conference Committees and Boards.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES.

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Board of Church Extension—T. H. Hagerty, President; S. H. Pye, Vice-President; B. St. James Fry, Secretary; Henry Schureman, Treasurer. Additional Members—H. C. Wright, J. A. Field, Seneca Taylor, C. E. Felton, S. Warner.

Board of Church Location—St. Louis District—Presiding Elder, T. H. Hagerty, D. W. Crow, J. A. Field, Seneca Taylor. Sedalia District—Presiding Elder, I. J. K. Lunbeck, J. S. Porter, H. Schlotzhauer, E. Barnum. Kansas City District—Presiding Elder, L. R. Carpenter, O. M. Stewart, C. W. Parsons, W. H. Reed, R. G. Hartwell, W. W. Kendall. Springfield District—Presiding Elder, W. P. Armstrong, A. Jump, L. C. Sappenfield, C. E. Bunker, James Baker. Carthage District—Presiding Elder, G. W. Hughey, T. M. Durham, J. J. Martin, R. H. Rose, R. B. Robinson, L. M. Murphy.

Missionary Society—A. H. Heinlein, President; J. P. Marlatt, Secretary; A. Jump, Treasurer.

Sunday School Union and Tract Society—J. K. Tuttle, President; J. F. Corrington, Secretary; J. H. Gillespie, Treasurer.

Committee on General Conference Entertainment—St. Louis District—P. E., C. E. Felton, E. O. Stanard. Sedalia District—P. E., J. H. Gillespie, J. H. Lucas. Kansas City District—P. E., O. B. Jones, W. H. Craig. Springfield District—P. E., H. R. Miller, J. A. Bradshaw. Carthage District—P. E., J. M. Darby, H. C. Cowgill.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

Preachers' Aid Society—Albert Jump, W. V. Hamel, O. M. Martin, O. M. Stewart.

Historical Society--T. H. Hagerty, H. R. Miller, O. B. Jones, J. N. Pierce, J. J. Martin, J. W. Jackson.

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION.

First Year--E. J. Hunt, A. Jump, J. M. Darby.

Second Year--B. F. January, C. V. Criss, F. Lenig.

Third Year--W. P. Armstrong, O. M. Stewart, B. F. Poole.

Fourth Year--O. M. Martin, M. Bell, Wm. Jones.

For Local Deacons' and Elders' Orders--D. W. Crow, M. B. Wood, F. Exly.

For Candidates for Admission on Trial--S. Warner, A. P. Sallaway, W. K. Collins.

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Garrett Biblical Institute--Revs. C. W. Parsons, B. St. James Fry, W. H. Craig, Rev. Wm. Stephens and Rev. T. H. Hagerty.

Marionville Institute--Rev. Geo. W. Hughey, D. D.,and Judge Jas. Baker.

Carleton Institute--Rev. J. P. Marlatt, Rev. W. T. Neff, F. M. Doan, Esq.

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To Preach Missionary Sermon--O. M. Stewart; Alternate, Albert Jump.

Trustees of the Permanent Fund--(For three years) W. H. Reed, Kansas City; A. H. Heinlein, Lamar; T. H. Hagerty, St. Louis. (Term expires 1889.) For Two Years--Seneca N. Taylor, St. Louis; E. O. Stanard, St. Louis; W. H. Craig, Kansas City. (Term expires 1888.) For one year--J. H. McLean, St. Louis; W. W. Kendall, Kansas City; R. B. Robinson, Lamar. (Term expires 1887.)

Seat of Next Conference--Lamar.

Conference Roll and Record.

NAMES. *Non-effective. †Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST-OFFICES. All in Missouri, unless otherwise noted.
Alexander, Samuel	1862	1866	Springfield.
Abanatha, Allen	1870	1870	Ironton.
Atkinson, Patrick	1880	1880	California.
Armstrong, W. P		1882	Springfield.
Ashley, John	1872	1884	Osceola.
Barber, Alanson*	1865	1868	Morantown, Kan.
Baker, W. F.	1880	1880	Kingsville.
Ballaine, Francis*	1880	1880	DeSoto.
Brewington, Jas. B	1880	1880	Marshfield.
Bell, Mordecai	1878	1878	Perryville.
Benefiel, Theodore S*	1866	1866	Bross, Kingman Co., Kans.
Buck, Noble H	1870	1870	Billings.
Baird, Edward H*	1859	1866	Marionville.
Brough, Cyrus	1878	1878	Carondelet.
Brown, John W	1875	1878	Butler.
Boyce, Newton E.*	1876	1876	Mint Hill.
Buck, Wm		1883	Greenfield.
Brown, W. H. H		1885	Marshall.
Burton, Joshua S.†	1882	1882	Tipton.
Beggs, F. S.*	1859	1859	Central City, Col.
Cowden, Jas. W.*	1866	1866	Leasburg.
Corrington, Jas. F	1873	1873	3036 Thomas St., St. Louis.
Carpenter, L. R.*	1874	1874	Independence.
Coleman, A		1877	Neosho.
Collins, W. K		1883	Clinton.
Cowan, W. G	1876	1876	Tipton.
Crow, D. W	1881	1881	Crystal City.
Criss, Curtis V	1877	1877	Appleton City.
Cowles, O. J		1885	Kansas City.
Creamer, Wesley M		1886	Salem.
Darby, Jas. M			Sarcoxie.
Daniel, J. B	1867	1867	Montrose.
Demotte, Wm.*	1857	1863	Humansville.
Durham, Thos. M		1885	Joplin.
Entwisle, Isaac	1866	1866	Oronogo.
Evans, Jas. D	1873	1873	Marshall.
Evans, Chas. E.†	1886	1886	Nashville.
Evans, Samuel L.†		1882	Clinton.
Exly, Frank	1872	1872	Rich Hill.
Felton, Cyrus E		1886	St. Louis.
Finley, John W	1869	1869	Sheldon.
Fry, B. St. James	1847	1866	1101 Olive St., St. Louis.
Gillespie, John H	1873	1873	Sedalia.
Gaither, Anderson J.*	1855	1855	Marshall.
Galbraith, I. M.†		1881	Huntingdale.
Hagerty, Thomas H	1855	1863	1101 Olive St., St. Louis.
Heinlein, Aaron H	1866	1872	Lamar.
Hopkins, Ebenezer*	1872	1872	Biggs Station, Butte Co., Cal.

CONFERENCE ROLL AND RECORD—Continued.

NAMES. * Non-effective. † Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST-OFFICES. All in Missouri unless otherwise noted.
Hanson, Rich. H.	1873	1873	Hartville.
Hallock, Leander.		1877	1101 Olive street, St. Louis.
Hamel, W. V.	1878	1878	Carthage.
Hughes, Jordan W.	1869	1874	1203 Linden ave., St. Louis.
Hughey, Geo. W.		1879	Carthage.
Heaton, Clarence E.	1884	1886	Farmington.
Hackney, H. M.		1884	Independence.
Hard, J. H.		1885	Kansas City.
Haymes, J. W.	1872	1872	Conway.
Hunt, Enoch J.	1878	1878	East Lynne.
Hill, John W.	1883	1883	Springfield.
Ing, Stanford	1858	1858	Salt Springs.
Ingram, Job		1886	Holden.
Jackson, John W.†	1882	1882	Nashville, Tenn.
January, B. F.	1880	1880	Richland.
Jones, Caleb J. W.	1872	1872	Independence.
Jones, Olin B.	1878	1878	Belton.
Jones, Samuel*	1873	1873	Clinton.
Jones, Wm.		1884	Sedalia.
Jump, Albert	1877	1877	Springfield.
Keeton, Calvin M.	1881	1881	Brownsville.
Knease, T. H.		1884	Mt. Vernon.
Kevitt, David†		1886	Pleasant Hill.
Lenig, Frank	1881	1881	2711 Sheridan ave.,St.Louis.
Launbeck, I. J. K.	1870	1870	Pilot Grove.
Launbeck, Oscar†	1880	1880	Palmer.
McAllister, H.		1885	St. Louis.
Martin, O. M.		1882	2310 N. 11th St., St. Louis.
Morgan, Russell M.*	1847	1868	West Plains.
Moffat, Rolan*	1851	1872	Washburn.
Martin, John J.	1878	1878	Marionville.
Markham, L. A.			Warrensburg.
Marlatt, Joseph P.†	1883	1883	4242 N. Market St.,St.Louis.
McCain, Beriah		1886	St. Louis: Baden.
McCutchen, Wm.	1878	1878	Wellington.
Miller, Jacob		1878	Golden City.
Miller, Henry R.	1858	1865	Lebanon.
Munsell, L. W.*		1881	Eminence.
Moore, J. N.	1881	1881	Peirce City.
Neff, Wm. T.†	1882	1882	2734 Miami St., St. Louis.
Pine, James	1879	1880	Lincoln.
Porter, Jas. S.	1873	1873	Windsor.
Porter, Erastus A.*	1875	1875	Rich Hill.
Pierce, John N.*	1859	1865	Clinton.
Pierce, Rich. R.	1866	1866	Butler.
Powell, Wm. W.*	1868	1868	Farmington.
Payne, John W.	1870	1870	
Pitts, Edgar	1867	1867	Springfield.
Poole, Benj. F.	1875	1875	Rolla.

CONFERENCE ROLL AND RECORD—Concluded.

NAMES. *Non-effective. †Deacons.	Admitted to Itineracy.	Entered this Conference.	POST-OFFICES. All in Missouri, unless otherwise noted.
Pingry, Thomas	1883	1883	Adrian.
Parsons, C. W		1884	Kansas City.
Ramsey, Andrew	1878	1878	Carthage.
Reed, Martin		1874	Greenfield.
Revelle, Charles S	1874	1877	Bolivar.
Rush, Richard	1877		Warrensburg.
Sallaway, A. P	1876	1876	Austin.
Smith, Robert T.†	1883	1886	Evanston, Ill.
Small, F. H	1870	1870	St. Louis.
Smith, R. H	1873	1873	Sedalia.
Smith, Reuben	1874	1874	Waverly.
Sappenfield, L. C	1876	1876	West Plains.
Stewart, O. M	1864	1869	1624 Summit St., Kansas City
Stephens, Wm	1866	1866	1422 Ohio street, Sedalia.
Summers, Jas. W.†	1883	1883	Lexington.
Steele, Benjamin	1871	1871	Butler.
Stickney, Francis M	1872	1872	Iberia.
Tally, J. W.*			
Tays, Christopher	1867	1867	Holden.
Threlfall, Henry	1866	1866	Conway.
Tuttle, Jos. K *	1838	1871	Sedalia.
Thomas, B. F	1881	1881	Ironton.
Van Petten, J. B		1880	Claverac, N. Y.
Vaughn, Jas. H.*	1859	1859	Lebeck.
Warner, Samuel	1881	1881	1433 Kentucky av., St. Louis.
Walker, A. L	1876	1879	Malta Bend.
Welsh, John*	1858	1866	Grand River, Ind. Ty.
Wheeler, Wm	1874	1874	Arrow Rock.
Wood, M. B	1867	1883	Jasper.
Yeager, Wilbur F	1880	1880	Buffalo.

Probationers.

Class.	Names.	Admitted on Trial.	Post-Offices.
2	Henson Baker	1884	Georgetown.
2	Richard Crosby	1882	Lebanon.
2	Edward Anthony	1884	Desoto.
2	Albert J. Graves	1885	Vichy.
2	Henry A. Toland	1885	Butler.
2	Dennis Payton	1885	Malta Bend.
2	W. B. Herbert	1885	Cassville.
1	Wm. T. Pyles	1886	Knob Noster.
1	John H. Russell	1886	Rolla.
1	David L. Irwin	1886	Slater.
1	Robert Lidell	1885	Licking.
1	George W. King	1886	Bloomfield.
1	John G. Mohrweis	1886	Eldorado Springs.
1	George A. Glens	1886	Cuba.
1	Wm. T. Pare	1886	Hermitage.
1	Elijah F. S. Darby	1886	Dadeville.
1	Thomas H. Hawkins	1886	Carterville.
1	Wm. T. Wright	1886	Seneca.
1	Armor M. Hammond	1886	Galena.
1	David B. Johnson	1886	Avilla.
1	John W. Thomas	1886	Beaman.
1	Wm. H. Smith	1886	Centerview.

List of Local Preachers & Post Office Address.

L, denotes Licentiate. | D, Deacon. | E, Elder.

Official Relation.	Name.	Post Office.
L	Adams, Shepherd	2809 Market St., St. Louis, St. Louis, Co.
D	Adams, Alfred	Springfield, Green county.
E	Allen, A. L.	Hartville, Wright county.
L	Alcock, W. W.	Exeter, Barry county.
E	Ames, J. Q.	Grangeville, Newton county.
L	Anderson, S. R.	Purdy, Barry county.
L	Anderson, A. D.	Tiff City, McDonald county.
L	Adams, A. J.	Sedalia, Pettis county.
E	Ashbaugh, H. H.	Mt. Vernon, Lawrence county.
L	Burrell, Nathan	Olean, Miller county.
L	Bird, John	Sedalia, Pettis county.
L	Balene, Gilbert	Olean, Miller county.
L	Bly, Eli	Humansville, Polk county.
L	Bell, C. A.	Edwards, Benton county.
L	Bradshaw, J. A.	Richland, Pulaski county.
L	Burl, Wm.	Alma, Lafayette county.
L	Bucklin, Walter	Holden, Johnson county.

D	Barrett, Thomas	Billings, Christian county.
L	Burkholder. W. T.	Sarcoxie, Jasper county.
E	Babb, Samuel	Cassville, Barry county.
L	Carter, Thomas	DeSoto, Jefferson county.
L	Cook, Hiram W.	Potosi, Washington county.
L	Campbell, King	St.Louis.
L	Campbell, J. A.	Carterville, Jasper county.
L	Chester, Joseph	Carthage, Jasper county.
L	Campbell, M. C.	Springfield, Greene county.
L	Casey, Charles	Ironton, Iron county.
	Collins, Joseph	Buffalo, Dallas county.
L	Cranch, S.	Butler, Bates county.
L	Callahan. J. Y.	Webb City, Jasper county.
E	Campbell, W. T.	Cuba, Crawford county.
L	Clarke, E. P.	Cassville, Barry county.
E	Conner, E. C.	Byron, Osage county.
L	Crank, P. C.	Hawkins Mills, Stone county.
L	Cadlins, Joseph	Buffalo, Dallas county.
L	Chasteen, Virgil	Sedalia, Pettis county.
E	Cobb, T. N.	Chappel Hill, Lafayette county.
L	Comers, John	Boonville, Cooper county.
E	Collins, J. B.	Willow Springs, Howell county.
E	Davis, Henry	De Soto, Jefferson county.
L	Dunking, J W.	St. Louis.
E	Dimmit, J. H.	Humansville, Polk county.
E	Daily, John	Springfield, Greene county.
L	Dunaway, E. J.	Arno, Douglas county.
L	Dewitt, James	Kansas City.
L	Dunkin, W.	Sarcoxie.
E	Doan, F. M.	1210 Olive St., St. Louis.
L	Dunkin, J. W.	St. Louis.
E	Estep, J. S.	Mt. Vernon, Lawrence county.
L	Eaker, C. J.	Lutesville, Bolinger county.
L	Easley, Jacob	Sedalia, Pettis county.
L	Fenton, G. W.	Mt. Vernon, Lawrence county.
L	Foster, J. N.	Carterville, Jasper connty.
L	Gardenhire, W. H.	Hematite, Jefferson county.
L	Goodman, R. G.	Piketon, Stoddard county.
E	Gaither, C. W.	Marionville, Lawrence county.
L	Grubaugh, G. R.	" " "
D	Glenn, Henry	Centerview, Johnson county.
E	Grundy, W. F.	Arno, Douglas county.
L	Gabbert, August	1409 East 17th St. Kansas City.
E	Green, M. D.	Kansas City.
L	Green, Phillip	Willow Springs, Howell county.
L	Gibson, H. G.	Warrensburg, Johnson county.
D	Herriman, G. J.	Marquad, Madison counly.
L	Hill, Benjamin	California, Moniteau county.
L	Hopkins, David	Zincite, Jasper county.
L	Headley, Jno.	Sligo, Crawford county.
E	Hendrickson, Wm.	De Soto, Jefferson county.
	Hulse, W. A.	Urbana, Dallas county.
L	Hamby, A. J.	Arno, Douglas county.
L	Harwood, J, W.	Gray's Ridge, Stoddard county.
L	Hix, Joseph	Mansfield, Wright county.
D	Hease, W. A.	Urbana Dallas connty.
E	Huston, Jno.	Dayton, Cass county.
D	Howkady, Samuel	Slater, Saline county.
L	Hillson, C. E.	Pierce City, Lawrence county.

E	Henry, G. W.	Cassville, Lawrence county.
L	Hatcher, G. S.	Rocky Comfort, Newton county.
L	Harman Dan.	Eva, McDonald county.
L	Isabel, Edward	St. Louis.
L	Johnson, Smith,	De Soto, Jefferson county.
L	James, G. W.	2336 Adams St., St. Louis.
L	Jackson, Jno.	Holden, Johnson county.
L	Jacobs, Harrison	" " "
D	Jones, Jas.	Marionville, Lawrence county.
	James, J. W.	St. Louis.
L	Kenoly, D. J.	Clinton, Henry county.
L	King, G. W.	Lutesville, Bollinger county.
L	Long, W.	Greenfield, Dade county.
L	Lax, Solomon	Ironton, Iron county.
L	Lax, Moses	" " "
L	Landy, Wm. G.	St. Louis.
L	Longacre, Wm.	Mountain Grove, Wright county.
D	Lawson, A. A.	Brookline, Green county.
E	Lyman, H. H.	1605 Forest Ave. St. Louis.
L	Landy, J. F.	Sarcoxie, Jasper county.
E	Moore, T. J.	Neosho, Newton county.
L	Masters, Geo.	Ironton, Iron county.
L	Moore, R. W.	Seneca, Newton county.
L	Miller, Lewis	St. Louis.
L	McMullen, J. F.	De Soto, Jefferson county.
L	McMullen, J. K.	" " "
L	Morris, Thos.	Graniteville, Iron county.
L	Mosley, N.	Tipton, Moniteau county.
L	Manes, Dr. J. N.	Billings, Christian county.
L	Miner, T. A.	Odessa, Lafayette county.
L	McIntosh, J. A.	Shady Grove, Polk county.
L	Merchant, J. P.	Rolla, Phelps county.
L	Miller, John R.	St. Louis.
L	Moppin. John	Tipton, Moniteau county.
L	McClintock, E.	West Plains, Howell county.
L	Newman, S. P.	Aurora, Lawrence county.
L	Nason, S. P.	Kansas City.
L	Norman, W. W.	Bloomfield, Stoddard county.
L	Oats, Chas.	St. Louis.
L	O'Kelly, W. H.	Steeleville, Crawford county.
L	Pee, Samuel	Springfield, Green county.
L	Phillips, Samuel	Smithton, Pettis county.
L	Page, L. P.	Harrisonville, Cass county.
L	Patterson, Wm.	Hazel Green, La Clede county.
E	Poole, Isaac	Kansas City.
D	Pollock, J. E.	Pierce City, Lawrence county.
L	Page, D. C.	Joplin, Jasper county.
E	Penell, P. B.	Brighton, Polk county.
L	Poe, J. H.	Bloomfield, Stoddard county.
L	Pharmer, J.	Georgetown, Pettis county.
L	Roane, Calvin	Marshall, Saline county.
L	Russell, Nathan	Olean, Miller county.
D	Rule, Henry	Rondo, Polk county.
L	Ramsey, T. J.	Iberia, Miller county.
D	Reser, J. M	Urbana, Dallas county.
E	Rice, T. J	West Plains, Howell county.
L	Simonds, H. A	Farmington, St. Francis county.
E	Scott, J. H	Rolla, Phelps county.
L	Saunders, Morocco	Lexington, Lafayette county.

D	Smith, A. C	Evanston, Ill.
E	Sackett, Henry	Liberal, Barton county.
E	Sewell, P. B	Brighton, Polk county.
L	Shackleford, J. C	Tipton, Moniteau county.
L	Stanfiel, C. J	Leora, Stoddard county.
L	Siss, R	Calhoun, Henry county.
E	Selby, J. D	Marionville, Lawrence county.
L	Smith, Daniel	Salem, Dent county.
L	Stover, E	2819 Thomas avenue, St. Louis.
L	Sherril, Silas W	Salem, Dent county.
L	Stakant, C. H	Warrensburg, Johnson county.
D	Slavens, J. H	Urbana, Dallas county.
E	Smith, Dr. C. W	Purdy, Barry county.
L	Swift, W. H	Buffalo, Dallas county.
L	Sluthur, Geo	Zodiac, Vernon county.
L	Sewell, Oliver	Cave Springs.
E	Short, W. O	Golden City.
L	Stewart, Stephen W	Arrow Rock.
D	Sinclair, Joseph	Bolivar, Polk county.
L	Simons, Joseph	5th and Morgan streets, St. Louis.
L	Thorlon, Edward	St. Louis.
E	Tallman, D. H	Jasper, Jasper county.
L	Thomas, J. W	Springfield.
L	Tippon, Frank	Conway, Laclede county.
E	Tipton, W	Dana, Bates county.
L	Thomas, Finas	Lexington, Lafayette county.
L	Tæbo, R. W	Adrian, Bates county.
L	Tidwell, Henry	Carthage, Jasper county.
L	Travis, J	Arcola, Dade county.
E	Turrentine, J. J	Marionville, Lawrence county.
D	Van Zandt, L. D	Austin, Cass county.
D	Warden, E. M	Carthage, Jasper county.
L	Walker, Wm	Chesapeake, Lawrence county.
L	Whipple, W	Mt. Vernon, Lawrence county.
D	Winfrey, Geo., sr	St. Louis.
L	Ware, Anthony	Lexington, Lafayette county.
D	Winfrey, Geo., jr	St. Louis.
L	Williams, Jeremiah	Jamestown, Moniteau county.
L	Williams, A	California, Moniteau county.
L	Wood, Milton	California, Moniteau county.
L	Watson, Edward	St. Louis.
L	Washburne, Wash	Rolla, Phelps county.
L	Worthington, Geo	Humansville, Polk county.
L	Winkler, Z. B	Cook's Station, Crawford county.
L	Weeks, W. F	Buffalo, Dallas county.
D	Woods, G. W	Belton, Cass county.
E	Weaver, H. C	Kansas City.
D	Washam, M. T	Billings, Christian county.
L	Wade, C. R	Farmington, St. Francis county.
L	Wesley, Jno	Sedalia, Pettis county.
L	York, Oliver	Sedalia, Pettis county.

STEWARD'S FINANCIAL REPORT.

RECEIVED.

From St. Louis District	
" Sedalia "	$299 44
" Kansas City "	114 95
" Springfield "	251 00
" Carthage "	70 65
" Rolla "	64 35
" Lexington "	17 60
	7 98
Total from Districts	$825 97
" Chartered Fund	30 00
" Interest on Permanent Fund	80 00
" Dividend from Book Concern	195 00
" Special Cash	5 03
Total	$1136 00
Disbursed to Conference Claimants	$1136 00

Conference Claimant's Directory.

Who PLANTETH a vineyard and eateth not of the fruit thereof.—I Cor. 9:7.

CLAIMANT.	ADDRESS.	Amount Received	By Whom Rec'd.
Mrs. Mary I. Acres	Lawrence, Kans	$70	I. Entwisle.
" Amanda Bewley.	Clay Center, Kans	45	B. St. Jas. Fry.
F. Ballaine	DeSoto, Mo	40	J.F. Corrington
E. H. Baird	Marionville, Mo	30	Jacob Miller.
Mrs. A. J. Clifford	Marshall, Texas	75	B. St. Jas. Fry.
" Mary Colton	Newcastle, Pa	40	O. M. Stewart.
Wm. De Mott	Humansville, Mo	80	B. St. Jas. Fry.
A. J. Gaither	Marshall, Mo	50	Himself.
Mrs. Eliza Garner	Denison City, Texas	40	O. M. Stewart.
" G. V. Houts	Warrensburg, Mo	140	W. F. Baker.
" C. A. Little	Cartersburg, Indiana	40	I.J.K. Lunbeck.
" S. H. Mortland	Memphis, Tenn	90	H. M. Hackney.
" P. McNutt	Warrensburg, Mo	50	O. M. Stewart.
R. Moffat	Washburn, Mo	40	B. St. Jas. Fry.
R. M. Morgan	West Plains, Mo	100	L.C.Suppenfield
E. A. Porter.	Rich Hill, Mo	41	F. Exly.
Mrs. Mary Laylor	Sedalia, Mo	40	R. H. Smith.
" J. L. Walker	Marionville, Mo	95	Jacob Miller.
" Pamelia West	Lincoln Green, Ill	30	J. F.Corrington

Summary of Disciplinary Questions.

I. Who are Received by Transfer and from what Conferences?

C. E. Felton from the Baltimore Conference; Job Ingram from the Illinois Conference; David Kivett from the North Indiana Conference; Beriah McCain, from the Little Rock Conference; Robert Liddle from Kentucky Conference; L. A. Markham, from the North Ohio Conference; Clarence F. Heaten from the Austin Conference and Robert T. Smith from the Rock River Conference.

II. Who were Admitted on Trial?

George W. King, John G. Mohrweis, George A. Glens, Wm. T. Pare, Elijah F. S. Darby, Thomas H. Hawkins, Wm. T. Wright, Armor M. Hammond, David B. Johnson, John W. Thomas, Wm. H. Smith, David L. Irwin, Wm. T. Pyles, John H. Russel, W. B. Herbert assigned to second years' class.

III. Who Remain on Trial?

Albert J. Graves, Dennis Payton, Henry A. Toland, Richard Crosby, Henson Baker, Edward Anthony.

IV. Who are Discontinued?

Walter H. Gardenhire, Thomas H. Williams.

V. Who are Admitted into full Connection?

Charles E. Evans. Samuel L. Evans.

VI. Who are Re-admitted?

None.

VII. Who are Received on Credentials from other Churches?

Wesley M. Creamer, Wm. T. Pyles, John A. Russell, David L. Irwin, W. B. Herbert.

VIII. What Traveling Preachers have been elected Deacons?

Charles E. Evans, Samuel L. Evans.

IX. What Traveling Preachers have been Ordained Deacons?

Charles E. Evans, Samuel L. Evans.

X. What Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?

Thomas H. Corkill, Thomas H. Hawkins, George W. King.

XI. What Local Preachers have been Ordained Deacons?

Thomas H. Corkill, Thomas H. Hawkins, George W. King.

XII. Who are the Traveling Deacons of the First Class?

J. W. Summers, W. T. Neff, Charles E. Evans, Samuel L. Evans.

XIII. Who are the Traveling Deacons of Second Class?

John W. Jackson, Joshua S. Burton, Joseph P. Marlatt, Thomas Pingry, John W. Hill, Isaac M. Galbraith, Oscar Lunbeck, David Kivett.

XIV. What Traveling Deacons have been elected Elders?

Alexander L. Walker, Beriah McCain, Henry McAllister.

XV. What Traveling Deacons have been ordained Elders?

Alexander L. Walker, Beriah McCain, Henry McAllister.

XVI. What Local Deacons have been elected Elders?

None.

XVII. What Local Deacons have been ordained Elders?

None.

XVIII. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?

S. Jones, L. W. Munsell, J. K. Tuttle, L. R. Carpenter, F. S. Beggs, N. E. Boyce, E. Hopkins, J. W. Haymes, J. N. Pierce.

XIX. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?

E. A. Porter, J. H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, J. W. Tally, A. J. Gaither, E. H. Baird, R. Moffat, John Welsh, R. M. Morgan, A. Barber, J. W. Cowden, T. S. Benefiel, F. Ballaine, Wm. Demott.

XX. Was the Character of each Preacher examined?

ANSWER—This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

XXI. Have any Died?

A. J. Clifford, Patterson McNutt, Wm. R. Lawton.

XXII. Have any been transferred, and to what Conference?

B. A. Disney to the North Ohio Conference; Thomas H. Corkill to the Austin Conference; H. G. Jackson to the Rock River Conference; C. P. Masden to the New York Conference.

XXIII. Have any withdrawn?

S. R. Reese, G. W. Rich.

XXIV. Have any been located at their own request?

H. H. Ashbaugh, W. O. Short.

XXV. Have any been located?

None.

XXVI. Have any been permitted to withdraw under Charges?

None.

XXVII. Have any been Expelled?

None.

XXVIII. Who were selected for Triers of Appeals?

(See officers of Conference, Page 2.)

XXIX. What is the Statistical Report for this Conference Year?

(See Tabulated Statement.)

XXX. What are the Claims on Conference Fund?

ANS. $.....

XXXI. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?

$1136.00, which has been applied by order of the Conference. (See Steward's Financial Report Page 31.)

XXXII. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

(See Appointments.)

XXXIII. Where shall the next Conference be held?

Lamar.

OUR HONORED DEAD.

"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry..	1832	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O...	43	Effective.....	26
Rob't Wilson	1860	.....	.....		.....	....
Benj. F. Wilson..	1850	June 24, '65	.....	51	.....	15
C. E. Carpenter..	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia.....	29	Superannuated..	8
Spencer Taylor...	1867	Apr. 22, '70	Sedalia, Mo.....	39	Superannuated..	3
Nor. H. Mitchell..	1856	Sept 14, '71	Holden, Mo.....	38	Effective.....	15
James Lee.....	1851	Feb. 16, '72	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Supernumerary.	20
George McKee....	1856	Apr. 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated..	16
Nathan Jewett....	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo.....	61	Effective.....	34
James A. Little...	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo....	34	Effective.....	3
J. W. D. Ensey...	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo..	35	Superannuated..	15
Addison P. Colton	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa.	45	Superannuated..	9
John H. Lutz.....	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo	27	Supernumerary.	4
John C. Berry....	1868	Apr. 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia..	44	Superannuated..	7
Geo. W. Durment.	1857	June 2, '79	Paoli, Ind.....	41	Superannuated..	22
Wm. S. Hubbard..	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo.....	43	Effective.....	12
Eli E. Condo.....	1866	Apr. 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo..	39	Effective.....	14
C. H. Wooley.....	1874	Apr. 28, '80	Osceola, Mo.....	34	Effective.....	6
John W. Acres....	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo.....	54	Effective.....	8
John Garner.....	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Denison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary.	23
R. A. Foster.....	1848	Mar. 10, '80	Warrensb'g, Mo.	68	Superannuated..	13
Jasper B. Lee.....	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo.	52	Effective.....	15
Scott McCormack.	1881	Oct. 19, '81	De Soto, Mo....	24	Effective.....	1
J. L. Walker.....	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo.	51	Effective.....	26
J. E. Morris.....	1867	Apr. 30, '83	Zion, Mo.....	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts...	1874	Apr. 13, '84	Butler, Mo.....	47	Effective.....	10
Sam'l H Mortland	1871	Mar. 27, '85	Independ'ce, Mo	49	Effective.....	29
Patterson McNutt	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col..	53	Effective.....	28
Wm. R. Lawton..	1880	Feb. 12, '86	Sedalia, Mo.....	60	Effective.....	....
Alonzo J. Clifford.	1873	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective.....	....

MEMOIRS.

SAMUEL H. MORTLAND.

Rev. Samuel Hayes Mortland was born in the county of Tyrone, North of Ireland about fifty years ago. He died at Independence, Mo., March 27th, 1885. He obtained a plain English education at the national school near where he was born. He was reared in the Presbyterian church of which his parents were members.

He had additional religious advantages from the Primitive Methodist preachers, who found a home in his fathers house, as they traveled their circuits.

In his sixteenth year, though very moral in life, he was deeply convinced of sin. After months of prolonged anguish of spirit, he was powerfully converted while at a class meeting, and entered into an unclouded experience of the Divine favor.

He united with the Primitive Methodist church, and in about one year, was appointed class-leader. Soon afterward he began to exhort, and later on, to preach. In his nineteenth year he entered the regular work of the Itinerancy and was appointed to the Sligo circuit. After this he served in order, six regular charges. His last charge in Ireland being the Antrim circuit, where his health broke down through over-study and over-work. He lingered several months between life and death. Although recovering his health to some degree, yet, for several years he was able to preach only occasionally. Being seriously threatened by a return of his former disease, and acting upon medical advice, he sought a change of climate in this country. After his health had again much improved, he united with the St. Louis Conference at its session in 1873. He was appointed to Cape Girardeau, which charge he served two years. His next appointment was North Springfield one year. During this year (1875) he was united in marriage at Memphis, Tenn., with Rosa B. Leslie.

He served Rolla one year and Independence two years. At the close of the second year he was prostrated with pneumonia, and was unable to attend Conference. He, however, received his appointment to Holden. Recovering very slowly, he was unable to take charge of his work for three months. At the expiration of this year he was reappointed to Holden, but by reason of mental depression and physical debility, he was obliged to resign very early in the year. At the succeeding Conference he was placed in the supernumerary relation, which he held for two years. During the second year his health was so far restored that he preached a few months for the Presbyterian congregation at Holden; and at the call of the Presiding Elder, closed out the year in supplying Lee's Summit charge.

He was then made effective and appointed to Lamar, where he remained one year. He then was returned to Independence. Ere the year closed he was again stricken down with pneumonia, induced by preaching a funeral sermon in a cold house.

It was plainly evident that his life work was done. His decease was announced to the Conference during its last session.

During most of these years he was not able to do the full work of a Methodist Preacher. Almost constantly a sufferer from a debilitated body, his mental and soul forces seemed under continual restraint, yet he excelled as a preacher.

He was strictly doctrinal, avoiding all side-issues and ephemeral topics. He made the great fundamental doctrines of the Holy Scriptures the subject matter of his preaching. Of few men could it be said more fully and truly "he preached Christ." With a ready flow of chaste and forcible language—with great clearness and strength of argument—in the pulpit he was a master—"a workman that needeth not be ashamed."

As a companion, Brother Mortland seemed reserved. He was not a man of many intimacies. Only to his trusting friends did he open his heart. To such he was most agreeable. He had a keen elevated wit—scarcely ever indulged in elsewhere—which gave a charm to his social life. As a man he was of the truest type—the soul of honor. He never betrayed a principle or a friend. He scorned subterfuge of any sort in others and was utterly incapable of it himself. He was no place-seeker. His great soul was not disturbed by the petty ambitions that so often disquiet others.

As a Christian, he was a man of God. His religious experience was an even, constant, unquestioned fellowship with the Father, and His Son Jesus Christ.

In the midst of the people he had served and by whom he was so greatly esteemed, came the closing scenes of a suffering life. It would have been a surprise had he not "died well." He was concious nearly to the last and was able to converse though very weak. When death was mentioned, and the Scriptures quoted, "to live is Christ and to die is gain," "Yes," said he, "so it has been with me. I only live for Christ, and death will be a great gain." He talked about faith and quoted many texts from which he had preached. Nearly his last words were, "bless the Lord." Thus the soul was lifted to the heavenly. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

W. STEPHENS.
C. J. W. JONES.

PATTERSON M'NUTT.

Patterson McNutt was born in Switzerland County, Indiana, August 27th, 1832, and died February 9th, 1886, in Del Norte, Colorado. He was converted, and united with the church during his Sophomore year in college. He graduated from the Indiana Asbury University in 1855, and in the autumn of the same year, was united in marriage with

Louise S. Slavens. He immediately entered upon his chosen profession of teaching. He was three years principle of Georgetown Seminary, one year principal of Danville Seminary, one year professor in the Illinois Weselyan University, from which in 1850 he was granted the degree of D. D. He received license to preach and joined the Illinois Conference in the autumn of 1858. He remained in this Conference several years, sustaining pastoral relations to one or two charges, but mainly engaged in teaching.

In the summer of 1862, he engaged in the service of his country as Captain of Company C., 73d Illinois Regiment. He was distinguished for ardent patriotism as well as enlightened piety. To many a suffering soldier he carried a cup of cold water, and the message of heavenly mercy. He was in the battles of Perryville, Kentucky, and Stone River, Tenn., as well as numerous skirmishes. From exposures on the march, the picket line and the battlefield, his health became greatly impaired, and before the close of the war he was honorably discharged. From this time forward his life was a continual struggle with pain and bodily infirmity.

He resumed his educational work in the Illinois Conference, as president of Marshall College, which position he held for three years.

In the spring of 1869 he was transferred to the Kansas Conference and stationed at Oswego, serving two years. He afterwards served one year as President of Baker University, when, his health becoming still more infirm, he took work in the Colorado Conference. Here his health was so greatly improved that he accepted the Professorship of Mathematics tendered him in 1872 by his Alma Mater. This position, in connection with the South-East Indiana Conference, he held for eleven years, when failing health caused him to resign.

In 1883 he was transferred to the St. Louis Conference, hoping to receive benefit from change of climate and occupation. He served a part of the year at Holden, and at the next session of conference was stationed at Warrensburg. At the beginning of the second year here, his health still declining, he was forced to resign his charge and go to Colorado, hoping to be benefited as he had been before. Here on May 1st, 1885, he took charge, as supply of Del Norte and Monte Vista. At first his health seemed to improve. He often preached three times on Sabbath, besides attending Sunday school and leading classes after sermon. This he did with scarcely any intermission until the end.

On Sunday previous to his last sickness, he organized a church of thirty members at Monte Vista, preached twice, visited several of the members, and raised a subscription of $1,200 for a church building. Next day he rode more than twenty-five miles over the snowy plain, visiting and praying with the sick who had been unable to get out to church. On Tuesday he reached home, very tired, but very happy in his work. Next day he suffered from neuralgia in the chest and shoulders, arising from a severe cold he had taken. The pain becoming more severe, a physician was sent for, who found his liver congested and extremely painful, accompanied with chills and fever. Medical aid

seemed unavailing, and on the following Tuesday evening at ten minutes to seven o'clock he breathed his last, aged fifty-three years, five months and thirteen days.

At the begining of his last sickness he was impressed that he could not recover. He was much concerned about his work, which had prospered greatly, and more than once asked his wife, as soon as he was gone to write to the Presiding Elder and urge him to send a good man in his place at once. On the last day she said: "O, Pa, if you are taken, I shall feel your last Sunday's work has killed you." He answered—"But, was it not a glorious work?" and murmured somewhat indistinctly, that one should not fear even to lay down his life for Christ. At one time smilingly he said, "I think this is the end. Don't you believe the Lord will do just right?" She answered, "Yes, I do believe with all my heart, but I can't think it is his will to take you just now." He then closed his eyes—the smile still lingering on his face, as if he felt the admission he had forced from her would be, as it has surely been, a great comfort to her afterward. His last words were, "All right," uttered in a tone of tenderness, happiness and good cheer.

So passed away a man in whom courage, kindness, strength of will, unselfishness and patient fortitude were singularly blended. No words can adequately picture him to those who did not know him, and no eulogy is required for those who did. In lowlier positions, as well as those of the world regarded of greater consequence, he was equally faithful and zealous in trying to do good.

His last Presiding Elder writes: "I, like all with whom he came in contact, was deeply impressed with his piety. His last work here in Colorado was a brilliant success."

"Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace."

W. STEPHENS.

ALONZO J. CLIFFORD.

Alonzo J. Clifford was born at Palermo, Maine, June 14, 1846. His grandfather was an exhorter, his father and brothers were Methodist preachers. He came of earnest blood. His only sister is the wife of a Methodist preacher. He was converted before he was 12 years old, received a common school education and graduated at Dirigo Business College in 1866. He left a business life at the call of the Master and was licensed to preach May, 1873. He was ordained Deacon at Bucksport, Maine, by Bishop Foster, June, 1876, and was ordained Elder at Rockland, Maine, by Bishop Merrill, May, 1878. His appointments in the Maine Conference were: Unity, two years; Rockport, three years; Boothbay, three years; Bucksport and Monticello, three years. An attack of pneumonia at this last place renuered a trip south necessary and he spent a few months with a brother in Mississippi, but returned the following summer and supplied the Monticello work until transferred

to the St. Louis Conference in the spring of 1885, and was stationed at Summit street, Kansas City. There he died December 3, 1885, in the full assurance of faith. Brother Clifford was a good preacher and a good man. Few ever acquired and exerted in so short a time so wonderful a power for good as he in Kansas City. His memory is a sweet aroma there. His kind and earnest life lingers like "a thing of beauty." As of Barnabas, it was said, so of him, "he was a good man, full of the Holy Ghost and of faith." He leaves a wife and three children to the care of the Conference.

WM. R. LAWTON.

He died February 12, 1886, aged 60 years. He professed religion when quite young and joined the Presbyterian church. In a short while he felt moved by the Holy Ghost to preach the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, and was ordained and sent to Liberia as a missionary. There he had two years of successful labor, but owing to a failure in his health he was compelled to return to the United States. He joined the M. E. church in 1879 and preached part of that year, supplying a work in and about St. Louis. In the spring of 1880, immediately after the adjournment of the St. Louis Conference, held at Sedalia, he was called by his Presiding Elder, F. H. Small, to supply the Kansas City work, which he did. He was at this time engaged in the undertaker's business in St. Louis, which was quite a profitable investment to him, but he said his calling was to preach the Word. He therefore arranged matters with his partner and located his wife as comfortably as he could and started for his field. He began his work about the 1st of April. He found only nine members, no church and no place of worship. I was with him while he was making preparations to go. I understood something of the condition of the work there and encouraged him some in his going. He would frequently write to me about his desolate field.

I remember these words in one of his letters: "I believe the Lord is able and will lead his church on to victory." After four years hard labor and earnest praying to Almighty God for his church, the work prospered. He left a good church and property worth between $6,000 and $7,000. Now a fine congregation assembles there for worship, with a membership of over 200. Brother Lawton was received on trial in the traveling connection in the spring of 1881 at the Conference held in Carthage, Mo. He was a member of my class and was quite studious, about an average grade in his class. His last appointment was at Sedalia, March, 1884, from the Conference at Kansas City. There he labored hard and faithfully, endeavoring to build for God and Methodism another church in that city, to be called Simpson's Chapel. He has left matters in such a condition that his successors will no doubt very soon complete a work that this good man labored for with so much prayerfulness and diligence.

Brother Lawton's second year in the Sedalia charge was one of bereavement. His kind wife, who had been afflicted for five years, but

all these years was a patient and prayerful worker with him, departed this life on the 23d of June. But this only seemed to brighten his prospect for heaven and its glorious rewards, and he said, while preparing to lay her in the silent grave, "There lies the pride of my life. By and by we shall meet again." Seven months and a few days after the death of his wife the Lord saw fit to call him from his labor to his reward. His attack was one of the severest cases of pneumonia, over which his physician seemed to have no control whatever, and six days' patient illness completed the life of this noble man. He was visited by two of the members of this Conference, during the last hours of his life, Rev. Wm. Stephens and Dr. Wm. Jones, who were much encouraged to know of the bright prospects of future happiness that awaited this dear brother. From the first of his sickness it seemed that his anticipations were that the Lord had sent this as a notice of the swift coming messenger, death. He immediately began to make preparations to go.

"Happy, if with my latest breath,
I may but gasp his name,
Preach him to all and cry in death,
Behold! Behold the Lamb!"

C. M. KEETON,
R. M. SMITH.

REPORTS.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

Your Auditing Committee beg leave to report as follows: We have examined the accounts of the Presiding Elders and find them correct, except on the Lexington District, Neosho and Newtonia charge, where we find an appropriation of $40 and receipts for only $20. We have also examined the accounts of the Committee on Publication of the Minutes, and find them as follows:

Amount expended	$314 61
Receipts	247 43
Available assets	27 60
Leaving indebtedness of	39 58

There are also uncertain assets of $63.

I. M. GALBRAITH, Secretary.

D. W. CROW, Chairman.

BIBLE CAUSE.

Your Committee on the Bible Cause submit the following report: We fully endorse the present policy of the American Bible Society, and renew our pledges of co-operation with the Society and its agents. The receipts are $75.05.

J. MILLER, Secretary.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

Your Committee, to which was referred the interests of the Church Extension Society, feel profoundly impressed with the magnitude and religious importance of the work in which this Society is engaged. We fear that amid our many cares and limited means we have not aided this noble Society as we should, though we are glad to report an increase this year, over last, of nearly $300.

Therefore we would most earnestly recommend this Society and its noble work to the prayerful attention of our people, and we recommend that a collection be taken on the first Sabbath in July for this Society, after its claims have been presented by the pastor or agent. And that we, as a Conference, will do all we can to further the interests of this Society in the year to come. All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. H. GILLESPIE, Secretary. T. H. HAGERTY, President.

To the St. Louis Annual Conference:

The St. Louis Conference Board of Church Extension held two meetings during the Conference year.

At the first, June 25, 1885, applications from Republic, Centre Chapel, Crystal City and Pacific, asking for $750 in donations and $1,050 in loans, were recommended.

At the second meeting, January 13, 1886, applications from Eldorado Springs, Sedalia District; Mountain Grove and New Prospect, Springfield District; John Wesley Chapel, St. Louis District, and Irwin, Carthage District, asking for $1,000 in donations and $250 in loans, were recommended. Respectfully submitted,

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY,
Secretary.

DISTRICT RECORDS.

Your Committee on District Conference Records beg leave to report that we have examined the Records of Kansas City and Carthage Districts, and find them to be correct. There are no other Districts holding District Conferences. Respectfully Submitted,

I. ENTWISLE,
J. INGRAM.

REPORT ON EDUCATION.

GARRETT BIBLICAL INSTITUTE is the second oldest of the theological schools of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the act of incorporation being granted Feb. 15th, 1855.

During these thirty years of history, nearly one thousand of our young men have enjoyed the rare advantages of training in this school.

Three hundred and fifty have been graduated, nearly all of whom have been given to the pulpit of our church, greatly increasing its efficiency, and blessing the land with their intelligent piety.

Garrett Biblical Institute was never so prosperous as now. During the few months past the faculty has been re-enforced by the election of Rev. C. W. Bennett, D. D., to the chair of Historical Theology; Rev. M. S. Ferry, D. D., to the chair of Old Testament Exegesis, and Rev. C. F. Bradly, whom this Conference has recently heard with so much pleasure, to the chair of New Testament Exegesis. All of these are ripe scholars eminently fitted for the departments to which they have been called.

One hundred and fifteen students are now registered in the regular course. Last fall a Junior class of fifty was entered—a fact perhaps unsurpassed in the history of our theological seminaries.

Your committee would call the especial attention of our young men prepairng for the ministry, and who have not had college training to the "Electic English Course" of one or two years.

We believe they cannot afford to miss the opportunity of studying theology with the help and inspiration of the eminent faculty of this institution.

We would nominate visitors to attend the next commencement as follows:—Rev. C. W. Parsons. Rev. B. St. James Fry, D. D., W. H. Craig, Wm. Stephens and Rev. T. H. Hagerty.

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Lewis College.—During the past year Lewis College has made material progress, and we have reason to believe that it is rapidly growing in favor among our people, and its future is no longer in doubt.

Rev. H. G. Jackson, D. D., having accepted an appointment to the Centenary church, Chicago, Rev. Addis Albro, A. M., of the Missouri Conference, was elected to the presidency. He entered at once on the duties of this responsible position with a zeal and earnestness which inspired confidence. The courses of study have been remodeled and enlarged, and a ladies' literary course added. The facilities for study and accommodations have been increased. While there has been no great increase in the number of students, those in attendance are of a higher grade. The corps of instruction consists of eight capable men and women, thoroughly devoted to the work of higher education.

The debt of $15,000, reported at the last session of the Conference, has been reduced in the sum of about $7,500, including the collections on that account reported at this and the Missouri Conference. Rev. J. F. Messner, of the Missouri Conference, has been appointed financial agent to complete this work and to advance the general interests of the College, and we commend him and the College to the good will and beneficence of our people. We recommend that the second Sunday in October be observed as College Day, and that a collection be taken in all our charges for the benefit of the educational institutions of this Conference and Lewis College.

The great need of the school is students. We have accommodations and facilities for teaching three times the number now in attendance. We desire especially to press upon the members of this Conference the duty of pastors to seek out and encourage young persons who may be induced to attend.

We nominate the following persons for the Board of Trustees, from which a selection of two members shall be made: Rev. Olin B. Jones, Rev. C. W. Parsons, Rev. J. F. Corrington and Rev. W. V. Hamel.

We recommend the following persons, one minister and one layman from each district, as Conference Visitors: Rev. C. E. Felton, Hon. E. O. Stanard, Rev. O. B. Jones, W. W. Kendall, Esq., Rev. J. J. Martin, L. M. Murphy, Esq., Rev. H. B. Miller, Hon. T. H. B. Dunnegan, Rev. Wm. Jones, F. A. Sampson, Esq.

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MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.—The Collegiate Institute at Marionville is one of the important links in the educational system that the Methodist Episcopal Church is now struggling to build up in this great commonwealth. Situated in the south-west part of the state, it is by its situation, the better calculated to be a feeder for our higher grade schools. Doing thorough academic work, young men are already availing themselves of its advantages to prepare the way for their work in their ministry, and is doing a work that no other school can do. The institution is in a flourishing condition, the past year having been one of its most prosperous. It has a property free from debt valued at——— dollars. We recommend as Conference visitors, Rev. G. W. Hughey, D. D., and Judge James Baker.

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CARLETON INSTITUTE.—The reports received from Carleton Institute represent the past year as the most prosperous of the thirty-three years of its history. The attendance of students has been large and of an average higher grade. The educational facilities have been increased and the religious interest has been most satisfactory. The value of the entire property is not less than $20,000. The main building is unincumbered, but the new hall, added a year ago, is mortgaged for the balance due, $2,800. The Board of Trustees named in the deed of a year ago, met in Farmington, June 9, 1885, and was properly organized: Jas. H. McLean, of St. Louis, was chosen the president, and Benj. St. James Fry, the secretary. The influence of this, our oldest education center, is widening, and its field is one that cannot be occupied by any other of our schools. Miss Carleton deserves the highest honor for her life-long labor and sacrifice in building up this school, unaided by the church, and it is the duty of the church, within the bounds of this Conference, to relieve it from debt. We are glad to report that a generous Kansas City layman has pledged half the indebtedness to be paid within the coming year. We trust that the St. Louis District will assume the remainder.

Prof. H. A. Simonds has been elected Vice-President and is rendering faithful service. Mr. Clem. Studabaker has resigned, and we recommend that Hon. J. L. Thomas, of De Soto, be elected to fill the vacancy.

We recommend also the appointment of Rev. J. P. Marlatt, Rev. Wm. T. Neff and F. M. Doan, Esq., as Conference Visitors.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. MARTIN, Secretary. B. ST. JAMES FRY, President.

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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF CARLETON INSTITUTE.

To the St. Louis Annual Conference:

DEAR BRETHREN:—The first meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Carleton Institute was held at the Carleton Institute, Farmington, Mo., on June 9, 1885. There were present besides Miss Carleton, S. W. Taylor, James H. McLean, Thos. H. Hagerty, E. V. P. Ritter, Jas. F. Conington, Benj. St. James Fry, Jas. McCormack, Wm. Tolman, M. D., Mrs. Rhinehart Lang, Jacob Helber and Cordelia J. Murray.

After proper organization of the board, officers were elected as follows: James H. McLean, President: Benj. St. James Fry, Secretary.

A Committee was appointed to provide a set of By-Laws, to report at the annual meeting in June.

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY, Sec'y.

EPISCOPAL FUND.

We, your Committee on Episcopal Fund, report as follows:

St. Louis District	$207 65
Sedalia "	136 85
Kansas City "	173 35
Carthage "	72 00
Springfield "	78 21
Lexington "	11 25
Rolla "	16 30
Total for the Conference	$695 61
Increase over last year of	$ 79 46

THOS. H. KNEASE, Secretary. J. W. PAYNE, Chairman.

FREEDMEN'S AID SOCIETY.

We, your Committee on Freedmen's Aid, report as follows:

The amount raised during the year is $586.20.

We are pleased to note the increase over last year, which was a falling off from the year preceding of $239.23.

Total receipts of last year being	$409 91
" " of this year	586 20
An increase over last year of	$176 2

The results reached in elevating and stimulating our colored brethren to better and nobler lives, making their opportunities and facilities for work, in many instances, equal to those of the white brethren, lead us to say, that they should make an unusual effort to increase the amounts of their collections for this cause—their collections falling below their proportion. Therefore be it

Resolved, that we, as a Conference, urge these brethren and the entire Conference to work more earnestly in this commendable enterprise.

B. F. THOMAS, Secretary. WM. MCCUTCHEN, Chairman.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT:—Carondelet, $100; Water Tower, $100; St. Luke, $200; Tower Grove, $200; Goode Ave., $50; Bloomfield, $50; Farmington, $75; Crystal City and Zion, $50; Perryville, $75; Ironton and Piedmont, $75. Total, $975.

SEDALIA DISTRICT:—Marshall, $200; Montgomery St., $100; Schell City, $70; Eldorado Springs, $70; Lowry City, $50; Huntingdale, $50; Tipton, $50. Total, $590.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT:—East Side, $200; Independence, $50; Adrain, $50; Liberty St., $100; Rich Hill, $100; East Lynne, $100. Total, $600.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT:—Bolivar, $75; Cuba, $35; Dickson, $75; Eminence, $15; Hermitage, $25; Houston, $25; Marshfield, $100; Mountain Grove, $25; Salem, $75; Seymour and Ava, $25; West Plains, $100. Total, $575.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT:—Carterville and Webb City, $120; Joplin, $200; Marionville, $120; Pierce City, $120. Total, $560.

ROLLA DISTRICT:—California, $40; Bridgeton and Rock Springs, $40; Rolla, $50; Lebanon, $50; Elliott Ave., $55; Springfield Ct., $65; Neosho, $40; Joplin, $50; Greenfield, $40. Total, $430.

LEXINGTON DISTRICT:—Arrow Rock, $30; Butler, $20; Dresden, $30; Georgetown, $40; Holden, $40; Warrensburg, $60; Clinton, $50. Total, $270.

Total to the Conference, $4,000.

WM. STEPHENS, Secretary. I. J. K. LUNBECK, President.

I concur in the above missions and appropriations.

WILLIAM L. HARRIS.

OBSERVANCE OF THE SABBATH.

We reaffirm the correctness of the position taken by our church with regard to the observance of the Christian Sabbath. We recognize the great importance of this question as it stands related to the American people,

and recommend to our ministers and members to contend earnestly for the practical doctrines and teachings of the bible upon this subject.

We extend our sympathies to those in the employ of corporations over which they have no control, whereby they are hindered from keeping sacred the day of the Lord; and we also commend the action of managers of corporations in suspending, as far as possible, secular business on the Sabbath.

We also deeply regret that some of the members of our church do violate the sancity of the Sabbath by patronizing sunday newspapers, dairymen, ice dealers, and by going to the post office, meat market and doing unnecessary work on that holy day

We recommend that all of our pastors and local preachers, preach at least once a year on this subject.

T. PINGRY.
J. S. PORTER.
J. P. MARLATT.

PERIODICALS.

The Committee on Periodical Chruch Literature report as follows:

The work of the Christian ministry and the organized church at the present time has a versatility of aspects, resources and responsibilities unequalled in the past history of the race. Physical resources, mental activities and moral forces are spreading over the world, agencies of good and of evil unknown in other decades, and the rostrum, the pulpit and the press are prominent factors in the civilization of the age. There is no department of current human history, whether social, civil, ecclesiastical or religious, which is not reached, directly or indirectly, by the press. The grandest results may be anticipated in the future from an intelligent, moral and religious press, imbued with the great facts and principles of religious truth. The periodical literature of the Methodist Episcopal church is among the foremost in Christendom.

The Bi-Monthly Review has become venerable in the honored rank of the great monthlies.

Our Youth gives promise of doing a great work for our young people. We most earnestly commend it to them.

But the most cherished among our weeklies is our Central Christian Advocate, edited by Benj. St. James Fry, D. D., whose ability is not excelled by any editor in our church. We especially commend this paper, so noble and elevated in tone, to the universal patronage of our people in the patronizing Conferences, and especially to the members of our church in the St. Louis Conference. Therefore,

Resolved, That these periodicals deserves and should receive the universal patronage of the church.

Resolved, That the church is in duty bound to furnish ample information on all biblical, theological and ecclesiastical subjects; that it should be bold in the denunciations of evil of every kind, and especially that which is most generally practiced; that its influence should be given to promote holiness, repress intemperance, secure prohibitory laws and

lead our people to abandon such associations as interfere with law and order or the rights of persons and property.

Resolved, That the editorial management of the Central Christian Advocate by Dr. Fry meets our unqualified approval and that we have no better conducted paper under the patronage of the church.

All of which we respectfully submit.

Your Committee,

ALBERT JUMP,
J. K. TUTTLE,
H. M. HACKNEY.

PERMANENT FUND.

St. Louis Annual Conference.

DEAR BRETHREN;—Having been appointed at your last session, in connection with others, to perfect the organization of a corporation under the laws of this state, under the style of Trustees of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, and having been honored with the position of President of said corporation, it becomes my duty to submit to you the President's First Annual Report.

This corporation received its certificate from the Secretary of State, and became duly organized as a body politic on the 13th day of May, 1885. It will be manifest to you, from the terms and provisions of the charter, which will be laid before you in connection with this report, that the promoters of it sought to shield and guarantee the permanent funds, against loss or diminution, and at the same time to insure the prompt payment, to you, of the interest derived from the permanent fund, for distribution among the beneficiaries named in the charter.

On the 15th day of May, 1885, a meeting of the board of directors was held at the office of Union M. E. Church in St. Louis, at the hour of 3 o'clock P. M., at which Seneca N. Taylor was elected President, Dr. C. P. Masden, Secretary, and W. H. Craig, Treasurer of said Corporation.

Power to elect directors is vested solely in your body. You will perceive that every year it will devolve on you to elect three, in order to keep your board full. Those whom you elect this year, will hold their office for three years unless their office is made vacant by your electing others in their stead.

By-laws have not been approved, and under the charter, cannot be without action on your part. I have sketched a few simple ones, which are submited herewith for your adoption or rejection. Those relating to the duties of the President and Secretary are of some importance, yet little as compared with the one defining the duties and obligations of the Treasurer. I feel that the permanent fund is perfectly safe in the hands of our present treasurer, but is it not best while we have so reliable a man, to establish a precedent, which will protect the permanent fund in time to come? Safety for the future, it seems to me, would require the passage of this by-law defining the duties of the treasurer, in substantially the form here submitted.

The Treasurers Report will doubtless lay before you the amount of the permanent fund, the interest derived there from forthe current year, touching the same, and such other matters as you may wish to know.

Increase of the permanent fund is a matter of prime importance, and, to this end, would it not be well to publish in connection with your minutes, the form of a will, by which charitably disposed persons, while providing for others, may have, at least, a legal form for making a bequest to this charity?

Publishing in your minutes the form of a will, for leaving bequests to this charity, it is thought, might result in benefit, and to that end, find herewith a proper form. Conference Claimants appeal to the gratitude as well as sympathy of all, and with the co-operation of ministers and laymen, the permanent fund in a few years may be increased to such a magnitude, as, that the interest theron will relieve many of that worthy class this charity was founded to assist. That God may move the hearts of our people to bestow liberally of their means to this fund for the assistance of our needy Conference Claimants, is my earnest hope and prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

SENECA N. TAYLOR,

St. Louis March 12d, 1886. President.

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ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That, with the intent of forming ourselves into a Benevolent Corporation for the purpose of receiving, holding, administering and disposing of such gifts, bequests and contributions of money and property, real and personal, as may be made from time to time for the benefit of "Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church," with all the rights, privileges, franchises and immunities which can or may be allowed, exercised or enjoyed, under and by virtue of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Missouri, we, the undersigned, members of the Methodist Episcopal church, do hereby adopt the following articles of association:

ARTICLE I. The corporate name of this association shall be the "Trustees of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church."

ART. II. All monies and property, real, personal and mixed, acquired by said Association shall be vested in said corporation, its in corporate name, to be held, used, administered and disposed of for the use and benefit of "Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church," in such manner as shall be provided by the by-laws of said Association.

ART. III. The trustees of said corporation shall consist of nine members, who shall be possessed of the powers usual to trustees of like corporations, and they shall administer their trust in pursuance of the

by-laws of such corporation, which shall be adopted by them and approved of by the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

ART. IV. Any person residing within the bounds of said Annual Conference, and of good standing in the Methodist Episcopal Church, shall be eligible to the office of Trustee. The first board of trustees shall consist of Seneca N. Taylor and Edwin O. Stanard, of St. Louis, and Wm. H. Craig, of Kansas City, who shall hold their office for three years; and of Dr. J. H. McLean, of St. Louis, W. W. Kendall, of Kansas City, and R. B. Robinson, of Lamar, who shall hold their office for two years; and of W. H. Reed, of Kansas City, A. H. Heinlein, of Lamar, and C. P. Masden, of St. Louis, who shall hold their office for one year. So that there shall be three new trustees to be elected each year hereafter, who, when so elected, shall hold their office for the period of three years, unless the office is vacated by reason of death, or such causes as may be provided by the by-laws. The power to elect and remove trustees shall be vested solely in the "St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church."

ART. V. The Board of Trustees shall have power to elect their own Presiding Officer and Secretary and Treasurer. They may adopt such rules, regulations and by-laws for the government of such corporation as they may deem advisable, not in conflict with the letter and spirit of these Articles of Association; but no such by-laws shall become operative until approved by the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

ART. VI. Power shall exist to provide by by-laws for the sale and transfer of property acquired by this Association for the purpose of reinvesting the proceeds on productive property or lending the same on prime real estate security. But no by-law shall be passed for the distribution of the principal of the permanent fund. It being the intent that the principal fund shall be kept intact, and that it may accumulate by subscription, gifts and bequests, and that the income derived from the permanent fund shall be used yearly for the benefit of said Conference Claimants, under the direction of said St. Louis Annual Conference.

ART. VII. These Articles of Association may be altered or amended by a two-thirds majority of the Board of Trustees, at any regular meeting, provided the proposed amendment has first been approved by said Annual Conference.

ART. VIII. The first meeting of the Board of Directors shall be held at the office of Union M. E. church, in St. Louis, at the hour of 3 o'clock P. M., on May 15, 1885, and subsequent meetings at such times and places as may be provided by by-laws.

In witness whereof the said Trustees have hereunto set their hands and seals this ..... day of April, 1885.

BY-LAWS.

I. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at meetings of the Board of Directors, and from time to time, convene said Board and lay before it the condition of the affairs of the said company and such other matters germain thereto, as shall tend to promote its interests. He shall make yearly a report to the St. Louis Annual Conference, containing information as to the condition of said corporation, with such suggestions as he may deem expedient for its efficiency.

II. The Secretary shall keep in a well bound book a record of all meetings of the Board of Directors, and of the St. Louis Annual Conference, so far as the same relates directly to this corporation, and he shall record in said book the yearly reports of the President and Treasurer.

III. The Treasurer of said corporation shall be required to execute with two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Board of Directors, a bond in favor of this corporation in a penal sum double the amount of the permanent fund in his hands, conditional as follows:

IV. The Treasurer shall loan out the permanent funds of this corporation on prime real estate security, worth two and a half times as much as the sum loaned, and in all cases such security must be the first lien upon the property taken as such. And if any part of the value consists in buildings, then such treasurer must, at his peril, see that the property is kept properly insured in a good and solvent insurance company, with the loss, if any, payable to the trustee in the deed of trust securing said loan.

V. The Treasurer shall make yearly a report to the St. Louis Annual Conference, stating in detail his receipts and disbursements, the amount of the permanent fund, how invested and what rate of interest it bears, and also pay over to the Annual Conference the interest and net income derived from the permanent fund, to be used in accordance with the charter of this company.

The Board of Directors shall hold their meetings for the transaction of business at such times and places as to them may seem best for the interest of this company. Such meetings may be convened at the call of the President, or if for any reason he is unable or unwilling to act, then on the call of the Secretary, and a majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

WILL.

I,.....of.....in the county.....and State of Missouri, being of sound mind and memory, hereby make this my last will and testament.

First, It is my desire, that as soon after my death as practicable, my executor, hereafter named, shall pay all my just debts.

Second, I give and bequeath unto "Trustees of the Permanent Fund

for Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church," a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of the Missouri, for charitable purposes, the sum of.....dollars, to have, hold and enjoy for the uses and purposes declared by the charter of said corporation.

Third, I give and bequeath unto..... the sum of.....Dollars.

Fourth, All the rest and residue of my property, real, personal and mixed, I give, bequeath and devise unto..... .....

Fifth, I hereby appoint.....executor of this, my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

Dated this.....day of.....188...

[Sign here.] .....

We attest the above and foregoing will, by subscribing our names hereto as witnesses, in the presence of....., the testator, this.....day of.....188...

[Two witnesses here.] { .....
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BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Last year we distributed $1,014 between fourteen Conference Claimants. This year we have $1,136, and twenty Conference Claimants. The fund has increased only about eleven per cent., and the number of claimants fifty per cent. The receipts are as follows and distributed as follows: (See Stewards' financial report, page 31.)

The Board of Stewards present also for your consideration the following resolutions:

Resolved, That in view of our limited funds in this St. Louis Conference, we earnestly ask the Maine Conference (from which Brother A. J. Clifford was so recently transferred) to take some special action in behalf of Sister Clifford and family as Conference Claimants.

Resolved, That in view of the many claims and limited funds in this St. Louis Conference, we respectfully request the Indiana Conference, from which Brother McNutt came to us, to consider in some special manner the claims of Sister McNutt as a Conference Claimant.

O. M. STEWART, Secretary. J. B. DANIEL, President.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND TRACTS.

We, your Committee on Sunday Schools and Tracts, report as follows: The amount raised for Sunday Schools this year is $207.08 and Tracts $192.38, making the total collection this year $399.46, an increase from last year of $45.36.

We regard the Sunday School as a very important part of our church.

We urge all our pastors to observe the rules of our discipline in its organization and in the distribution of tracts.

WM. BUCK, Secretary. J. B. BREWINGTON, Chairman.

TEMPERANCE.

Believing that the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicating liquors as a beverage is the principal source of evil in this nation and is destructive of the best interests of society; that it affects adversely the political, economic, industrial, commercial and social interests; that it is uncompromising of the church; that its continued use, even in moderate quantities, according to the laws of heredity, poisons manhood in its embryonic state and lays the foundation for multiplied forms of disease, and tends toward the physical and mental deterioration of the human race; Therefore,

Resolved, 1st—That we are in favor of compulsory instruction in the public schools upon the effects of alcohol upon the physical system.

2d. We do not deem it expedient for this Conference to commend or condemn any political party. We believe that the church should insist upon pure, patriotic and political righteousness, and leave its members to meet their obligations of citizenship, free from any ecclesiastical dictation.

3d. That we unqualifiedly condemn the license system, and believe that any attempt to regulate the traffic by license, or to tax it for revenue, is a crime against humanity, to which the voters and legislators are accessory.

4th. That the only safeguard of society against the aggressive power of the liquor traffic is constitutional prohibition, enforced by vigorous but conservative legislation.

5th. That we courteously but persistently request the next General Assembly of this state to submit a prohibitory amendment to a vote of the people, free from any evasive entanglements, and we hereby pledge ourselves to labor for the submission of this issue to the qualified voters of this state.

6th. That we recommend this Conference to arrange for a temperence mass meeting, under its auspices, at its next session.

G. W. HUGHEY, Sec'y. W. JONES.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

We, your committee, report that the works of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society are worthy of our most hearty endorsement, and that we are ready to co-operate with the women of this Society in all proper means to help them in the advancement of their noble cause. Further, we will encourage the organization of auxiliaries in all our charges, and will gladly welcome them as fellow-workers in the great missionary enterprises of our beloved church.

A. H. HEINLEIN,
S. ING,
W. G. COWEN.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Report by districts as follows:

St. Louis District	$161 75
Sedalia "	50
Kansas City "	25
Carthage "	00
Springfield "	50
Lexington "	70
Rolla "	6 02
Total for Conference	$184 72

D. KIVETT, Sec'y.

CERTIFICATES.

This is to certify that in the city of Warrensburg, Missouri, on the 28th day of March, 1886, the following named persons were, by me, ordained to the order of Deacons in the Methodist Episcopal church, namely: Charles E. Evans, Samuel Evans, George W. King, Thomas H. Corkill and Thomas H. Hawkins.

And in the same place, on the same day, several Elders assisting in the services, the following named persons were ordained to the order of Elders in the Methodist Episcopal church, namely: Alexander L. Walker, Beriah McCain and Henry McAllister.

And this is to further certify that at the same place and time, Wm. T. Pyles took upon himself the ordination vows of a Deacon, and Wesley Monroe Creamer, John W. Russell and David L. Irvin took upon themselves severally, the ordination vows of an Elder in the Methodist Episcopal church.

Given under my hand at Warrensburg, Missouri, this 29th day of March, 1886. WILLIAM L. HARRIS.

I certify that this volume is a correct and complete record of the proceedings of the St. Louis Conference, held in Warrensburg, Mo., March 25—30, 1886.

Henry R. Miller,

Secretary St. Louis Conference.

STATISTICS NO. 1. ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

	NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedn'ss on Church property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses, sex
1	Bloomfield	15	201	5	5	3	31	4½	2,900	1	400	1032		331	
2	Bonne Terre and Mineral Point	22	59	1	1	4	11	1	1,200			182			
3	Crystal City	36	56			4	15	2	3,000			1708		250	
4	Crystal City Ct	8	77	1	1	11	15	2	550						
5	Lutesville and Cape Girardeau	11	125	2	2	11	5	5	2,850	1	350	105			
6	De Soto	5	37	1	1	3	1	1	1,000						
7	Farmington	9	83	2		1	5	1	3,000			13			
8	Fredericktown	42	104	1	3	6	12	4	1,500			300		30	
9	Ironton and Piedmont	57	101	1		6	13	3	2,000	2	500	100			
10	Marble Hill														
11	Pacific and Calvey		23					2	3,600						
12	Perryville	12	163		3	10	2	6	3,600	1	600	127			
13	St. Louis, Carondelet	16	124			10	4	1	1,200			30			
14	" Central	6	126	2		3	7	1	20,000					6000	
15	" Goode Avenue	13	88		1	2	5	1	2,000				70	180	
16	" St. Luke's	18	51		1	2		1	5,000				36	500	
17	" Trinity	30	180	1	6	18	15	1	15,000				425	1374	
18	" Union Mission }														
19	" Union }	36	605		3	6	4	1	83,000	1	10500		1400		
20	" Water Tower	33	86	1	3	10	1	1	3,000						
21	Sullivan	20	31	1	2	3	13	1⅓	400			50			
22	Webster														
	Totals	389	2320	19	32	113	159	39⅚	$154,800	6	$12350	$3647	$1931	$8665	$1

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

1	Appleton City	3	100		1	2	11	1	4,000	1	600	300		600	
2	Aullville and Dresden	8	129		2	5		3	5,000			152			
3	Brownington	6	44		2	2	2	1	1,000			50			
4	Clinton	16	189	1	3		19	1	3,000						
5	High Point	12	115				2	2½	1,400			125			
6	Huntingdale	60	168			1	32	3¼	3,700	1	250	10			
7	Knobnoster	15	175	1	2	1	4	5	6,600	1	700			34	
8	Lebeck	10	148	5			1	2¼	625	1	75				
9	Marshall	4	77		1		11	2	5,550	1	1000	575	600		
10	Malta Bend		65		1			2	2,200	1	800	50			
11	Montrose	8	163		1	1	9	3	2,550	1	900	32		225	
12	Osceola	8	111		2	2	5	2	4,500	1	1200	34			
13	Rockville	26	101	1				2	2,200	1	800		65	600	
14	Schell City	40	71		1			2	3,000			900			
15	Sedalia, Ohio St	9	277	3				1	25,000	1	3000		500	12590	
16	" Montgomery St	27	142	1		1	15	1	2,000	1	1200	13	180	1188	
17	Smithton and Pilot Grove	8	248		3	2	9	2	4,000	1	600	31			
18	Tipton	10	140		2		1	2	2,000	1	600			80	
19	Warrensburg	13	175		2	1		1	5,500	1	2000	275			
20	Warsaw	14	98	2		2	2	2½	3,100	1	600	100		50	
21	Windsor	15	110	2	2	2	8	2	2,200	1	1000				
	Totals	312	2846	16	25	22	131	43½	$89,125	16	$15325	$2647	$1345	15367	$15

TISTICS NO. 1.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

UNDAY HOOLS.		BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.												MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.		
		FOR MISSIONS.														
No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday Schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Womans's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
21	153	15 25	2 75	18 00	7 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	10 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	502 00	2 00	.....
8	60	5 00	1 00	6 00	.....	.....	.....	1 00	4 00	.....	.....	.....	230 00	2 00	.....
16	92	5 00	.....	5 00	4 00	1 00	1 00	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	299 00	.....	40
15	171	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	55	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	63 30	.....	.....
24	145	19 50	.....	19 50	50	50	50	50	1 00	50	50	50	172 40	1 00	.....
8	70	6 00	3 00	9 00	.....	.....	.....	2 00	1 20	.....	.....	1 65	318 95	2 00	.....
14	97	8 00	3 50	11 50	50	.....	25	25	25	.....	25	25	348 50	75	.....
20	75	8 00	.....	8 00	25	25	25	50	50	25	50	50	200 50	50	.....
8	60	10 01	3 99	14 00	1 00	1 00	50	1 00	1 00	50	5 82	.....	445 00	1 00	.....
...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	330 00	.....	.....
...	....	29 25	.....	29 25	2 00	2 00	1 00	2 00	14 00	1 00	.....	.....	363 00	2 00	.....
27	175	30 00	.....	30 00	7 00	2 00	2 00	3 10	2 63	.....	.....	.....	958 00	7 00	.....
16	80	60 00	19 00	79 00	5 00	2 00	1 00	5 00	9 75	.....	45 35	.....	1055 00	12 00	.....
20	250	50 00	25 00	75 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	5 00	3 20	1 00	1 00	1 00	863 00	3 00	.....
11	108	15 00	.....	15 00	5 00	5 00	1 00	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	723 86	3 00	.....
30	275	40 00	10 00	50 00	8 00	2 00	1 00	3 00	2 00	.....	.....	7 10	1300 00	5 00	21
...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
55	400	1625 85	1047 66	2673 51	100 00	20 00	20 00	100 00	500 00	30 00	519 35	146 00	5300 00	256 19	1800
22	273	15 00	10 10	25 10	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	4 66	50	31 10	4 50	859 00	2 00	.....
4	25	8 60	.....	8 60	1 00	10	10	.....	40	10	25	25	62 50	1 00	500
...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
319	2509	$1950 46	$1126 00	$3076 46	$144 25	$40 40	$33 15	$130 35	$563 59	$34 85	$604 87	$162 75	$14394 01	$300 44	$1866

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14	120	32 00	.....	32 00	7 00	3 00	2 00	5 00	3 00	50	1 00	50	690 25	10 00	50 00
18	132	15 50	4 50	20 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	294 20	3 00	.....
6	30	7 35	20	7 55	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68 45	35	.....
22	224	46 00	24 00	70 00	12 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	8 25	.....	24 50	.....	1324 70	16 00	32 00
9	70	10 00	.....	10 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 50	1 00	.....	.....	.....	478 05	2 00	.....
27	160	20 00	.....	20 00	.....	1 00	1 00	5 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	425 25	3 00	.....
28	123	23 00	.....	23 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....	5 00	.....	12 00	.....	619 79	3 00	.....
14	23	2 30	.....	2 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	160 00	50	.....
17	69	25 00	5 00	30 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	9 00	1 00	.....	.....	741 24	2 00	38 00
21	104	20 00	.....	20 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	5 00	.....	2 00	.....	662 90	5 00	.....
20	115	15 00	.....	15 00	2 00	.....	.....	50	3 25	.....	.....	.....	436 45	1 00	.....
27	220	40 00	10 00	50 00	6 00	2 00	1 50	4 00	2 50	.....	.....	.....	740 20	5 00	50 00
25	126	16 85	1 15	18 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	5 00	.....	.....	.....	394 40	3 00	.....
9	100	22 00	.....	22 00	1 00	50	50	50	1 50	.....	20 00	.....	227 50	2 00	.....
24	238	154 00	80 00	234 00	20 00	.....	.....	15 00	30 00	.....	34 00	.....	2099 25	13 60	.....
15	145	65 00	10 00	75 00	3 00	2 50	3 00	5 00	8 50	.....	17 00	.....	840 00	6 00	.....
36	240	125 00	75 00	200 00	16 00	8 00	8 00	12 00	35 00	2 00	31 00	.....	867 70	16 00	40 00
20	80	10 90	2 87	13 77	1 61	42 05		1 00	5 00	.....	1 00	.....	426 90	1 50	.....
19	78	29 00	.....	29 00	8 00	4 00	4 00	5 00	4 00	.....	22 00	.....	650 00	10 00	.....
28	204	20 00	.....	20 00	3 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	610 65	5 00	.....
25	111	43 00	2 00	45 00	4 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	7 30	1 50	2 00	.....	552 45	7 00	12 50
414	2712	$741 90	$214 72	$956 62	$96 71	$35 52	$34 15	$75 50	$140 30	$5 00	$166 50	50	$13310 33	$114 95	222 50

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.								
			Pastors.			Presid. Elders.		Bishops		Conf. Cl'mts.	
			Claims, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Receipts, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	Bloomfield	D. W. Crow	450*	450 00	.....	50 00	50 00	3 00	2 00	3 00	2 00
2	Bonne Terre and Mineral Point	O. Lunbeck	350	202 00	148 00	25 00	25 00	3 00	3 00	2 00	2 00
3	Crystal City	S. Warner	600	274 00	326 00	40 00	22 18	2 00	2 00	2 00	.....
4	Crystal City Ct	Walter Gardenhire	100	53 15	46 85	15 00	11 15	2 00	.....	1 00	.....
5	Lutesville and Cape Gerardeau	G. W. King (supply)	280*	136 90	143 10	15 00	35 00	2 00	50	1 00	1 00
6	De Soto	Francis Ballaine	400	300 00	100 00	50 00	18 25	3 00	15	2 00	2 00
7	Farmington	C. E. Heaton	400	365 00	35 00	65 00	56 50	5 00	2 00	10 00	75
8	Fredericktown	J. H. Denman (supply)	200	175 00	25 00	55 00	20 00	6 00	50	6 00	50
9	Ironton and Piedmont	B. F. Thomas	500*	400 00	100 00	50 00	42 66	3 00	2 00	5 00	1 00
10	Marble Hill	Supply	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	Pacific and Calvey	G. W. Keener (supply)	550	317 90	232 10	50 00	8 90	3 00	.....	2 00	.....
12	Perryville	Mordecai Bell	460*	322 00	138 00	55 00	40 30	3 00	2 00	2 00	2 00
13	St. Louis, Carondelet	G. W. Hughey	900	900 00	.....	75 00	50 00	8 00	8 00	5 00	7 00
14	" Central	A. Jump	1000	1000 00	.....	50 00	50 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	12 00
15	" Goode Ave.	Jos. P. Marlatt	800	800 00	.....	55 00	55 00	5 00	8 00	3 00	3 00
16	" St. Luke's	W. T. Neff	800	666 36	133 64	55 00	55 00	5 00	5 00	3 00	3 00
17	" Trinity	W. K. Collins	1200	1200 00	.....	85 00	85 00	15 00	15 00	5 00	5 00
18	" Union Mission	L. Hallock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	" Union	C. P. Masden	4600*	4600 00	.....	575 00	575 00	300 00	150 00	338 00	256 19
20	" Water Tower	T. H. Hagerty	800	720 00	80 00	75 00	60 80	5 00	2 00	3 00	2 00
21	Sullivan	F. M. Stickney	300	53 00	247 00	35 00	9 86	2 00	50	1 00	1 00
22	Webster Ct	P. Huddleston (supply)	.....	.....	.....	40 00	12 95	2 00	.....	1 00	.....
			$14690	13068 95	$1621 05	$1500 00	$1283 55	$382 00	$207 65	$400 00	$300 44

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. Pastors. Claims, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Pastors. Receipts, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Pastors. Deficiencies.	Presid. Elders. Apportioned.	Presid. Elders. Paid.	Bishops Apportioned.	Bishops Paid.	Conf. Cl'mts. Apportioned.	Conf. Cl'mts. Paid.
1	Appleton City	C. V. Criss	675	625	50	62 50	57 50	8 25	7 75	10 00	10 00
2	Aullville and Dresden	C. Brough	450	265	185	41 65	25 60	5 55	4 00	5 00	3 00
3	Brownington	G. Mohrweis (supply)	125	52	73	20 00	15 60	1 50	85	1 00	35
4	Clinton	W. P. Armstrong	1200	1200	.....	111 00	110 00	14 70	14 70	16 00	16 00
5	High Point	H. A. Toland	400	436	.....	37 00	41 50	5 00	5 00	4 00	2 00
6	Huntingdale	I. M. Galbraith	436	385	51	40 50	35 65	5 40	4 75	6 00	3 00
7	Knobnoster	J. Pine	600	561	39	55 55	52 00	7 35	6 90	8 00	3 00
8	Lebeck	Jas. H. Vaughn (supply)	375	129	246	34 75	30 00	4 60	1 65	3 00	50
9	Marshall	W. G. Cowan	850	667	183	78 70	65 45	10 30	8 50	8 00	2 00
10	Malta Bend	E. J. Hunt	600	600	.....	55 55	55 60	7 35	7 35	8 00	5 00
11	Montrose	J. B. Daniel	550	395	155	51 00	36 55	6 75	4 75	6 00	1 00
12	Osceola	John Ashley	670	670	.....	62 00	62 00	8 20	8 20	8 00	5 00
13	Rockville	.....	600	356	244	55 55	34 00	7 35	4 37	5 00	3 00
14	Schell City	A. S. Atherton (supply)	400	205	195	37 00	20 00	5 00	2 50	5 00	2 00
15	Sedalia, Ohio St	W. Jones	1900	1900	.....	176 00	176 00	23 25	23 25	39 00	13 60
16	" Montgomery St	J. H. Gillespie	850	762	88	78 70	70 00	10 30	8 00	10 00	6 00
17	Smithton and Pilot Grove	W. V. Hamel	785	785	.....	72 70	72 70	9 60	10 00	16 00	16 00
18	Tipton	J. K. Tuttle	550	395	155	51 00	29 60	6 75	2 30	7 00	1 50
19	Warrensburg	D. T. Mattison	950	650	300	88 00	88 00	11 65	11 65	16 00	10 00
20	Warsaw	A. L. Walker	600	553	47	55 55	51 15	7 35	6 80	7 00	5 00
21	Windsor	J. L. Porter	600	500	100	55 55	46 80	7 35	6 15	7 00	7 00
			$14166	$12091	$2111	$1320 25	$1175 70	$173 55	$149 42	$176 00	$111 95

STATISTICS NO. 1. KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

	NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP. No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	BAPTISMS. No. of Children Baptised.	No. of Adults Baptized.	CHURCH PROPERTY. No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses, sexton, light, fuel, etc.
1	Adrian	84	114	2	2	1	26	2	4274	..	.....	.....	1233	636	61
2	Austin and Pleasant Valley	42	125	2	....	5	15	3	3500	1	200	60	.....	.....	106
3	Belton	21	171	1	1	1	24	2⅔	2100	..	.....	.....	4776	50	75
4	Butler	5	25	....	....	3	5	1	4000	1	1500	150	15	.....	75
5	Butler Ct	12	153	....	4	3	....	1½	1400	1	1200	30	.....	216	.....
6	East Lynn	60	85	....	....	....	15	2¼	4700	1	400	1600	.....	700	65
7	Harrisonville	35	36	....	1	2	10	1	700	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	Holden	5	159	....	1	....	....	1	5000	1	2000	10	150	400	225
9	Holden Ct	14	177	1	1	....	12	3¾	4500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	80
10	Independence	7	96	....	1	1	12	2	5000	1	2000	105	.....	340	140
11	Kansas City, Dundee Place	116	240	3	4	5	9	1	30000	..	.....	140	3530	.....	350
12	" Grand Ave	125	650	4	5	12	14	1	75000	..	.....	1200	.....	.....	2500
13	" Liberty St	4	34	....	....	5	5	1	4500	1	1500	.....	.....	.....	125
14	" Summit St	10	80	1	1	....	....	1	9000	1	4000	500	150	.....	250
15	Lee's Summit	2	78	....	2	2	....	1	700	..	.....	500	.....	.....	40
16	Mechlin	31	111	1	....	....	....	2	2500	1	400	45	.....	.....	40
17	Pleasant Hill	17	96	....	....	3	2	1	1500	1	500	102	.....	.....	100
18	Rich Hill	52	200	....	2	1	5	3	4600	..	.....	.....	885	785	65
		642	2630	15	25	44	154	30⅔	$162974	10	$13760	$4502	$10739	$3127	$4297

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

1	Ash Grove and Orleans	22	180	3	1	....	7	2⅓	1500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	Bolivar	18	200	1	2	3	2	3	3700	..	.....	800	65	800	100
3	Buffalo and Urbana	37	353	6	12	2	15	2½	2000	1	1000	600	.....	.....	50
4	Conway	2	204	1	3	7	2	4	3200	..	.....	37	53	50	.....
5	Cuba	31	376	5	....	12	15	2	1600	1	500	38	.....	.....	70
6	Dixon	10	88	....	....	1	3	1	1500	..	.....	388	.....	354	10
7	Eminence	11	50	....	....	2	1	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8	Hartville	17	214	1	3	4	12	1	1200	1	800	.....	75	285	.....
9	Hermitage	5	94	1	2	1	2	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10	Houston	....	[35]	....	....	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	Humansville	8	130	3	....	3	4	1½	700	1	500	30	.....	.....	30
12	Iberia	3	78	1	....	....	2	2½	.....	1	300	60	6	23	25
13	Lebanon	61	104	....	1	3	4	1	5000	1	800	146	.....	27	91
14	Licking	32	113	1	1	....	1	1	1000	1	418	118	.....	.....	.....
15	Marshfield	3	30	....	....	....	....	1	3500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	150
16	Mountain Grove	40	128	1	1	....	....	1	400	..	.....	600	.....	.....	15
17	North Springfield	21	211	....	1	25	17	1	6000	..	.....	55	.....	775	100
18	Ozark	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	Republic	9	225	1	5	2	14	1	400	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	Richland	37	225	1	1	1	19	2	3000	1	600	25	360	200	60
21	Rolla	75	79	1	1	3	6	1	6000	1	1000	400	.....	400	100
22	Roubidoux	2	40	1	2	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23	Salem	....	[119]	....	....	....	....	1	1500	1	800	35	.....	.....	50
24	Seymour	43	150	4	....	3	17	½	200	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
25	Springfield	53	320	1	3	2	14	2	15600	..	.....	825	.....	500	300
26	Strafford	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
27	Vichy Springs	27	115	1	....	....	11	2	2000	..	.....	50	.....	130	100
28	West Plains	....	[81]	....	....	....	....	2	4700	..	1300	150	200	1064	75
		568	3042	34	39	74	168	36⅓	$64700	11	$8018	$4357	$759	$4608	$1326

ATISTICS NO. 1. KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Sunday Schools.			Benevolent Collections.												Ministerial Support.		
	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	For Missions. From Churches.	For Missions. From Sunday Schools.	For Missions. Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
3	30	169	30 00	.....	30 00	...	1 35	2 00	4 80	18 50	.....	.....	.....	561 20	6 00	.....
2	24	121	53 35	7 08	60 45	9 00	4 50	4 50	7 20	3 60	.....	.....	.....	709 52	9 00	25 00
2	19	126	33 36	20 38	53 74	8 00	4 00	4 00	6 40	5 90	.....	.....	.....	666 75	8 00	.....
1	15	160	50 00	30 00	80 00	12 00	4 00	2 00	10 00	9 30	.....	11 00	.....	1000 00	12 00	.....
1	7	35	40 00	.....	40 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	5 60	2 00	.....	.....	.....	594 05	6 00	.....
3	.....	.....	40 00	.....	40 00	6 00	3 00	3 00	.....	20 00	1 00	.....	.....	537 00	6 00	.....
1	12	75	2 68	17 32	20 00	4 00	2 00	2 00	3 20	8 31	1 00	.....	.....	406 78	4 00	25 00
1	19	126	55 00	10 00	65 00	5 00	3 00	3 00	5 00	5 00	.....	55 00	.....	1122 00	13 00	.....
2	16	100	10 00	.....	10 00	1 00	1 00	50	.....	.....	50	1 00	.....	335 65	5 00	30 00
1	8	78	40 00	20 50	60 50	9 00	4 50	4 50	7 20	6 77	.....	20 50	.....	844 00	9 00	50 00
3	50	435	108 00	.....	108 00	22 00	7 00	7 00	12 00	7 00	.....	32 00	.....	2824 20	16 00	331 00
1	75	1200	825 00	200 00	1025 00	474 00	26 50	26 50	181 00	3155 00	20 00	541 00	.....	3333 75	100 00	.....
1	14	150	25 00	15 50	40 50	6 00	3 00	3 00	5 00	2 50	25	1 00	25	900 00	6 00	.....
1	20	180	24 51	35 49	60 00	12 00	6 00	6 00	10 00	10 35	.....	29 00	.....	1594 00	12 00	50 00
1	15	100	24 00	1 00	25 00	2 50	2 50	1 55	3 50	5 70	.....	.....	.....	336 50	8 00	.....
1	6	40	40 00	.....	40 00	8 00	4 00	1 00	6 40	10 60	.....	6 80	.....	560 00	5 00	.....
1	12	140	22 00	18 00	40 00	6 00	3 00	3 00	5 00	4 80	.....	.....	.....	582 50	6 00	5 00
3	33	248	53 00	14 00	67 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	22 00	.....	.....	.....	800 00	20 00	30 00
7	375	3477	$1475 90	$389 27	$1865 19	699 50	$85 35	$79 55	$277 30	3297 33	$22 75	$697 30	25	$17707 90	$251 00	546 00

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3	.....	.....	2 00	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....
2	15	110	32 00	.....	32 00	4 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	12 05	.....	.....	.....	615 00	4 00	100 00
2	12	75	40 00	.....	40 00	4 00	1 50	3 70	1 65	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	415 85	6 25	40 00
	.....	.....	2 75	.....	2 75	35	20	20	3 00	20	.....	2 25	2 25	199 05	40	.....
	.....	.....	13 20	.....	13 20	1 72	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	.....	286 76	.....	.....
2	10	50	20 00	.....	20 00	3 00	1 00	1 00	3 00	1 00	.....	2 00	.....	246 00	3 00	.....
	7	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	64 50	.....	.....
2	16	64	3 50	.....	3 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	1 00	143 50	1 00	.....
	.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95 55	1 00	.....
	.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	.....	.....	10 00	.....	10 00	2 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	307 00	4 00	.....
	.....	.....	4 00	.....	4 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	217 45	.....	.....
	18	160	50 00	.....	50 00	4 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	20 00	.....	.....	.....	926 00	4 00	5 00
	21	74	8 00	.....	8 00	2 00	50	50	50	50	50	1 50	.....	348 56	3 00	6 00
	10	50	20 00	5 00	25 00	3 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	9 15	.....	3 00	2 00	356 00	3 00	.....
	.....	.....	3 00	.....	3 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	186 30	.....	.....
	19	200	20 00	16 00	36 00	4 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	16 00	2 00	.....	.....	904 00	3 00	50 00
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	6	40	3 30	.....	3 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 30	.....	.....	.....	247 00	.....	.....
	18	150	15 00	.....	15 00	5 00	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	254 00	1 00	.....
	10	100	17 00	18 00	35 00	4 00	1 50	1 50	2 00	11 00	1 00	2 00	1 00	734 00	5 00	10 00
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	140 35	.....	.....
	6	35	23 00	.....	23 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	289 00	.....	.....
	.....	.....	5 00	.....	5 00	2 00	1 00	50	5 00	1 00	50	1 00	1 00	183 00	1 00	10 00
	30	200	146 00	29 00	175 00	12 00	4 00	3 00	10 00	12 00	2 00	34 00	8 50	1695 00	30 00	20 00
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	22	160	6 00	14 00	20 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	372 00	2 00	.....
	20	180	16 70	.....	16 70	2 00	50	50	60	1 80	.....	.....	.....	687 00	2 00	20 00
	240	1673	$480 45	$82 00	$562 45	$58 07	$20 20	$20 90	$40 75	$91 00	$7 00	$48 75	$17 75	$9914 57	$73 65	261 00

STATISTICS NO. 2. KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.								
			Pastors.			Presid. Elders.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'nts	
			Claims, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Receipts, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	Adrian	Thomas Pingry	500 00	500 00	.....	55 00	55 00	6 20	6 20	6 00	6 00
2	Austin and Pleasant Valley	B. F. January	700 00	631 62	68 38	70 00	70 00	7 90	7 90	9 00	9 00
3	Belton	O. B. Jones	600 00	600 00	.....	60 00	60 00	6 75	6 75	8 00	8 00
4	Butler	R. R. Pierce	900 00	900 00	.....	90 00	90 00	10 15	10 00	12 00	12 00
5	Butler Ct	T. H. Corkill	590 00	535 00	55 00	59 00	53 65	6 65	6 00	7 00	6 00
6	East Lynn	A. P. Sallaway	478 00	478 00	.....	52 80	52 80	6 00	6 00	6 00	6 00
7	Harrisonville	B. A. Disney	500 00	400 00	100 00	60 00	54 60	6 75	6 15	4 00	4 00
8	Holden	John Ingram (supply)	1000 00	1000 00	.....	109 15	109 15	12 90	12 90	13 00	13 00
9	Holden Ct	W. F Baker	500 00	304 50	195 50	50 00	31 15	5 65	3 00	7 00	5 00
10	Independence	H. M. Hackney	750 00	750 00	.....	85 00	85 00	9 60	9 60	9 00	9 00
11	Kansas City, Dundee Place	O. J. Cowles	2542 00	2542 00	.....	254 20	254 20	28 00	28 00	16 00	16 00
12	" Grand Ave	C. W. Parsons	3000 00	3000 00	.....	300 00	300 00	33 75	33 75	53 00	100 00
13	" Liberty St	J. H. Hard	800 00	800 00	.....	90 00	90 00	10 15	10 00	6 00	6 00
14	" Summit St	A. K. Johnson	1440 00	1440 00	.....	150 00	150 00	13 50	4 00	12 00	12 00
15	Lee's Summit	J. N. Pierce	600 00	303 00	297 00	60 00	30 25	6 75	3 00	8 00	8 00
16	Mechlin	Stanford Ing	500 00	500 00	.....	50 00	50 00	5 65	5 00	8 00	5 00
17	Pleasant Hill	D. Kivett	525 00	525 00	.....	52 50	52 50	5 90	5 00	6 00	6 00
18	Rich Hill	Frank Exley	700 00	700 00	.....	90 00	90 00	10 15	10 00	10 00	20 00
			$16625 00	$15909 12	$715 88	$1737 65	$1678 30	$192 40	$173 25	$200 00	$251 00

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.								
			Pastors.			Presid. Elders.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'nts	
			Claims, including House Rent, or R'nt'l Value of Parsonages.	Receipts, including House Rent, or R'nt'l Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	Ash Grove and Orleans	J. T. Craig (supply)	.....	.....	.....	45 00	.....	3 00	1 00	2 00	.....
2	Bolivar	J. B. Brewington	600 00	549 00	51 00	72 00	65 60	6 00	6 00	6 00	4 00
3	Buffalo and Urbana	W. F. Yeager	484 00	440 00	44 00	60 00	54 15	6 00	5 00	8 00	6 25
4	Conway	E. T. S Darby (supply)	228 00	171 00	57 00	40 00	27 00	4 00	45	3 00	40
5	Cuba	W. T. Campbell (supply)	400 00	250 00	150 00	50 00	36 00	4 00	1 00	3 00	.....
6	Dixon	H. Threlfall	320 00	200 00	120 00	50 00	39 50	5 00	5 00	3 00	3 00
7	Eminence	L. W. Munsell (supply)	.....	50 00	.....	25 00	14 50	3 00	.....	1 00	.....
8	Hartville	Wm. McClanahan (supply)	450 00	150 00	300 00	50 00	43 00	4 00	.....	2 00	1 00
9	Hermitage	W. T. Pare (supply)	175 00	81 18	93 82	25 00	12 00	3 00	2 00	1 00	1 00
10	Houston	Wesley Nall (supply)	.....	.....	.....	25 00	.....	3 00	3 00	1 00	.....
11	Humansville	Wm. Demotte	360 00	258 00	102 00	50 00	41 00	5 00	5 00	3 00	4 00
12	Iberia	T. J. Ramsey (supply)	300 00	194 00	106 00	40 00	23 50	3 00	.....	1 00	.....
13	Lebanon	H. R. Miller	820 00	820 00	.....	98 40	98 40	8 00	8 00	4 00	4 00
14	Licking	John Clark (supply)	425 00	300 00	125 00	50 00	46 50	5 00	1 00	4 00	3 00
15	Marshfield	Chas. S. Revelle	300 00	300 00	.....	48 00	48 00	4 00	4 00	3 00	3 00
16	Mountain Grove	J. K. Mosher (supply)	300 00	146 30	153 70	40 00	40 00	3 00	.....	2 00	.....
17	North Springfield	Frank Lenig	800 00	800 00	.....	96 00	96 00	8 00	8 00	8 00	3 00
18	Ozark	W. Hulse (supply)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 00	.....	1 00	.....
19	Republic	A. Burris (supply)	400 00	222 75	177 25	48 00	25 00	4 00	.....	2 00	.....
20	Richland	A. J. Graves	500 00	200 00	300 00	60 00	50 50	5 00	.....	3 00	1 00
21	Rolla	B. F. Poole	700 00	650 00	50 00	84 00	78 00	6 00	6 00	5 00	5 00
22	Roubidoux	Wm. Patterson (supply)	200 00	130 60	69 40	25 00	9 75	2 00	.....	1 00	.....
23	Salem	Price A. Crow (supply)	.....	235 00	.....	60 00	60 00	5 00	.....	2 00	.....
24	Seymour	R. H. Hanson	150 00	150 00	.....	30 00	30 00	3 00	3 00	1 00	1 00
25	Springfield	O. M. Martin	1500 00	1500 00	.....	180 00	180 00	15 00	15 00	25 00	30 00
26	Strafford	A. C. McGinty (supply)	.....	.....	.....	12 00	.....	1 00	.....	1 00	.....
27	Vichy Springs	G. A. Glenns (supply)	325 00	325 00	.....	42 00	42 00	4 00	4 00	2 00	2 00
28	West Plains	L. C. Sappenfield	495 00	487 00	8 00	74 40	74 40	5 00	2 00	3 00	2 00
			$10232 00	$8609 83	$1907 17	$1479 80	$1212 80	$130 00	$79 45	$101 00	$73 65

STATISTICS NO. 1. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

	NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedn'ss on Church property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses, sexton, light, fuel, etc.
1	Avilla	12	75	....	3	....	....	2	2,000	1	400	126	91	554	....
2	Carthage	22	265	2	2	4	15	1	9,000	1	1000	250	.....	.....	17
3	Carterville and Webb City	4	123	3	....	1	6	1	3,500	..	.....	97	.....	2000	5
4	Cassville	42	184	8	....	3	20	1½	1,400	1	380	45	.....	200	5
5	Dadeville	6	166	....	....	....	7	3	2,200	1	400	94	62	125	5
6	Galena	12	68	1	....	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
7	Golden City	5	172	4	2	4	15	2	2,100	1	1000	.....	.....	240	17
8	Greenfield	30	160	2	....	10	15	2	3,800	1	1000	60	.....	.....	4
9	Jasper and Mt. Moriah	1	71	....	..	1	....	2	4,200	1	500	48	381	260	7
10	Joplin	....	80	1	2	1	....	1	10,000	..	.....	.....	1400	3000	8
11	Lamar	19	113	....	1	1	7	1	4,500	1	1500	350	.....	75	10
12	Marionville	10	200	11	3	1	4	1	1,500	1	900	50	100	200	11
13	Mounds	35	128	2	3	1	6	3	5,300	..	.....	80	200	100	8
14	Mt. Vernon	3	130	3	2	....	....	3	2,500	1	500	100	140	.....	....
15	Nashville	4	114	2	....	....	....	1	1,800	..	.....	1300	..	.....	....
16	Neosho	5	45	2	....	1	3	2	2,500	..	.....	50	.....	.....	1
17	Oronogo	7	107	1	1	....	....	2	2,700	1	500	.....	375	761	5
18	Peirce City	10	74	2	....	1	6	1	3,000	..	.....	.....	244	52	7
19	Sarcoxie	38	140	3	5	4	22	4	5,200	1	700	163	262	.....	10
20	Seneca	80	192	2	5	....	15	2½	2,000	1	200	25	.....	.....	5
21	Sheldon	13	129	1	....	2	19	1	1,000	..	.....	.....	100	100	5
22	South Carthage	17	50	....	....	....	....	1	1,500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
23	Stockton	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
		375	2786	50	29	35	160	38	$71,700	13	$8900	$2838	$3755	$7667	$128

TATISTICS NO. 1. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Sunday Schools.			Benevolent Collections.												Ministerial Support.		Other Collections.
			For Missions.														
No. of Schools.	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday Schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	
..	...	....	10 00	.....	10 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 55	.....	.....	.....	352 00	3 35	.....
1	35	420	117 00	8 00	125 00	20 00	6 00	6 00	12 00	37 75	.....	74 00	.....	1619 00	20 00	.....
1	10	90	3 00	.....	3 00	.....	.. ..	.....	....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	253 00	3 00	.....
2	21	120	10 00	2 00	12 00	1 00	50	50	.....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	319 00	1 00	.....
1	8	50	25 00	.....	25 00	3 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	... ..	.....	288 00	3 00	.....
..	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	101 00	.....	.....
1	16	103	42 25	8 75	51 00	1 25	1 00	.....	.....	3 00	.....	5 00	.....	669 00	5 00	.....
2	20	140	12 00	....	12 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	398 00	2 00	20 00
2	22	80	25 00	.....	25 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	4 00	4 00	.....	.....	.....	558 00	2 00	.....
1	14	104	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	192 00	.....	.....
1	11	85	54 85	1 57	56 42	5 00	1 50	1 50	4 00	4 50	.....	1 00	.....	798 00	5 00	450 00
2	42	225	8 00	7 00	15 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	5 00	.....	.....	434 00	2 00	.....
3	33	190	30 00	.....	30 00	8 00	3 00	5 00	10 00	5 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	309 00	5 00	30 00
1	4	30	5 00	.....	5 00	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300 00	1 00	.....
..	...	....	8 00	.....	8 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	194 00	2 00	.....
1	9	100	5 00	10 00	15 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	220 00	.....	.....
1	5	40	6 00	.....	6 00	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	231 00	2 00	.....
1	10	55	4 78	5 22	10 00	4 00	75	42	.....	5 25	.....	.....	.....	589 00	.....	78 00
2	21	120	30 00	.....	30 00	3 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	4 00	1 00	1 00	.....	666 00	5 00	.....
2	15	90	9 00	.....	9 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	340 00	1 00	.....
2	18	110	15 00	.....	15 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	248 00	2 00	.....
1	6	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 00	.....	.....
..	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14 00	.....	.....
28	320	2192	$418 78	$42 54	$461 32	$36 25	$19 75	$20 42	$38 00	$75 05	$8 00	$83 00	$3 00	$9095 00	$64 35	578 00

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.								
			Pastors.			Presid. Elders.		Bishops		Conf. Cl'mts.	
			Claims, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Receipts, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	Avilla	N. H. Buck	390*	316 00	74 00	40 00	32 00	4 00	4 00	5 00	3 35
2	Carthage	O. M. Stewart	1440*	1440 00	.....	148 00	167 00	12 00	12 00	20 00	20 00
3	Carterville & Webb City	M. B. Wood	480	223 00	257 00	62 00	27 00	4 00	3 00	3 00	3 00
4	Cassville	T. H. Knease	486*	292 00	194 00	50 00	26 00	4 00	1 00	3 00	1 00
5	Dadeville	I. Entwisle	380*	261 00	119 00	39 00	25 00	4 00	2 00	3 00	3 00
6	Galena	W. T. Wright (supply)	.....	92 00	.....	21 00	9 00	4 00	.....	1 00	.....
7	Golden City	J. J. Martin	700*	610 00	90 00	72 00	55 00	4 00	4 00	5 00	5 00
8	Greenfield	Wm. Buck	.....*	350 00	.....	62 00	46 00	4 00	2 00	5 00	2 00
9	Jasper and Mt. Moriah	T. M. Durham	680*	505 00	175 00	70 00	51 00	4 00	2 00	5 00	2 00
10	Joplin	W. Buck	580	145 00	435 00	82 00	36 00	4 00	1 00	3 00	.....
11	Lamar	A. H. Heinlein	850*	735 00	115 00	86 00	60 00	4 00	3 00	5 00	5 00
12	Marionville	Jacob Miller	560*	400 00	160 00	60 00	32 00	4 00	2 00	5 00	2 00
13	Mounds	C. E. Evans	320	278 00	42 00	33 00	27 00	4 00	4 00	5 00	5 00
14	Mt. Vernon	H. H. Ashbaugh	520*	285 00	235 00	52 00	13 00	4 00	2 00	5 00	1 00
15	Nashville	D. B. Johnson (supply)	400	177 00	223 00	41 00	15 00	4 00	2 00	4 00	2 00
16	Neosho	T. J. Moore (supply)	500	200 00	300 00	51 00	17 00	4 00	3 00	3 00	.....
17	Oronogo	J. W. Finley	396*	216 00	180 00	42 00	14 00	4 00	1 00	2 00	2 00
18	Pierce City	J. N. Moore	500	536 00	.....	64 00	53 00	4 00	.....	4 00	.....
19	Sarcoxie	J. M. Darby	600*	600 00	.....	62 00	62 00	4 00	4 00	5 00	5 00
20	Seneca	T. H. Hawkins (supply)	350*	315 00	35 00	36 00	23 00	4 00	2 00	3 00	1 00
21	Sheldon	A. M. Hammond (supply)	295	225 00	70 00	37 00	20 00	4 00	3 00	3 00	2 00
22	South Carthage	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 00	13 00	4 00	.....	2 00	.....
23	Stockton	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 00	14 00	4 00	.....	1 00	.....
	* Has Parsonage.		$10427	$8201 00	$2704 00	$1250 00	$837 00	$100 00	$67 00	$100 00	$64 35

Apportionments of Benevolences to Districts for Ensuing Year.

The following is the distribution for the benevolent and other collections apportioned to the St. Louis Conference to be raised this year, as directed and made by the Presiding Elders.

WM. STEPHENS, Sec'y.

Districts.	Missions	Church Extension	Conference Claimants	S. S. Union	Tract Society	Education	Freedmen's Aid	General Conference Expenses	Episcopal Fund
St. Louis	2330	776	388	194	194	155	388	247	226
Sedalia	900	302	152	76	76	62	152	95	209
Kansas City	1320	440	220	110	110	88	220	140	276
Springfield	600	200	100	50	50	40	100	63	148
Carthage	650	216	108	54	54	43	108	68	141
Rolla	100	33	16	8	8	6	16	.....	.....
Lexington	100	33	16	8	8	6	16	.....	.....
Conference	6000	2000	1000	500	500	400	1000	613	1000

STATISTICS NO. 1. ROLLA DISTRICT.

	NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptised.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses, sexton, light, fuel, etc.
1	California	4	58	3	1	4	2	2	578	1	115	85	.....	5	30 00
2	Clinton and Calhoun	22	50	2	1	....	1	2	3000	1	200	140	261	.....	40 00
3	De Soto	5	40	3	3	8	7	1	650	1	125	10	.....	15	19 90
4	Farmington and Fredericktown	95	190	....	9	13	33	2	1250	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 00
5	Ironton and Potosa	....	52	4	3	2	4	1	550	1	350	7	35	40	15 00
6	Lebanon and Marshfield	....	52	....	3	....	2	1	850	1	275	148	.....	69	23 00
7	Osceola and Stockton	....	24	1	....	....	....	1¾	925	..	.....	141	.....	39	.....
8	Rolla and St. James	1	54	1	....	....	....	1	1000	..	29	29	.....	318	30 88
9	Sedalia	12	395	11	....	15	35	1	3000	1	800	122	25	.....	300 00
10	Smithton, Pilot Grove & Beeman's Ch.	3	67	1	....	....	7	2	650	1	45	25	5	255	5 00
11	Springfield	25	200	5	4	5	30	1	5000	1	500	250	9	50	93 85
12	Springfield Ct.	4	35	....	....	....	3	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	St. Louis, Elliot Ave.	24	68	....	....	10	24	1	15000	..	.....	8825	1376	4500	275 29
14	" Baden and Lowell	4	58	1	2	11	3	2	1100	..	.....	900	101	700	20 00
15	" Bridgeton and Rock Springs	2	75	5	2	6	15	2	800	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00
16	" Wesley Chapel	40	500	8	13	40	35	1	20000	1	500	137	111	.....	115 00
17	Tipton, Versailles and Otterville	12	142	3	1	....	13	3	1150	..	.....	30	107	54	60 00
		253	1970	48	42	114	214	24¾	$55503	9	$3939	$10849	$2030	$6045	1037 60

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

1	Arrow Rock	1	72	....	1	2	2	1	900	1	300	20	.....	6	12 00
2	Brownsville	23	120	2	....	6	11	1	1150	1	250	140	.....	136	18 00
3	Butler and Harrisonville	9	62	1	5	2	5	2	1800	2	250	120	.....	5	44 00
4	Carthage and Joplin	7	68	1	2	....	....	2	1500	..	.....	.....	138	314	23 00
5	Dresden and Lamonte	....	[37]	....	....	....	....	[1]	[382]	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6	Georgetown and Mt. Zion	8	31	1	3	3	6	2	500	..	.....	30	.....	.....	30 00
7	Greenfield and Mt. Vernon	15	34	2	3	5	7	2	1000	1	200	175	.....	.....	12 00
8	Higginsville and Odessa	3	20	....	....	....	....	1	300	..	.....	20	.....	.....	18 00
9	Holden and Conterview	21	61	4	1	....	....	1	1200	1	125	.....	99	236	26 00
10	Kansas City	10	140	3	2	4	40	1	3000	..	.....	160	600	37	100 00
11	Lexington	6	55	2	3	3	....	1	5000	1	450	.....	120	108	100 00
12	Marshall	6	104	1	1	2	4	1	700	1	500	.....	16	1036	16 00
13	Marshall Ct.	2	35	1	1	....	4	2	1000	1	150	20	.....	.....	2 00
14	Neosho and Newtonia	....	[34]	....	....	....	....	[2]	[600]	[1]	[50]	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Slater and Gilham	6	75	1	....	....	30	1	450	..	.....	.....	275	60	35 00
16	Salt Pond and Malta Bend	5	80	2	4	....	2	2	1100	..	.....	5	16	11	12 00
17	Warrensburg and Knobnoster	3	106	2	1	....	5	2	1300	1	300	.....	.....	.....	12 00
18	Waverly	5	76	1	3	3	7	2	.....	1	.....	5	.....	.....	11 00
19	Wellington	1	55	1	1	....	....	2	900	1	150	35	30	14	7 00
		131	1265	25	31	30	123	29	22782	13	2725	$670	$1294	$1963	$478 00

STATISTICS NO. 1. ROLLA DISTRICT.

Sunday Schools.			Benevolent Collections.											Ministerial Support.		
			For Missions.													
No. of Schools.	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday Schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.
1	6	75	50	1 50	2 00	50	.....	10	10	10	10	10	10	69 50	50	.....
1	6	82	50	.....	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	78 50	50	.....
1	6	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	273 00	.....	.....
2	15	70	5 65	.....	5 65	1 00	50	15	75	65	20	50	20	398 00	1 00	.....
1	10	47	1 00	1 40	2 40	30	26	11	50	25	25	15	21	205 00	25	.....
1	8	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	210 25	.....	.....
3	9	61	50	.....	50	25	.....	.....	25	10	.....	.....	.....	90 05	.....	.....
1	8	59	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	25	89 50	50	.....
1	13	160	2 00	.....	2 00	1 00	20	.....	6 00	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	672 35	1 50	.....
2	9	60	25	25	50	25	.....	.....	25	50	.....	50	.....	143 00	25	.....
1	9	125	1 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....	1 00	1 00	672 98	1 00	.....
1	5	50	30	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	76 10	35	.....
1	12	75	2 00	3 00	5 00	2 00	.....	50	2 00	5 00	50	75	50	476 71	1 00	.....
2	38	200	2 00	1 00	3 00	1 00	25	.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	124 00	70	.....
2	10	100	1 00	1 00	2 00	20	10	10	25	1 00	.....	.....	.....	216 00	.....	
2	18	250	5 00	1 50	6 50	10 10	1 00	50	3 00	2 75	1 00	50	50	1145 00	7 00	6 00
3	15	90	.....	87	87	.....	50	.....	.....	63	.....	.....	.....	211 20	.....	.....
25	197	1596	$21 70	$10 52	$30 22	$17 80	$2 31	$2 96	$15 60	$13 98	$2 55	$5 00	$4 26	$5151 14	$14 55	$6 00

LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

1	8	35	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	125 60	25	.....
1	12	36	1 75	.....	1 75	50	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	297 15	50	.....
2	17	92	1 50	50	2 00	50	50	25	1 50	50	.....	.....	.....	266 00	30	.....
2	12	120	1 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	299 00	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	3 00	.....	3 00	50	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106 50	63	.....
1	8	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	2 00	.....	.....	15	94 30	.....	.....
2	9	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	313 20	.....	.....
1	3	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 00	.....	.....
2	7	33	7 00	.....	7 00	2 00	25	25	1 00	25	.....	.....	.....	304 91	1 00	21 90
1	7	40	8 00	.....	8 00	2 00	25	25	2 00	75	.....	.....	1 00	611 00	2 00	.....
2	9	49	50	.....	50	50	75	50	80	50	50	2 50	2 00	510 85	1 00	.....
1	9	55	4 00	.....	4 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	255 32	.....	.....
2	6	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	124 45	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	5	35	2 00	.....	2 00	1 50	.....	.....	1 00	50	.....	.....	.....	487 00	7 75	39 00
2	10	45	1 00	.....	1 00	50	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	208 75	30	.....
2	9	60	75	25	1 00	1 00	50	.....	3 00	25	.....	.....	25	341 00	1 00	.....
2	14	56	1 50	.....	1 50	50	30	.....	1 00	50	.....	25	30	213 55	1 00	7 00
2	9	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	154 50	.....	.....
27	154	927	$32 00	.75	$32 75	$9 65	$3 55	$1 70	$11 00	$6 55	.50	$2 75	$3 70	$4733 68	$15 73	$67 90

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.								
			Pastors.			Presid. Elders.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'nts	
			Claims, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Receipts, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	California	Wm. Wheeler	250 00	39 00	211 00	30 00	30 00	1 00	50	50	50
2	Clinton and Calhoun	S. L. Evans	36 00	36 00	.....	40 00	40 00	1 00	2 50	8 00	50
3	De Soto	E. Anthony	370 00	240 00	130 00	35 00	33 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	Farmington and Fredericktown	J. W. Payne	350 00	350 00	.....	50 00	46 00	2 00	2 00	50	1 00
5	Ironton and Potosi	A. Abanatha	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	25
6	Lebanon and Marshfield	R. Crosby	360 00	171 75	188 25	.....	38 50	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Osceola and Stockton.	Eli Bly	101 25	82 55	18 70	37 00	7 50	1 75	.....	.....	.....
8	Rolla and St. James	Richard Rush	.....	60 25	.....	.....	29 00	....	25	.....	50
9	Sedalia	W. R. Lawton	670 00	670 00	.....	1 10	1 10	3 00	1 25	1 50	1 50
10	Smitht'n,PilotGrove,BeemanChapel	Wm. Dives	265 00	150 00	115 00	30 00	28 00	.....	.....	.....	25
11	Springfield	J. W. Hill	700 00	589 48	110 52	100 00	82 00	2 00	1 50	1 00	1 00
12	Springfield Ct.	M. Reed	200 00	54 15	145 85	20 00	11 45	.....	50	.....	25
13	St. Louis, Elliot Avenue	J. W. Hughes, supply	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	.....	1 00
14	" Baden and Lowell	—— McCann	.....	106 40	.....	25 00	16 00	.....	1 00	.....	70
15	" Bridgeton and Rock Sp'gs	H. H. McAllister	300 00	186 00	.....	30 00	30 00	2 00	.....	2 00	.....
16	" Wesley Chapel	F. H. Small	1100 00	1000 00	100 00	140 00	140 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	7 00
17	Tipton, Versailles and Otterville	J. S. Burton	350 00	195 20	154 80	40 00	16 00	.....	.....	.....	.....
			$5052 25	$3930 78	1174 12	$578 10	$548 55	$17 75	$16 25	$18 50	$14 55

	NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.								
			Pastors.			Presid. Elders.		Bishops		Conf. Cl'mts.	
			Claims, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Receipts, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	Arrow Rock	P. Atkinson	250	100 00	150 00	32	25 50	1 00	10	1 00	25
2	Brownsville	C. M. Keeton	365	249 15	115 85	50	47 50	1 00	50	1 00	50
3	Butler and Harrisonville	J. W. Brown	440	225 00	215 00	40	40 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	30
4	Carthage and Joplin	A. Ramsey	400	248 00	152 00	50	50 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	.....
5	Dresden and Lamonte		80	91 00	.....	20	15 00	50	50	1 00	63
6	Georgetown and Mt. Zion	A. Smith, supply	140	72 00	68 00	20	21 30	50	.....	50	.....
7	Greenfield and Mt. Vernon	A. Coleman	440	283 05	157 00	40	30 15	1 00	.....	1 00	.....
8	Higginsville and Odessa	Henson Baker, supply	.....	.....	.....	20	20 00	1 00	.....	1 00	.....
9	Holden and Centerview	B. P. Toley, supply	336	253 91	82 09	50	50 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00
10	Kansas City	J. W. Jackson	500	555 00	.....	40	55 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	2 00
11	Lexington	J. W. Summers	450	450 00	.....	60	60 00	85	85	1 00	1 00
12	Marshall	J. D. Evans	400	200 32	199 68	60	54 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	.....
13	Marshall Ct.	R. Smith	190	102 15	87 85	28	22 00	1 00	30	1 00	.....
14	Neosho and Newtonia	T. Williams	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	1 00	.....	1 00	.....
15	Slater and Gilham	D. L. Irwin, supply	.....	450 00	.....	40	36 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	7 75
16	Salt Pond and Malta Bend	Benj. Steele	400	190 00	210 00	20	17 75	1 00	1 00	1 00	30
17	Warrenburg and Knob Noster	C. Tays	300	300 00	.....	50	.....	2 00	1 00	2 00	1 00
18	Waverly	Wm. McCutchen	275	183 20	91 80	32	29 35	2 00	1 00	2 00	1 00
19	Wellington	Dennis Payton, supply	200	140 00	60 00	20	13 50	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....
			$5626	$4092 78	$1589 27	$692	$587 50	$19 85	$12 25	$23 50	$15 73

STATISTICS NO. 1. RECAPITULATION.

	NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							
		No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses, sexton, light, fuel, etc.
1	St. Louis	389	2320	19	32	113	159	39 1/6	154800	6	12350	3647	1931	8665	1440
2	Sedalia	312	2846	16	25	22	131	43½	89125	16	15325	2647	1345	15367	1516
3	Kansas City	642	2630	15	25	44	154	30⅔	162974	10	13700	4502	10739	3127	4297
4	Springfield	568	3942	34	39	74	168	36⅓	64700	11	8018	4357	759	4608	1326
5	Carthage	375	2786	50	29	35	160	38	71700	13	8900	2858	3755	7667	1282
6	Rolla	253	1970	48	42	114	214	24¾	55503	9	3939	10849	2030	6045	1038
7	Lexington	131	1265	25	31	30	123	29	22782	13	2725	670	1294	1963	478
	Total for Conference	2670	17759	207	223	432	1109	239½	621584	78	64957	29500	21853	47442	11377
	Last Year	2380	16881	188	199	576	870	221 1/12	577300	77	61155	35371	12091	55337	11863
	Increase	290	878	19	24	....	239	18	44284	1	3802	.....	9762	.....	.....
	Decrease	....	....	....	....	144	....	....	....	....	....	5871	.....	7895	585

TATISTICS NO. 1. RECAPITULATION.

	Sunday Schools.			Benevolent Collections.												Ministerial Support.		
				For Missions.														
	No. of Schools.	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday Schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	For Woman's Home Missionary Society.	OTHER COLLECTIONS.	For Pastor, Presiding Elder and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	
1	28	319	2509	1950 46	1126 00	3076 46	144 25	40 40	33 15	130 35	563 59	34 85	604 87	162 75	1866 00	14394 01	300 44	
2	36	414	2712	741 90	214 72	956 62	96 71	35 52	34 15	75 50	140 30	5 00	166 50	50	222 50	13310 33	114 95	
3	27	375	3477	1475 90	389 27	1865 19	694 50	85 35	79 56	277 30	3297 33	22 75	697 03	25	546 00	17707 90	251 00	
4	26	240	1673	480 45	82 00	562 45	58 07	20 20	20 90	40 75	91 00	7 00	48 75	17 75	261 00	9914 57	73 65	
5	28	326	2192	418 78	42 54	461 32	36 25	19 75	20 42	38 60	75 05	8 00	83 00	3 00	578 00	9095 00	64 35	
6	25	195	1596	21 70	10 52	32 22	17 80	2 31	2 96	15 60	13 98	2 55	5 00	4 26	6 00	5151 14	14 55	
7	27	154	927	32 00	75	32 75	9 65	3 55	1 70	11 00	6 55	50	2 75	3 70	67 90	4733 68	15 73	
	197	2019	15086	5121 19	1865 80	6987 01	1057 23	207 08	208 14	588 50	4187 80	$80 15	1607 90	$192 21	3547 40	$74306 03	834 67	
	188	1871	14416	2663 54	1609 82	4277 12	684 41	199 23	158 20	427 71	1636 93	$90 58	1095 08	$16 01	3646 35	$72887 81	848 50	
	9	148	670	2457 65	255 98	2709 89	372 82	7 85	49 94	161 79	2550 87	.....	$512 82	$176 20	.....	$2418 22	.....	.....
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$10 43	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 83	98 95

STATISTICS NO. 2. RECAPITULATION.

	Name of District.	Ministerial Support.									
		Pastors.			Presid. Elders.		Bishops.		Conf. Claim'nts	
		Claims, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Receipts, including H'se Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
1	St. Louis	14600 00	13068 95	1621 05	1500 00	1283 55	382 00	207 65	400 00	300 44
2	Sedalia	14166 00	12091 00	2111 00	1320 25	1175 70	173 55	149 42	176 00	114 95
3	Kansas City	16625 00	15909 12	715 88	1737 65	1678 30	192 40	173 25	200 00	251 00
4	Springfield	10232 00	8609 83	1907 17	1479 80	1212 80	130 00	79 45	101 00	73 65
5	Carthage	10427 00	8201 00	2704 00	1250 00	837 00	100 00	67 00	100 00	64 35
6	Rolla	5052 25	3930 78	1174 12	578 10	548 55	17 75	16 25	18 50	14 55
7	Lexington	5026 00	4092 78	1589 27	692 00	587 00	19 85	12 25	23 50	15 73
	Total for Conference	76182 25	55903 46	11822 49	$8557 80	$7322 90	$1015 55	$705 27	$1019 00	$834 67
	Last year	74644 00	65705 67	$8285 53	$8226 37	$7165 25	$726 17	$628 10	$882 00	$848 50
	Increase	$1574 25	.....	$3536 96	$331 43	$157 75	$289 38	$77 17	$137 00	.....
	Decrease	.....	$9802 21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$13 83

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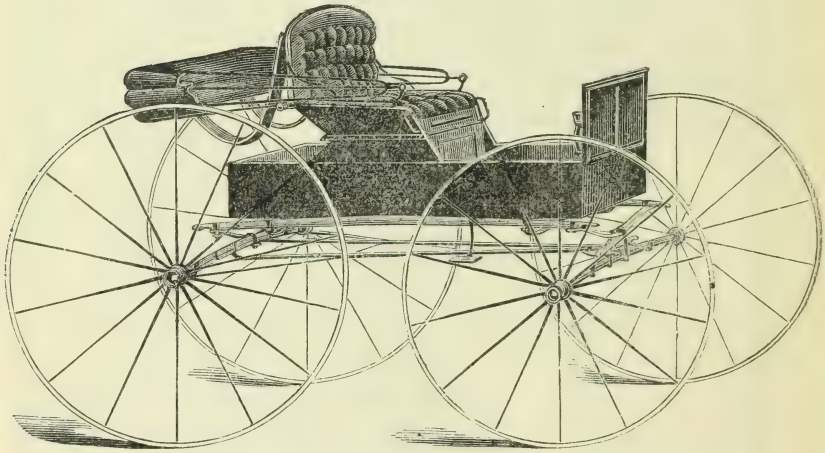

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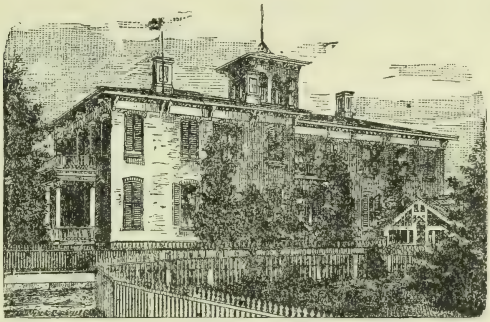

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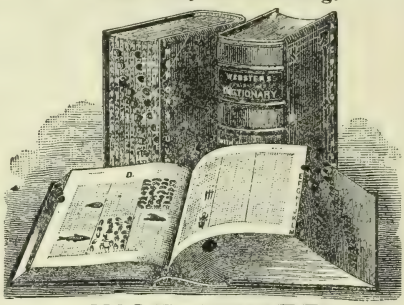

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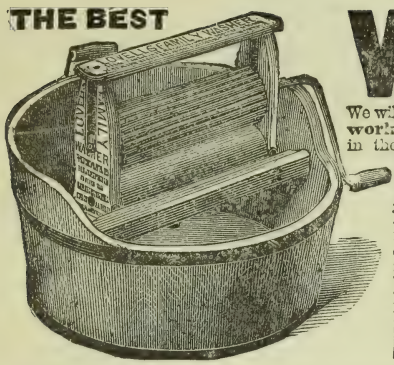

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Reserve for Unpaid Losses,	**75,867 00**
Reserve for agency balances and all other Claims, -	**18,651 53**
Special Reserve for Taxes & all other contingent cl'ms	**10,000 00**
Net Surplus, - - - -	**234,680 75**
Total, Assets, - -	**$1,843,498 08**

SUMMARY OF ASSETS.

Loans on Bonds and Mortgages, being first Leins on unincumbered Real Estate worth over $2,208,500	$ 794,100 1
Interest due and accrued on same	37,788 0
City, Town, County and Corporation Stocks and Bonds	140,841 0
Loaned on Collaterals (Mortgages and Bank Stocks)	54,510 17
Real Estate (Company's Building)	15,000 00
Real Estate taken in Foreclosure	6,460 97
Bills Receivable, not matured, taken for fire risks	525,240 59
Cash in hands of Agents and in course of transmission	105,652 01
Cash deposited in Banks and on hand	163,903 91
Total Assets	$1,843,498 08

INCOME

DURING THE YEAR, ENDING DEC. 31, 1885.

Gross premiums received	$1,371,676 19
Amount received for interest	79,417 12
Received from all other Sources	4,516 35
Total Receipts	$1,455,609 66

EXPENDITURES

DURING THE YEAR, ENDING DEC. 31, 1885.

Amount paid for losses	$ 533,887 47
Amount paid for Commissions and Brokerage	344,160 33
Amount paid for Office and General Expenses	88,228 24
Amount paid for Cancellations and Return Premiums	224,050 63
Amount paid for Taxes and Insurance Department Fees	14,949 26
Amount paid for Printing, Stationery and Postage	17,634 60
Amount paid for Dividends	40,000 00
Total Expenditures	$1,262,910 53
Receipts in Excess of Expenditures,	$192,699 13

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ASSETS

FOR PAST TEN YEARS:

January 1st, 1877	$ 416,371 15
do do 1878	455,077 33
do do 1879	490,376 13
do do 1880	586,282 21
do do 1881	746,407 15
do do 1882	933,013 60
do do 1883	1,185,978 92
do do 1884	1,478,106 39
do do 1885	1,650,798 95
do do 1886	1,843,498 08

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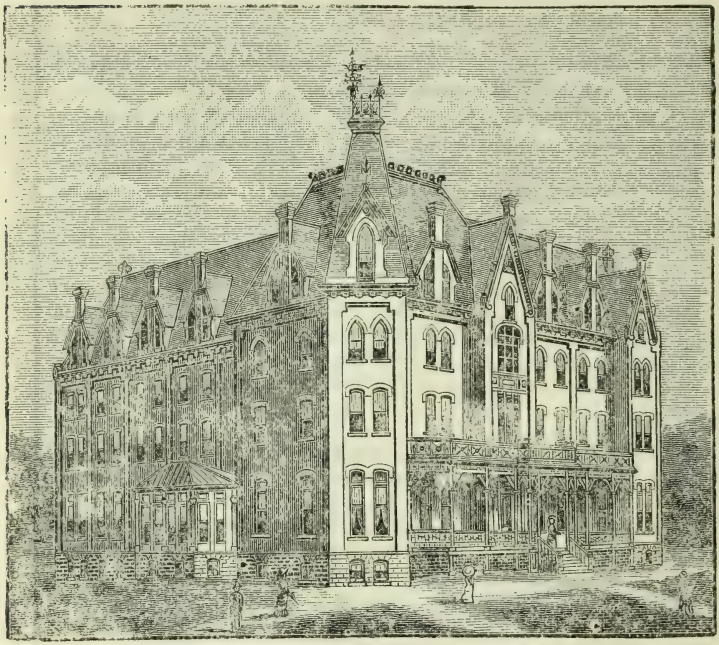

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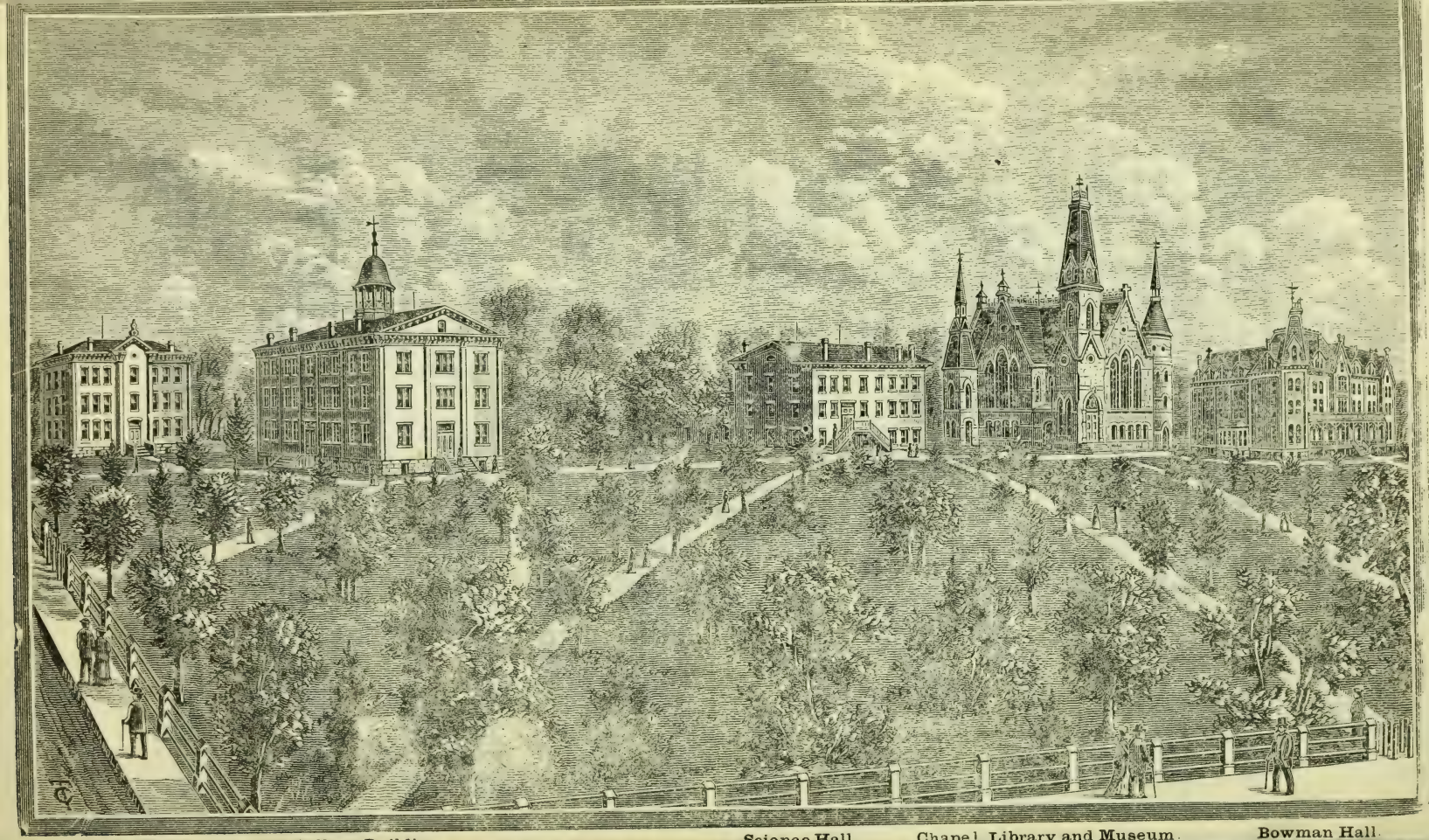

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DAILY JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY—First Session.

LAMAR, MO.. March 17th, 1887.

The St. Louis Conference met in its nineteenth annual session at Lamar, Mo., in the Methodist Episcopal Church, at 9 o'clock a. m., March 17th, 1887.

The Conference was called to order by Rev. A. H. Heinlein, and Dr. B. St. James Fry was elected chairman. The Conference opened by singing hymn No. 319, after which the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered, conducted by Dr. Fry, assisted by the Presiding Elders and several others.

A felicitous address of welcome, to the Conference, was delivered by Mr. R. B. Robinson, a layman of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Lamar. Dr. Fry responded on behalf of the Conference.

The Secretary of the last Conference was ordered to call the roll. Sixty-three members answered to their names.

On motion of Dr. G. W. Hughey it was ordered that the Secretary be elected by ballot. Frank Lenig and H. R. Miller were put in nomination. H. R. Miller was elected.

C. S. Revelle was elected Statistical Secretary. By resolution the Secretaries were allowed to nominate their assistants; H. L. Walker and Olin B. Jones, were nominated and elected. C. S. Revelle nominated as his assistants Oscar Lunbeck, Samuel Warner, Job Ingram, John Ashley, Isaac M. Galbraith and Wm. T. Wright, who were elected.

On motion of A. H. Heinlein, the Semi-Centennial Sermon by Rev. J. K. Tuttle, of his entering into the ministry, which the last Conference by resolution requested him to preach at this Conference, was now made the order of the day. After prayer by Dr. Wm. Jones, Bro. Tuttle preached a strong and admirable sermon which was well received by his brethren.

At 11:15 A. M. Bishop W. F. Mallalieu, D. D., took the chair, he having been prevented from being present at the opening by having failed to make railroad connections.

On motion of Dr Fry the rules for the government of the last Conference were adopted for the government of this Conference.

F. S. Beggs read the list of committees as nominated by the Presiding Elders, and they were appointed as follows:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

AUDITING.—D. W. Crow, F. Exley, J. W. Finley, J. B. Brewington and I. J. K. Lunbeck.

BIBLE CAUSE.—S. Ing, T. H Knease and C. E. Heaton.

BOOK AND PERIODICAL ACCOUNTS.—O. M. Martin, H. Threlfall, N. H. Buck, J. Ingram and C. V. Criss.

CHURCH EXTENSION.—W. J. Simmons, A. Jump, T. H. Hagerty, O. M. Stewart and J. H. Gillespie.

CONFERENCE RELATIONS.—O. M. Martin, W. P. Armstrong, T. M. Durham, F. Exley and W. K. Collins.

DISTRICT RECORDS.—J. Ingram and C. E. Evans.

EDUCATION.—B. St. James Fry, John Ashley, L. C. Sappenfield, C. W. Parsons and J. J. Martin.

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MEMOIRS.—C. J. W. Jones, O. M. Stewart.

MISSIONS.—The Presiding Elders.

NEW YORK BOOK ACCOUNTS.—Frank Lenig.

OBSERVANCE OF THE SABBATH.—J. N. Moore, B. F. January, B. F. Thomas, James Pine and Thomas Pingry.

PERIODICALS.—C. E. Felton, H. M. Hackney, W. M. Creamer, Jacob Miller and J. H. Gillespie.

PERSONAL FINANCE.—E. J. Hunt, W. F. Yeager, T. M. Durham, I. J. K. Lunbeck and T. H. Hagerty.

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PUBLICATION OF MINUTES.—The Secretaries.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.—The Presiding Elder of the District and the Pastor at Lamar.

STEWARDS.—J. B. Daniel, O. M. Stewart and J. S. Porter.

STATISTICS.—C. S. Revelle, Oscar Lunbeck, J. Ingram, I. M. Galbraith and T. H. Hawkins.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND TRACTS.—Wm. Jones, G. A. Glens, Frank Lenig, W. T. Lewis and C. D. Fry.

TEMPERANCE.—G. W. Hughey, J. K. Tuttle, C. E. Felton, O. M. Stewart and B. F. Poole.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.—I. Entwisle, S. Ing, W. K. Collins, L. C. Sappenfield and J. P. Marlatt.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.—J. B. Brewington, W. T. Neff, D. Kivett, William Jones and J. N. Moore.

A. H. Heinlein was elected Railroad Secretary.

On motion of C. J. W. Jones a Statistical Session at 2:30 P. M., was ordered and the Bishop appointed B. St. James Fry to preside.

C. E. Heaton was appointed to collect subscriptions for the "Gospel in All Lands."

The Bishop announced that this Conference was authorized to draw on the Book Concern for $180. Also on the Chartered Fund for $30.

On motion of T. H. Hagerty the drafts were ordered.

B. St. James Fry moved that the General Conference Resolution, ubmitting to the Annual Conferences for their approval or disapproval, a change in §2 of ¶71 of the Discipline, be made the order of the day for 10 o'clock A. M., to-morrow. The motion prevailed.

The following Brethern, transferred during the year, were introduced: L. A. Markham and W. T. Lewis, from North Ohio Conference, and W. J. Simmons, from Arkansas Conference; also the following visiting Brethren: Captain Kitwood, of St. Louis, T. B. Ford, of Arkansas Conference; Rev. Snider, and J. M. Iliff, of South Kansas Conference. Also Revs. Hagans, Pastor of Presbyterian Church; Norvall, Pastor of the Babtist Church: Elder Clay, Pastor of the Christian Church, of this city.

Dr. William Jones was appointed to preach to-morrow morning at 8:30 A. M.

Announcements for meeting of Committees were made. Doxology sung and Conference adjourned with the benediction by Captain Kitwood.

FIRST DAY—Second Session.

2:30 P. M.

The Conference opened at 2:30 P. M., B. St. James Fry in the chair.

The Religious services were conducted by O. M. Stewart.

The roll was called and the statistics were collected, after which Conference adjourned with Doxology and Benediction by William Demotte.

SECOND DAY—Third Session.

March 18th.

The Conference opened at 8:30 A. M. with a sermon by Dr. Wm. Jones.

At 9 o'clock the Conference business began with Bishop Mallalieu in the chair.

The minutes of the first day's sessions were read, corrected and approved.

F. S. Beggs moved that a committee of three be appointed to report a plan to expedite the collection of Conference Statistics. The motion prevailed, and F. S. Beggs, C. S. Revelle and I. J. K. Lunbeck were appointed that committee.

The Statistical Secretary called for reports from delinquent charges, also called the charges having statistics incomplete or incorrect.

The roll of Absentees was called, and on motion the further calling of the roll was dispensed with.

Dr. H. B. Ridgeway, President of Garrett Biblical Institute, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of that Theological school.

Dr. J. C. W. Coxe, Western District Secretary of the Sunday School and Tract Societies, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of these societies.

Rev. D. C. Milner, President of Ottawa Assembly, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of that institution.

B. St. James Fry moved that the order of the day be now taken up. The motion prevailed.

The Secretary read a communication from the Secretary of the General Conference, and also the resolution adopted by that body in 1884, submitting to the Annual Conferences in 1887, for their approval or disapproval, a change in §2 of ¶71 of the Discipline.

J. K. Tuttle moved to approve the resolution.

The proposed change was duly considered by the Conference, after which the vote was taken, which resulted in sixty-seven votes against the proposed change and none for it.

The Twentieth Question of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*" and St. Louis District was called. J. F. Corrington, the Presiding Elder, presented a full report of each pastoral charge of his district. The names of the effective Elders in the district were called and those in charge reported their collections: and their character passed as follows:

St. Louis District—James F. Corrington, D. W. Crow, Mordecai Bell, Cyrus Brough, Frank Lenig, Samuel Warner, Oliver M. Martin, Cyrus E. Felton, Thomas H. Hagerty, Benjamin F. Thomas, B. St. James Fry, Leander Hallock.

The Sedalia District was called and W. Stephens, the Presiding Elder, reported the condition of each pastoral charge in his district, and the condition of the work of the church at large within its bounds.

The names of the effective Elders in the district were called and those in charge reported their collections: and their character passed as follows:

Sedalia District:—Wm. Stephens, Curtis V. Criss, W. K. Collins, James Pine, Alexander L. Walker, James B. Daniel, John Ashley, Isaac J. K. Lunbeck, John H. Gillespie, William Jones, L. A. Markham, James S. Porter and J. B. Van Petten.

When the name of W. G. Cowan was called he was announced as transferred to the Southern California Conference.

The Conference requested the Bishop to appoint J. B. Van Petten professor in Claverac College, New York.

Rev. E. Wright, agent of the American Bible Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interests of that society.

Rev. Mr. Dodge was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interests of the National Reform Association.

On motion of B. St. James Fry the time was extended.

Dr. C. C. McCabe, Missionary Secretary, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interests of Missions.

On motion of C. J. W. Jones, 10:30 A. M., to-morrow, was fixed for Memorial services.

The following visitors were introduced: E. M. Boring, D. D., of Rock River Conference: M. L. Curl, President of Lewis College: O. R. Bryant and M. T. Brown, of Arkansas Conference: H. A. Tucker, of South Kansas Conference.

The Conference adjourned with benediction by Chaplain McCabe.

THIRD DAY—FOURTH SESSION.

The Conference opened at 8:30 o'clock with a sermon by Captain Kitwood, Superintendent of St. Louis Bethel Mission.

At 9 o,clock the Conference business began with Bishop Mallalieu in the chair.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read, corrected and approved.

Dr. William Jones turned over $25 to the Permanent Fund, collected from the Ohio Street church in Sedalia.

B. St. James Fry referred to the $125 draft which the Missionary Board at New York had returned to H. R. Miller, who requested the Conference to accept it to be put into the Permanent Fund of the Conference. On motion of T. H. Hagerty it was received and a vote of thanks was tendered Brother Miller.

C. W. Parsons moved that W. H. Craig, Treasurer of the Permanent Fund, be allowed now to make his report to the Conference, which was granted and the report read and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

The Conference appointed a committee of three on the Episcopal Residence in St. Louis, consisting of C. E. Felton, C. W. Parsons and G. W. Hughey.

The Nineteenth Question of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*"

The case of John Welsh with certain papers relating to him was referred to a committee of five, consisting of B. St. James Fry, T. H. Hagerty, I. J. K. Lunbeck, O. M. Stewart and W. K. Collins. The committee was permitted to retire and shortly returned and reported, recommending that a select number be appointed to try the case. The Conference so ordered and the following select number was chosen: S. Ing, Samual Jones, W. K. Colins, O. M. Martin, W. P. Armstrong, L. C. Sappenfield, I. J. K. Lunbeck, F. Lenig and Frank Exley. Wm. Jones was appointed chairman and H. R. Miller secretary. G. W. Hughey was appointed counsel for the accused, and Albert Jump counsel for the Church.

A communication from Carleton Institute was referred to the committee on education.

The consideration of the Twentieth Question was resumed, namely, "*Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*" and the Kansas City District was called. C. J. W. Jones, the presiding elder, reported the condition of the various charges in his district. The names of the effective elders in the district were called and they reported their collections; and their character passed as follows:

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.—Caleb J. W. Jones, Thomas Pingry, A. P. Salaway, Olin B. Jones, Job Ingram, W. F. Baker, H. M. Hackney, C. W. Parsons, William T. Lewis, Oliver M. Stewart, Stanford Ing and Frank Exley.

When the name of R. R. Pierce was called, it was announced that he died October 27th, 1886.

When the name of O. J. Cowles was reached he was announced as transferred to the Pittsburg Conference. J. H. Hard was transferred to the Des Moines Conference.

The Springfield District was called and F. S. Beggs, the Presiding Elder, read the report of his District. The names of the effective Elders in the District were called and they reported their collections; and their character passed as follows:

Springfield District—Francis S. Beggs, James B. Brewington, Wilber F. Yeager, Henry Threlfall, Francis M. Stickney, Henry R. Miller, Charles S. Revelle, Albert Jump, B. F. January, Benjamin F. Poole, Wesley M. Creamer, W. P. Armstrong, L. C. Sappenfield, Richard H. Hanson.

R. H. Hanson was granted a Supernumerary relation.

S. Alexander was said to have been transferred to the Colorado Conference.

The hour for Memorial Services having arrived, Bishop Mallalieu announced and the audience sung the 656th hymn, after which he read a part of the 7th chapter of Revelations. O. M. Stewart read Memoirs of Rev. John W. Tally, and Mrs. Minerva Demott. C. J. W. Jones read a Memoir of Rev. R. R. Pier e. Appropriate remarks were made by T. H. Hagerty, J. K. Tuttle and B. St. James Fry. After which Rev. S. Ing led the Conference in prayer.

The Conference extended the time.

The Twentieth Question was resumed. The Carthage District was called, and W. V. Hamel, the Presiding Elder, read a report of his district. The names of the effective Elders in the district were called and they reported their collections; and their character passed as follows:

Carthage District.—W. V. Hamel, Noble H. Buck, George H. Hughey, William J. Simmons, Jacob Miller, William Buck, M. B. Wood, John J. Martin, Thomas H. Knease, Isaac Entwisle, John N. Moore, John W. Finley, Thomas M. Durham and Aaron H. Heinlein.

The **Tenth Question** of the Conference business was taken up, viz.: "*What Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?*" and Edward McClintock came, duly recommended, from the Gainesville Quarterly Conference, of Springfield District, and Jackson A. Winner from the District Conference, of Kansas City District. They, having passed a satisfactory examination on the course of study and were well reported of by their Presiding Elders, were elected to Deacon's orders.

The **Twelfth Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Who are the Traveling Deacons of the First Class?*" and the name of C. E. Evans was called and his character was passed. He reported his collections, and he was reported as having passed a satisfactory examination on the course of study of the third year and was advanced to a Deacon of the Second Class.

The character of Robert T. Smith was passed and the Bishop requested to leave him without an appointment to attend one of our schools. He was continued as a Deacon of the first class.

The **Fourteenth Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*What traveling Deacons have been elected Elders?*" and Joseph P. Marlatt, Isaac M. Galbraith, Oscar Lunbeck

and David Kivett reported their collections, and were reported as having passed a satisfactory examination on the course of study for the fourth year; and their character passed and they were elected to Elder's orders.

William T. Neff and Clarence E. Heaton reported their collections, and were reported as having passed a satisfactory examination on the course of study for the third and fourth years; and their character passed and they were elected to Elder's orders. Thomas Pingry, an Elder, passed a satisfactory examination in the fourth year's course of study.

The **Third Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Who Remain on Trial?*" Henry A. Toland had not been before the committee of examination. His character was passed and he was continued on trial.

The **Fifth Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Who are Admitted to Full Connection?*" The name of Albert J. Graves was called and he reported his collections, and his character was passed. He was then called forward and addressed by the Bishop and answered the usual disciplinary questions. The committee of examination reported him favorably and he was admittted to full connection and elected to Deacon's orders.

On motion of B. F. Poole Judge James Baker, W. H. Craig and W. H. Reed were added to the committee on Temperance.

L. A. Ross, of Sedalia, was added to the committee on Education.

Dr. Earl Cranston, Senior Book Agent at Cincinnati, and Dr. Geo. W. Gray, Assistant Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society, were introduced.

After the announcements were made and the doxology sung, the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. E. M. Boring.

FOURTH DAY.—Fifth Session.

The Conference prayer meeting was conducted by J. K. Tuttle from 8:30 to 9 o'clock, when the Conference business began with Bishop Mallalieu in the chair.

The minutes of Saturday's session were read, corrected and approved.

A committee of three to prepare a foot note for the minutes relating to the case of S. Alexander was appointed, consisting of J. J. Martin, G. W. Hughey and J. N. Pierce, which reported as follows:

Whereas, Samuel Alexander, late Presiding Elder of the Springfield District, St. Louis Conference, secured a transfer to the Colorado Conference, and immediately subsequent to this time reports affecting his ministerial and moral character became public, and in view of impending charges for immorality, he withdrew from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church and surrendered his parchments, we deem this statement of the facts in this case is due to us as a Conference.

G. W. Hughey,
J. N. Pierce, } Committee.
J. J. Martin,

The **Eighteenth Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*" and the character of S. Jones, L. W. Munsell, J. K. Tuttle, L. R. Carpenter, N. E. Boyce and J. N. Pierce was passed and their relation continued.

E. Hopkins was made effective and transferred to the Puget Sound Conference. F. S. Beggs was made effective. J. W. Haymes was granted a location at his own request.

The Chairman of the committee in the case of John Welsh reported that due notification of charges had not been given.

The Auditing Committee presented their report and it was adopted.

The Nineteenth Question of the Conference business was resumed, namely: "Who are the Superannuated Preachers?" and the names of E. A. Porter, J. H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, A. J. Gaither, E. H. Baird, R. Moffat, R. M. Morgan, John Welsh, A. Barber, T. S. Benefiel, F. Ballaine and William Demotte were called and their character passed, and their relation continued.

When the name of J. W. Tally was called it was announced he died May 26th, 1886. J. W. Cowden was made effective.

The **Third Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Who Remain on Trial?*" and Elijah F. S. Darley, George A. Glenns, William T. Wright and Thomas H. Hawkins reported their collections, and were reported as having passed a satisfactory examination in the course of study for the first year, and their character passed and they were continued on trial in the class of the second year.

John G. Mohrweis reported his collections, and was reported as having passed a satisfactory examination in the first year's course of study except in Hall's Rhetoric, which he was required to bring up; his character was passed and he was continued on trial.

Wm. T. Pare and Armor M. Hammond reported their collections, and were reported as having passed a satisfactory examination in the the first year's course of study except in Ancient History, which they were required to bring up; and their character was passed and they were continued on trial,

W. T. Pyles reported his collections, and his character was passed. He was excused from the first and second years' course of study, and was continued on trial in the class of the second year.

George W. King was not before the committee of examination. His character was passed and he was continued on trial.

David B. Johnson was not examined in the course of study; his character was passed and he was continued on trial. The Bishop was requested to leave him without an appointment to attend one of our schools. W. B. Herbert was discontinued.

The **Thirty-third Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Where shall the next Conference be held?*" Dundee Place, Kansas City, and Ohio Street, Sedalia, were nominated and represented, and Ohio Street chosen.

The Conference requested of Rev. J. K. Tuttle, his semi-centennial sermon preached at the opening of Conference, for publication

in the Conference minutes. He granted the request and the Conference instructed the Secretary to so publish it.

A collection for publishing the minutes was taken amounting to $106.50 in cash, and $36 unpaid subscriptions.

B. St. James Fry offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, the Evangelical Alliance of St. Louis have invited Rev. T. H. Hagerty to become their Chaplain for the St. Louis City Institutions:

Resolved, That we recommend Bishop Mallalieu to appoint him to that work, confident that he will render efficient service in such a relation.

It was moved that when Conference adjourns it adjourn to meet at 2 o'clock. Bishop Mallalieu appointed B. St. James Fry to preside.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. S. Porter.

FOURTH DAY.—SIXTH SESSION.

MARCH 21st, 1887. 2 P. M.

The Conference opened at 2 o'clock with B. St. James Fry in the chair. The religious services were conducted by T. H. Hagerty.

The address of Rev. J. B. Ellis, fraternal delegate from the Southwest Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, was read by the Secretary, and on motion of the Conference was received.

The committee on Temperance made their report which was amended and adopted.

The committees, on Episcopal Fund, Periodicals, Education, Church Extension, Observance of the Sabbath, Bible Cause, on the Collection of Statistics, Sunday School and Tracts, Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, Woman's Home Missionary Society and the Stewards, made their reports which were adopted.

G. W. Hughey was appointed to gather information as to the needs of Sister Condo, one of the former Conference claimants.

J. J. Martin was excused from the Conference.

Wm. Stephens was appointed Conference Treasurer.

The Statistical Secretary's report was received without reading.

The Ironton Charge reports of money and statistics, which did not reach the Conference till this morning, was turned over to the Conference Treasurer with instructions to send the moneys to their proper destination.

O. M. Stewart presented the following resolution relating to the programme for the next Electoral Conference at Sedalia, which was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The Lay Electoral Conference shall convene during our next Annual Session and,

WHEREAS, Such a conference of representative laymen can most profitably consider other questions than the choice of representatives to the General Conference, therefore.

Resolved, That we request the Presiding Elder and pastor of Ohio Street Church in Sedalia, in addition to providing for the usual Conference Anniversaries to also arrange a programme for the Lay Electoral Conference, in which some of the great practical interests of Methodism may be discussed by laymen; and submit the same for the adoption or rejection of the Electoral Conference.

Rev. M. L. Curl, President of Lewis College addressed the Conference. Dr. H. A. Gobin, President of Baker University, Kansas, and Rev. Allen Bartley, of Mallalieu University, Nebraska, were introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of these institutions.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Gray.

FOURTH DAY. SEVENTH SESSION.

MARCH 21st, 1887. 7 P. M.

The Conference met at 7 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment, with Bishop Mallalieu in the chair.

Rev. A. H. Heinlein was selected Fraternal Delegate to the Southwest Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

The transfer of Rev. W. H Reese from the Northern New York Conference to the St. Louis Conference was announced.

The Bishop at the request of the Conference appointed C. J. W. Jones Conference Educational Agent.

The Bishop presented nominations for Triers of Appeals, namely: I. J. K. Lunbeck, L. R. Carpenter, W. P. Armstrong, L. C. Sappenfield, A. H. Heinlein, J. K. Tuttle and C. J. W. Jones.

The Bishop presented the following list of appointments for the next year, namely:

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION.

FIRST YEAR.—Wm. Stephens, C. W. Parsons and C. E. Felton.

SECOND YEAR.—E. J. Hunt, A. Jump and J. N. Moore.

THIRD YEAR.—B. F. January, C. V. Criss and F. Lenig.

FOURTH YEAR.—W. P. Armstrong, O. M. Stewart and B. F. Poole.

LOCAL DEACON'S AND ELDER'S ORDERS.—W. M. Creamer, T. M. Durham and John Ashley.

CANDIDATES FOR ADMISSION ON TRIAL.—L. C. Sappenfield, W. J. Simmons and I. M. Galbraith.

TO PREACH THE MISSIONARY SERMON.—Albert Jump; Alternate.—W. P. Armstrong.

The Presiding Elders presented nominations for the Boards of Church Location, and they were constituted as follows, namely:

BOARD OF CHURCH LOCATION.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.—Presiding Elder and T. H. Hagerty, D. W. Crow, J. A. Field and Seneca Taylor.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.—Presiding Elder and J. H. Gillespie, H. Sholtzhaur and E. Barnum.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.—Presiding Elder and L. R. Carpenter, C. W. Parsons, O. B. Jones, W. H. Craig R. G. Hartwell and W. W. Kendall.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.—Presiding Elder and W. P. Armstrong, B. F. Poole, L. C. Sappenfield, C. E. Bunker and James Baker.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.—Presiding Elder and G. W. Hughey, T. M. Durham, J. J. Martin, R. H. Rose, R. B. Robinson and L. M. Murphy.

The Bishop presented nominations for the Conference Board of Church Extension and they were elected as follows, namely:

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

PRESIDENT.—C. E. Felton, St. Louis.

VICE-PRESIDENT.—S. H. Pye, St. Louis.

SECRETARY.—B. St. James Fry, St. Louis.

TREASURER.—Henry Schureman, St. Louis.

ADDITIONAL MEMBERS.—W. H. Craig, Esq., Kansas City; J. H. Field, Esq., Seneca Taylor, Esq., Rev. T. H. Hagerty and Rev. S. Warner, St. Louis.

Bishop Mallalieu presented the following certificates of ordinations for entry on the Journal:

This is to certify that on March 20th, 1887, at Lamar, Mo., the undersigned ordained to the office of Deacon, Albert J. Graves, Edward McClintock and Jackson A. Winner.

Done at Lamar, Mo., March 20th, 1887. W. F. MALLALIEU.

This is to certify that at Lamar, Mo., on March 20th, 1887, the undersigned, assisted by several Elders, ordained to the office of Elder, Joseph P. Marlatt, Isaac M. Galbraith, Oscar Lunbeck, David Kivett, Clarence E. Heaton and W. T. Neff.

Done at Lamar, Mo., March 20th, 1887. W. F. MALLALIEU.

The committee on Missions made their report which was adopted.

Robert Liddell was discontinued.

The name of C. D. Fry was called, and reported his collections. His character was passed, and his transfer from the Arkansas Conference to this Conference was announced.

J. N. Darby was announced as transferred to the Nebraska Conference.

The **Second Question** of the Conference business was taken up, namely: "*Who Remain on Trial?*" and Charles R. Wade came duly recommended from the Quarterly Conference, of Sullivan Circuit, St. Louis District; Stephen B. Campbell from the Quarterly Conference of Tipton Charge, Sedalia District; William F. Jones, from the Quarterly Conference of High Point charge, Sedalia District; Harvey Smith, from the Quarterly Conference of Lowry City charge, Sedalia District; William S. Courtney, from the Schell City charge, Sedalia District; Fred B. Price, from the District Conference of the Kansas City District; Price A. Crow, from the Quarterly Conference of Dixon charge, Springfield District; Wm. M. Beatty, from the Quarterly Conference of Eminence charge, Springfield District; and George R. Anderson, from the District Conference of Carthage District, and they were introduced to the Conference and those in charge reported their collections, and were reported as having passed a satisfactory examination in the course of study, and were well represented

by their Presiding Elders, and were admitted on trial in the Conference.

William S. Courtney was required to bring up the study of History of Methodism.

J. H. Hard was transferred to the Des Moines Conference.

The Orders of J. F. Allen and Wilber F. Wright, Elders from the Methodist Episcopal Church South were presented and recognized, and these brethren were introduced to the Conference.

The following trustees of the Permanent Fund were elected, namely: J. W. Kauffman, Esq., St. Louis; W. W. Kendall, Esq., Kansas City, and R. B. Robinson, Esq., Lamar, Mo.

The following resolutions were read and adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the St. Louis Conference be and are hereby tendered to the good people of Lamar for the kind manner in which they received us, and the most hospitable manner in which we have been entertained, and to the Pastors and churches of the city for their many favors extended and their brotherly greetings.

Resolved, secondly, That our thanks are due to our Secretaries for their constant devotion to the heavy duties of their office in our Conference.

Resolved, That our most hearty thanks be extended to Brother Heinlein for the ample and kindly manner in which he provided for our entertainment and comfort, and for his loving fidelity to our interests while here.

Resolved, further, That our hearts go out in thankfulness to Bishop Mallalieu for his kindly salutations as he came among us a stranger to many, the warm manner in which he tendered his services of head, hand and heart to assist us in our work. We are inspired by his rich experiences in religious things, his earnest exhortations, eloquent addresses and soul stirring sermon, and we will welcome his visits among us in the future as rich benedictions.

T. H. HAGERTY,
L. A. MARKHAM, } Committee.
O. M. STEWART,

There being no other business B. St. James Fry moved that after reading and approving the minutes, and after the devotional services and the reading of the appointments, this Conference adjourn *sine die*. The motion prevailed.

The minutes of the day's sessions were read and approved, after which the Conference joined in the closing religious services led by Bishop Mallalieu. After singing, Rev. J. Entwisle led in prayer. The Bishop then read the appointments for the year, the benediction was pronounced, and these christian ministers of the St. Louis Conference went forth to another year's service and sacrifice for their Lord.

H. R. MILLER,
Secretary.

II

REPORTS.

LAMAR, MO., MARCH 21st, 1887.

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its Session March 17–21, 1887.

HENRY R. MILLER,
Secretary, St. Louis Annual Conference.

I. REPORT OF AUDITING COMMITTEE.

The Auditing Committee have examined the Presiding Elders' accounts of Missionary Moneys and find the moneys applied as directed and vouchers therefor. Also, of the Secretaries for publication of the minutes and find them correct.

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Secretary. D. W. CROW, Chairman.

II. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

We, your committee to whom was referred the interests of the Bible Cause feel impressed with the magnitude of its work in our midst. Yet we fear that many of us have not given our attention to aid this noble cause, as much as it demands, but we are glad to say that there has been a handsome increase this year over the receipts of last year. The collection amounted to $75.05 last year and this year to $136.96.

C. E. HEATON, Secretary. THOMAS H. KNEASE, Chairman.

III. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION.

Your committee to whom was referred the interests of Church Extension are glad to report that the over draft that stood in our way from receiving any immediate assistance from the Society, has by the act of one man been paid, and that the Conference has given a subscription of $1,500, which will greatly aid us in the future. We therefore, recommend the passage of the following resolution:

Resolved. That we will make more vigorous effort the coming year than ever before, to greatly increase our gift to this Society:

W. J. SIMMONS, Secretary. T. H. HAGERTY, Chairman.

REPORT OF ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

St. Louis, March 16, 1887.

The St. Louis Conference Board of Church Extension held three meetings during the past Conference year:

On June 15, 1886, it recommended appropriations to Rich Hill and Odessa, Kansas City District; Houston, Springfield District; and Clarksburg, Sedalia District.

On October 12, 1886, it recommended appropriations to Burn's Chapel and Festus, Rolla District; Advance, St. Louis District; and Bolivar, Springfield District.

On January 25, 1887, it had before it applications from Deer Creek, Carthage District; Flat Rock, Springfield District; Montgomery Street, Sedalia, and Rockville, Sedalia District; Foster, Bates county, and Arlington, Kansas City, Kansas City District. But the Board decided in view of the publication of the paper from the Parent Office, not to make recommendations.

Respectfully Submitted,

BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY, Secretary.

IV. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EPISCOPAL FUND.

Your committee on Episcopal Fund beg leave to submit the following as their report:

COLLECTIONS.

St. Louis District	$ 97.25.
Kansas City District	202.05.
Sedalia District	175.00.
Springfield District	96.50.
Carthage District	79.85.
Total	$650.65.

Your committee find that twenty-seven of the charges of the Conference made no report And some other reports show an amount far below the proportionate part of the pastors' salary recieved.

We recommend that the Presiding Elders see to it that the pastors be required to prorate in the future and we urge that every pastor be urged to take his collection for this claim.

The Book committee has apportioned to this Conference this year for the support of the Bishops, $1,049. We recommend that this sum be apportioned by the Presiding Elders to the several charges.

J. J. MARTIN, Secretary.

V. THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

The committee on District Conference Records beg leave to report that they have examined said records and found them to be correct.

J. INGRAM,
C. E. EVANS.

VI. REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

CARLETON INSTITUTE.

This institution is located in Farmington, Missouri.

The courses of study are Academic, Scientific, Commercial and College Preparatory.

Miss Carleton, the efficient President, is assisted in the work of instruction by an able corps of teachers. The property, to the value of $23,000 is held by the trustees. The entire debt against the property amounts to $3,150, a part of which is covered by subscriptions. Some additions have been made to the Library the last year, and Prof. Simmons' private cabinet has been donated to the institution.

We recommend for visitors Rev. J. P. Marlatt, Rev. Wm. T. Neff and T. M. Doan, Esq.

DEPAUW UNIVERSITY.

DePauw University, the successor to Indiana Ashbury University, so long and favorably known to the Church, reports a year of unexampled prosperity. A number of fine buildings, admirably adapted for different departments of college work, have been completed during the year past. The University now comprises colleges of Theology, Law, Music, Fine Arts and Normal Instruction. These are all equipped and are in the very first rank among educational institutions of the great West. The munificent giving of Mr. W. C. DePauw enables this great University, which bears his name, to operate all its departments without financial embarrassment.

GARRETT BIBLICAL INSTITUTE.

This, the second oldest of the Theological schools of the Methodist Episcopal Church, has been blessed with another year of prosperity.

During the past year, by the liberality of friends, the trustees have been able to erect a new building, to be called Memorial Hall, which is to cost forty thousand dollars, and to be dedicated free from debt in May next.

At Garrett Biblical Institute students are furnished tuition and room-rent free. The rooms are in Heck Hall and are furnished with heavy furniture, thus bringing the expenses within the reach of all.

This institution invites to its care and instruction the young men of the Church, whom God has called to the ministry.

More than a thousand students have enjoyed the privileges of this school—not a few of whom have attained prominence in the Church as preachers, pastors and foreign missionaries.

One hundred and nineteen students are now registered in the regular courses.

Your committee would call the special attention of young men preparing for the ministry to the excellent opportunities offered by this institution. We believe they cannot afford to miss the opportunity of studying theology with the help and inspiration of the able faculty of this school of theology.

We recommend as visitors: Revs. T. H. Hagerty, C. W. Parsons, J. J. Martin and O. M. Stewart.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

Marionville Collegiate Institute is one of our church and Conference schools. It is most favorably located in the village of Marionville, in Southwest Missouri, 260 miles from St. Louis and 150 miles from Kansas City.

It is situated in the very heart of the Conference territory. Its reports show a large increase in attendance of students during the last year, and evidence of most thorough educational work. It aims to do college preparatory work and to give thorough academic drill.

Never before has the future of this school been so well assured as now. The Methodist people of the surrounding country are rallying grandly to the support of this, our own Church school.

The institution is really in need of a larger building for taking care of its students and increasing its efficiency. It has built thus far within its income and is entirely out of debt.

We recommend the appointment of J. J. Martin as President of the Marionville Collegiate Institute.

LEWIS COLLEGE.

We have had before us the reports of the Faculty and Treasurer of Lewis College, and have given the affairs of this school our careful attention. The report of the Faculty indicates that the educational departments are well organized, and that a larger number of students and of a better grade than last year are present. An unusually large proportion of these students are young men preparing for the ministry. The religious influence of the Faculty is marked and is producing the best results, but the attendance of students is far less than should be, less than it would be if the ministers of the two Conferences took proper interest in the school. Lewis College cannot prosper until it has a stronger hold upon the affections of our people, and our ministers begin to work for it in earnest.

The report of the Treasurer is incomplete, and we are not able to state the actual financial condition. But it is plain that the College is greatly embarrassed with debt, largely growing out of the buildings and grounds that it now occupies. The tuition fees do not pay the current expenses; a considerable indebtedness occurred last year on this account and it will be the same this year. We have no plan to propose for the relief of the College from its embarrassment. Collections by the preachers have availed little, and the work of financial agents has accomplished little on account of the lack of sympathy of the people. We recommend the trustees not to make any further engagements that may add to the present indebtedness.

We nominate Rev. T. H. Hagerty, W. W. Kendall, Esq., O. M. Stewart and F. A. Sampson, Esq., for directors, to fill the vacancies occuring by the expiration of the term of Rev. T. H. Hagerty and J. W. L. Slavens, Esq.; and for visitors, Rev. C. E. Felton, Rev. J. J. Martin, Rev. O. B. Jones, J. W. Pullis, Esq., F. A. Thompson, Esq., and E. O. Stanard.

EDUCATIONAL AGENT.

In view of the condition of our educational interests and educational institutions in this Conference, and the State of Missouri, and the necessity of a careful investigation of the same; and of certain propositions which have been made looking towards the founding of a great educational institution, we recommend the appointment of C. J. W. Jones as Educational Agent of the St. Louis Conference, and that he be authorized to act for and represent the Conference in educational matters, subject, however, to the endorsement of the Conference.

EDUCATIONAL COLLECTIONS.

We present herewith a statement of the educational collections, both for the General Educational Fund and the Children's Fund, and receipts for the same. We recommend that the collections of the general fund shall be appropriated for the current expenses of Lewis College.

EDUCATIONAL COLLECTIONS.

	Educational.		Children's Day.	
	Cash.	Vouchers.	Cash.	Vouchers
St. Louis District	$ 10.00	$110.00	.....	$ 29.16.
Sedalia District	20.20	23.00	.....	72.02.
Kansas City District	92.25	.....	$252.90	32.88.
Springfield District	18.16	45.00	13.18	27.60.
Carthage District	27.85	1.00	20.00	20.15.
Total	$168.46	$179.93	$286.08	$181.81.

Cash $168.46.
286.08.

$454.54.

Vouchers $179.93.
181.81.

371.74.
454.54.

$816.28.

General Educational.

Cash $168.46.
Vouchers 179.93.

$348.39.

Children's Fund.

Cash $286.08.
Vouchers 181.81.

$467.89.
348.39.

$816.28.

J. J. Martin,
Secretary.

B. St. James Fry,
President.

VII. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

The following distribution of the Missionary money apportioned to the St. Louis Conference was made:

St. Louis District.—Carondelet, $100; Water Tower, $100; St. Luke, $200; Tower Grove, $200; Bloomfield, $50; Farmington, $75; Perryville, $40; Crystal City and Zion, $75; Ironton, $75; Pacific and Calvery, $100; Webster Circuit, $40, Sullivan, $35. Total, $1090.

Sedalia District.—Montgomery Street, $200; Lowry City, $50; Marshall, $150; Schell City and Eldorado Springs, $100; Appleton City, $100. Total, $600.

Kansas City District.—Arlington, $200; East Side, $100; Liberty street, $50; Howard Memorial, $50; East Lynn, $100; Adrian, $50; Butler Circuit, $30; Rich Hill, $100; Hume and Foster, $50. Total, $750.

Springfield District.—Bolivar, $50; Cuba, $50; Dixon, $50; Eminence, $50; Hermitage, $50; Houston, $25; Marshfield, $75; Mountain Grove, $25; Republic, $50; Seymour and Ava, $50; Salem, $75; West Plains, $150; Springfield Mission, $100. Total, $800.

Carthage District.—Joplin, $200; Carterville and Webster City, $120; Peirce City, $120; Marionville, $120; Stockton, $75; Seneca and Neosho, $75; Galena, $50. Total. $760.

J. F. Corrington, Secretary. Wm. Stephens, President.

I hereby concur in the above appropriations.

W. F. Mallalieu.

VIII. REPORT OF TREASURER OF PERMANENT FUND.

March 17th. 1887.

Amount of Principal Fund on hand at last Conference....		$2.000.00
RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR.		
From Mr. and Mrs. S. Ridenour, credited to Grand Avenue church, Kansas City.....	$100.00.	
From Rev. Henry R. Miller, a draft for $125 returned to him by the Mission Board of New York which he requested put into the Permanent Fund. The Conference so ordered, with a vote of thanks.....	125.00.	
From Ohio St. M. E. church, Sedalia.....	25.00.	
From Premium on note sold.....	50.00.	
From Interest on loans.....	143.96.	
From accumulated Interest.....	33.77.	
		477.73.
		$2,477.73.
Paid to the St. Louis Annual Conference.....		143.96.
		$2.333.77.

RESOURCES.

Loans, secured by first mortgage on real estate..	$2,050.00.
Accumulated Interest.....	33.77.
Cash on hand.....	250.00.
	$2,333.77.

W. H. Craig. Treasurer.

IX. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PERIODICALS.

The committee on Periodicals and Church Literature beg leave to report as follows:

The times in which we live and labor demand that we should not only make ourselves familiar with the trend of modern thought but we should furnish our people the information essential to their instruction.

The literature of the Methodist Episcopal Church is among the most elevated in tone and pure in presentation to be found in American publications. The Methodist Review stands abreast with all and surpasses many of the monthlies and bi-monthlies. The committee would rejoice to know that it was in the hands of every Methodist minister.

We recommend to our Sunday School workers and young people "Our Youth," edited by Dr. J. H. Vincent. This paper is especially adapted to the needs of our young people. It is bright and loyal to Christ and the Methodist church. We have watched the development of "Our Youth" and its influence on the children of our families where it is taken, and have found its influence always a great good.

The most cherished among our weeklies is the "Central Christian Advocate," edited by Benjamin St. James Fry, D. D., and published in St. Louis. It is edited with conspicuous ability; and while it is sufficiently local in its news to meet the demands of all, it is also filled with fresh, reliable and national information. Therefore,

Resolved. First, That these periodicals should receive the universal patronage of the church.

Second, That we especially ask this year both our laymen and ministers to disseminate our excellent church literature.

All of which we respectfully submit.

C. E. Felton,
H. M Hackney,
W. M. Creamer,
Jacob Miller,
J. H. Gillespie.

X. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FREEDMAN'S AID SOCIETY.

Your committee submit the following report:

St. Louis District reports $136.20, with seven charges out of twenty-one, blank.

Carthage District reports collected $48.35 with eleven non-reporting charges out of a total of twenty-three charges.

Sedalia District collects $79.70, and out of twenty-five charges eight have no report.

Springfield District brings $46.09 for this good cause, collected from seventeen charges; fourteen charges taking no collection.

We suggest the brethren read section nineteen of paragraph one hundred and eighty-three, of the Discipline.

Kansas City District is in sympathy with this society, collecting $1,127.35, and has only one non-reporting charge.

Last year an increase of $176.20 was reported over the year previous. This year we report an increase of $848.89 over last year, and $438.98 more than that of the two last years together. And had the forty blank charges reported we would exceed that of the three last years combined.

We would earnestly request the Freedmen's Aid Society to grant $15,000 to establish a Freedmen's School in this state, and further request that the collections from the Missouri Conferences for the Freedmen's Aid cause this year be given this direction. We offer the following as some of the reasons justifying such an appropriation:

First. We have a large colored population in this state that can be reached by the Methodist Episcopal Church, and must be reached by us, if we do our duty.

Second. To carry forward this work successfully, we must have an educated ministry, and the christian teacher.

Third. We have no place, within the state, where such opportunities are afforded to our colored brethren as are necessary to qualify them for their work.

Fourth. They are not able to attend our schools at Nashville or Little Rock on account of the distance and the expense of going to and from.

Fifth. This necessity for a school is emphasized by the organization of a separate Conference, thus partially removing them from those who have had better opportunity for such education as our colored brethren greatly need.

Sixth. By bringing the object of this benevolence within the state will greatly increase the collections for this cause.

If the Freedmen's Aid Society grant this request, we will pledge our earnest effort to reach the quarter million line this year by giving an entire service to this cause, and securing all we can to carry forward so great a work.

M. Bell, Secretary. L. A. Markham, President.

XI. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COLLECTION OF STATISTICS.

The committee to whom was referred the matter of devising a better method of collecting the Statistical Reports and Benevolent Moneys at Conference, recommend the appointment of a Conference Treasurer to whom all Benevolence moneys, or vouchers therefor, shall be turned over on the first day of the session, and who shall account for the same and place them in the hands of the proper societies and committees.

We recommend the adoption of the system devised by Rev. G. W. Taneyhill, Treasurer of the Central Ohio Conference and now in use in a number of Annual Conferences.

F. S. Beggs,
I. J. K. Lunbeck,
Chas. S. Revelle.

XII. REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS.

We have received as follows:

From the St. Louis District	$314.60	
From the Kansas City District	488.15	
From the Sedalia District	114.60	
From the Carthage District	97.20	
From the Springfield District	76.85	
Total from Districts		$1,091.40.
From the Permanent Fund		143.96.
From Book Concern		180.00.
From Chartered Fund		30.00.
From last year		3.00.
Total		$1,448.36.

We have appropriated to twenty Conference Claimants as follows:

Mrs. Eliza Garner	$ 80	
Mrs. Mary I. Acres	90	
Miss Amanda Bewley	50	
Wm. DeMott	100	
A. J. Gaither	70	
Mrs. G. V. Houts	100	
Mrs. C. A. Little	50	
R. Moffat	50	
R. M. Morgan	100	
E. A. Porter	45	
Mrs. J. L. Walker	100	
„ P. West	78	
„ R. R. Pierce	100	
„ M. A. Talley	70	
„ M. S. Colton	50	
„ L. S. McNutt	50	
„ A. J. Clifford	100	
A. Barber	45	
E. H. Baird	20	
Mrs. S. H. Mortland	100	
Drafts, Stamps, etc.	.36	
		$1,448.36.

A Sunday School class in Grand Avenue Sunday School, Kansas City, as the result of benevolent training, after meeting all benevolent apportionments assigned, as a free will offering sent five dollars to this Conference to be given to the oldest and feeblest superannuated member of the St. Louis Conference. We have, anticipating your approval, added this gift to the $100 given to Bro. R. M. Morgan who is not only the oldest, but who is feeble, blind and paralyzed.

Your Board of Stewards recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That those receiving funds at this Conference for various Conference claimants instead of forwarding receipts for the same to the secretary as formerly be instructed to forward those receipts to J. B. Daniel, chairman of this board, and he be instructed to

pass the same into the hands of the Auditing Committee for their examination and report.

Resolved. That we keep the purpose and advantages of the Conference Permanent Fund before our laymen and in private intercourse incite them to noble deeds by that which has already been so generously done.

Resolved. That in view of our limited funds in this St. Louis Conference we earnestly repeat our request of last year to the East Main Conference from which Brother A. J. Clifford was transferred, and also to the Indiana Conference from which Brother McNutt was transferred.

O. M. Stewart, Secretary. J. B. Daniel, Chairman.

XIII. REPORT OF TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE.

Whereas, The M. E. Church from its beginning has been a strictly temperance church, and our beloved Wesley advocated in its General Rules that "intoxicants should only be used in cases of extreme necessity;" and,

Whereas, The last General Conference urges the membership to loyalty to the cause of prohibition, and,

Whereas, The moral, social, commercial and spiritual interests of both church and state demand the prohibition of the liquor traffic, therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of the St. Louis Conference, will enforce the rules of temperance as embodied in our discipline, and request our people not to vote for the candidates of any party that favors the liquor traffic or whose conventions are denominated by the rum power. We also expect that every voter in the M. E. Church will vote for the prohibition of the liquor traffic;

Resolved, That we will endeavor to show our Methodist laymen of Missouri the necessity of following the grand example of our sister states of Kansas and Iowa, and that we will prove our *faith* by our *works* to all managers of all political parties.

Resolved, That we express our sincere gratitude to the Legislators of the state of Missouri, who heeded the earnest appeals of the people and voted 76 to 54 for submission. We also express our condemnation of those state Senators who defeated the amendment for a submission and refused our citizens the right of franchise.

Resolved, That in the martyrdom of Brother Haddock we have a cruel example of the lawlessness of the rum power, and the desperate means to which it will resort to maintain and perpetuate its existence, and we hereby express our abhorence of that brutal and heinous act and pledge ourselves to use every endeavor to destroy that monster evil, and our efforts will never cease until victory rewards sacrifice.

Resolved, That we esteem the Woman's Christian Temperance Union the most efficient and systematic organization for the spread of christian temperance and will extend to it our hearty support.

Resolved, That we express our sincere gratitude to Bro. W. H. Craig for his offer of the Kansas City Herald free to all ministers of this Conference, and our high esteem for his loyalty to prohibition.

XIV. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION AND TRACT SOCIETY.

Your committee report an increase in the collections this year of $9.12. The amount collected for Sunday School Union is $206.83 and for the Tract Society, $206.99. We urge our people to secure tracts from our Society and especially Dr. J. H. Vincent's new tracts called "Our Own Church Series."

FRANK LENIG, Secretary. W. T. LEWIS, President.

XV. OBSERVANCE OF THE SABBATH.

We believe the position taken by the M. E. Church concerning the observance of the Sabbath is supported by the Holy Scriptures and is essential to the morals of the American people. We exhort our ministers and people to stand firmly on the scriptural foundation on this subject. While we sympathize with those in the employ of corporations over which they have no control, we deprecate the disregard of the sanctity of the Sabbath by the large corporations of this country. We condemn the establishing of Sunday periodicals and their support by professing christians and others.

We recommend that our people and ministers, as far as possible, arrange their work during the week so they can keep holy the Sabbath day.

We recommend preaching on this subject as often as practical by our pastors and local preachers.

JAMES PINE,
J. N. MOORE,
B. F. JANUARY.

XVI. REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

We, your committee, are glad to report an increased interest in the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Although there are many blanks, the number of auxiliaries are increasing. We commend most heartily this Society to all the charges in the St. Louis Conference, hoping there may be an auxiliary in every charge which will be most potent for good. They deserve our united support in all the work. We also commend the "Heathen Woman's Friend" to all the preachers and their wives, which will always give full information of their work and its needs. It is only 50 cents a year.

Receipts of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of St. Louis Conference for the year ending March 17th, 1887, as follows:

St. Louis District	$401.80.
Kansas City District	770.91.
Sedalia District	206.14.
Carthage District	179.71.
Springfield District	38.60.
Total	$1597.16.

J. P. MARLATT, Secretary. ISAAC ENTWISLE, President.

XVII. REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Report by Districts as follows:

St. Louis District	$428.06.
Sedalia District	1.50.
Kansas City District	29.00.
Carthage District	3.00.
Springfield District	6.50.
Total	$468.06.

This report shows an increase of about 250 per cent. over that of last year. The work of the Society is well known to be of the most worthy character and we recommend it to the more careful consideration of the several charges.

JAS. B. BREWINGTON, D. KIVETT, W. T. NEFF, } Committee.

XVIII. APPORTIONMENTS OF BENEVOLENCE TO DISTRICTS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

The following is the distribution for the benevolent and other collections apportioned to the St. Louis Conference, to be raised this year as directed and made by the Presiding Elders:

Districts.	Per Cent. First Seven	Missions	Ch. Extension	Con'f Claimants	S. S Union	Tract Society	Education	Fre'dman's Aid	Gen'l Conference Expenses	Episcopal Fund.
Carthage	10	$ 850	$ 200	$ 100	$ 50	$ 50	$ 40	$ 150	$ 68	$ 165
Kansas City	30	2550	6 0	300	150	150	120	450	140	264
St. Louis	35	2975	700	350	175	175	140	525	247	232
Springfield	10	850	200	100	50	50	40	150	63	163
Sedalia	15	1275	300	150	75	75	60	225	95	225
To the Conference		$ 8500	$ 2000	$ 1000	$ 500	$ 500	$ 400	$ 1500	*$ 613	$ 1049

*To be raised in the two years—the last and this year.

J. F. CORRINGTON, Secretary.

III

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

Question I. "Who are Received by Transfer and from what Conferences?"

William T. Lewis, from the North Ohio Conference; William J. Simmons and Charles D. Fry from the Arkansas Conference and W. H. Reese, from the Northern New York Conference.

Question II. "Who are Admitted on Trial?"

George R. Anderson, Wm. M. Beatty, Price A. Crow, Fred B. Price, Charles R. Wade, Wm. S. Courtney, Hervey Smith, Wm. F. Jones and Stephen B. Campbell.

Question III. "Who Remain on Trial?"

George W. King, Henry A. Toland, J. G. Mohrweis, George A. Glens, Wm. T. Pare, E. F. S. Darby, Thomas H. Hawkins, Wm. T. Wright, Armor M. Hammond, David B. Johnson and W. T. Pyles.

Question IV. "Who are Discontinued?"

W. B. Herbert and Robert Liddell.

Question V. "Who are Admitted into Full Connection?"

Albert J. Graves.

Question VI. "Who are Re-admitted?"

None.

Question VII. "Who are Received on Credentials from other Churches?"

None.

Question VIII. "What Traveling Preachers have been elected Deacons?"

Albert J. Graves.

Question IX. "What Traveling Preachers have been ordained Deacons?"

Albert J. Graves.

Question X. "What Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?"

Edward McClintock and Jackson A. Winner.

Question XI. "What Local Preachers have been ordained Deacons?"

Edward McClintock and Jackson A. Winner.

Question XII. "Who are Traveling Deacons of the First Class?"

Robert T. Smith and Albert J. Graves.

Question XIII. "Who are Traveling Deacons of the Second Class?"

Charles E. Evans.

Question XIV. "What Traveling Deacons have been elected Elders?"

Joseph P. Marlatt, Isaac M. Galbraith, Oscar Lunbeck, David Kivett, Clarence E. Heaton and Wm T. Neff.

Question XV. "What Traveling Deacons have been ordained Elders?"

Joseph P. Marlatt, Isaac M. Galbraith, Oscar Lunbeck, David Kivett, Clarence E. Heaton and Wm. T. Neff.

Question XVI. "What Local Deacons have been elected Elders?"

None.

Question XVII. "What Local Deacons have been ordained Elders?"

None.

Question XVIII. "Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?"

Richard H. Hanson, S. Jones, L. W. Munsell. J. K. Tuttle, L. R. Carpenter, N. E. Boyce and J. N. Pierce.

Question XIX. "Who are the Superannuated Preachers?"

E. A. Porter, J. H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, J. Welch, A. J. Gaither. E. H. Baird, R. Moffat, R. M. Morgan, A. Barber, T. S. Benefiel, F. Ballaine and Wm. Demotte.

Question XX. "Was the character of each Preacher examined?"

This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

Question XXI. "Have any Died?"

John W. Tally and Richard R. Pierce?"

Question XXII. "Have any been Transferred and to what Conferences?"

William G. Cowan to the Southern California Conference; E. Hopkins to the Puget Sound Conference; Samuel Alexander to the Colorado Conference;* J. M. Darby to the Nebraska Conference; O. J. Cowles to the Pittsburg Conference and J. H. Hard to the Des Moines Conference.

Question XXIII. "Have any Withdrawn?"

None.

Question XXIV. "Have any been located at their own request?"

J. W. Haymes.

Question XXV. "Have any been Located?"

None.

Question XXVI. "Have any been permitted to Withdraw under charges?"

None.

Question XXVII. "Have any been Expelled?"

None.

Question XXVIII. "Who are selected for Triers of Appeals?"

I. J. K. Lunbeck, L, R. Carpenter, W. P. Armstrong, L. C. Sappenfield, J. K. Tuttle and C. J. W. Jones.

*See Journal, Page 9.

Question XXIX. "What is the Statistical Report for this Conference year?"

	ANSWER.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Number of Probationers	2,783	497	
Number of Full Members	16 204	1,680	
Number of Local Preachers	138	4	
Number of Deaths of Members	185	35	
Children baptised the past year	383	95	
Adults baptised the past year	1,248	476	
Number of Churches	194	6	
Probable value	$580,895	$37,506	
Number of Parsonages	60	4	
Probable Value	$58,230		6—$63
Paid for building and improving Ch's and Par's	$35,387		
Paid on old indebtedness of same	$16,791		$1,738
Present indebtedness on Church property	$34,847		$4.587
Paid for Current Expenses	$17,499	$7,638	
Collected for Missions	$7,190	$268	
Collected for Church Extension	$2,485	$1,455	
Collected for Sunday-school Union	$216	$15	
Collected for Tract Society	$204	$16	
Collected for Freedmen's Aid Society	$1,437	$875	
Collected for Education	$807		$3,360
Collected for American Bible Society	$142	$64	
Collected for Woman's Foreign Missions	$1,493		$106
Collected for Woman's Home Missions	$440	$155	
Collected upon other collections	$9,910	$6,434	
Paid to Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops	$66,686	$2,264	
Claims for Pastor's support	$68,314		
Paid for Pastor's support	$59,614		
Deficiencies	$8,673		
Claims for support of Presiding Elders	$7,213		
Paid for support of Presiding Elders	$6,073		
Claims for support of Bishops	$1,063		
Paid for support of Bishops	$691		
Claims for Conference Claimants	$965		
Collected for Conference Claimants	$1,185	$381	
Number of Sunday-schools	156		
Number of Officers and Teachers	1,766		
Number of Scholars of all ages	13,770		

(See General Statistics.)

Question XXX. "What are the claims on the Conference Fund?"

Answer $965.00.

Question XXXI. "What has been Received on these Claims and how has it been Applied?"

From the several charges	$1,091.40.
From the Permanent Fund	143.96.
From the Book Concern	180.00.
From the Chartered Fund	30.00.
From Last Year	3.00.
Total	$1,448.36.

For the Disbursement of this sum, see Report XII, Page 23.

APPOINTMENTS FOR 1887--8.

Question XXXII. "Where are the Preachers Stationed?"

[The numerals at the right indicate the year of service entered upon, Names in brackets are supplies.]

Answer:

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

J. F. Corrington, P. E., 3162, School St., St. Louis. 4
Bloomfield.....G. W. King. 2
Bonne Terre & Mineral Pt. [To be supplied.
Crystal City and Zion.....D. W Crow. 2
De Soto .....[To be supplied.]
Farmington.....C. E. Heaton. 2
Fredericktown .....[J. H. Denman.]
Ironton.....W. T. Neff. 1
Lutesville & Cape Girardeau [J. W. Harwood
Pacific and Calvey.....(To be supplied.)
Perryville.....(To be supplied.)
ST. LOUIS:
Carondelet.....Cyrus Brough. 2
Goode Avenue.....F Lenig. 1
St. Luke.....J. P. Marlatt. 1
Tower Grove.....S Warner. 2
Trinity.....O M. Martin. 2
Union ..... C. E Felton. 2
Water Tower.....B. F. Thomas. 1
Sullivan.....C. R. Wade. 1
Webster.....O. Lunbeck. 2
L. Hallock, City Missionary. B. St. James Fry, Editor Central Christian Advocate. T. H. Hagerty Chaplain St. Louis Evangelical Alliance and Members Union Quarterly Conference.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

W. K. Collins, Presiding Elder, Clinton, 1.

Appleton City.....H. M. Hackney. 1
Aullville.....(To be supplied.)
Clinton.....A. H. Heinlein. 1
Dresden.....[To be supplied.]
High Point.....W. F. Jones. 1
Huntingdale.....[T. S. Johnson.]
Knob Noster.....W. T. Pyles. 2
Lincoln.....James Pine. 2
Lowry City.....H. Smith. 1
Lebeck .....[To be supplied.]
Malta Bend.....A. L. Walker. 2
Marshall.....[E. P. Anderson.]
Montrose.....H. A. Tolano. 1
Osceola.....S. B. Campbell. 1
Rockville .....I. M Galbraith. 1
Schell City & Eldorado Spr. W. S Courtney. 1
SEDALIA:
Montgomery Street.....J. H. Gillespie. 3
Ohio Street.....Albert Jump. 1
Smithton and Pilot Grove. Wm. Stephens. 1
Tipton .....M. B. Wood. 1
Warrensburg .....L. A. Markham. 2
Windsor.....J. B. Daniel. 1
J. B. Van Petten, Professor in Claverac College, New York—Member Ohio Street Quarterly Conference.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

O. M. Stewart, P. E., Kansas City. 1

Adrian.....Thomas Pingry. 3
Austin and PleasantVal. A. P. Sallaway. 2
Belton .....C. S. Revelle. 1
Butler.....John Ashley. 1
Butler Circuit .....W. F. Baker. 1
East Lynne.....J. S. Porter. 1
Holden Circuit.....[To be supplied.]
Hume and Foster.....C. E. Evans. 1
Independence.....O. B. Jones. 1
KANSAS CITY:
Arlington.....F. B. Price. 1
Dundee Place .....W. H. Reese. 1
East Side.....[To be supplied.]
Grand Avenue.....C. W. Parsons. 3
Howard Memorial.....[To be supplied.]
Liberty Street.....W. T. Lewis. 1
Summit Street.....Wm. Jones. 1
Lee Summit.....[To be supplied.]
Oak Grove.....S. Ing. 3
Pleasant Hill.....D. Kivett. 2
Rich Hill..... J. Ingram, 1
C. J. W. Jones, Educational Agent—Member Grand Avenue Quarterly Conference.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

F. S. Beggs, Presiding Elder, Springfield. 1

Bolivar..... Price A. Crow. 1
Buffalo and Urbana.....[To be supplied.)
Conway and Strafford.....H, Threlfall. 2
Cuba.....G. A. Glens. 2
Dadeville and Ash Grove. E. F. S Darby. 2
Dixon.....N. H. Buck. 1
Eminence.....W. M. Beatty, 1
Fair Play.....J. W. Cowden. 1
Gainesville.....(To be supplied.)
Hartville.....(E. J. Dunaway.)
Hermitage.....W. T. Pare. 2
Houston.....(Wesley Nall.)
Humansville.....(John Clark.)
Iberia.....F. M. Stickney. 2
Lebanon.....H. R. Miller. 3
Licking.....(W. H. Gardenhire.)
Marshfield .....J. B. Brewington. 2
Mountain Grove.....Jacob Miller. 1
North Springfield.....B. F. Poole. 1
Ozark and Forsyth.....(To be supplied.)
Richland .....B. F. January. 2
Republic.....W. F. Yeager. 1
Rolla.....I. J. K. Lunbeck. 1
Salem.....W. M. Creamer. 2
Seymour & Ava..... { L. W. Munsell and one to be supplied. }
Sligo .....(S. Z. Winkler.)
Springfield.....W. P. Armstrong. 2
Vitchey Springs.....A. J. Graves. 2
West Plains.....L. C. Sappenfield 3
Willow Springs.....(E. McClintock.)

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

W. V. Hamel, Presiding Elder, Carthage. 2
Avilla.....C. D. Fry. 1
Billings.....(To be supplied.)
Carterville and Webb City T. H. Hawkins. 2
Carthage.....G. W. Hughey.
Carthage Circuit .....I. Entwisle. 1
Galena.....(C. Gaither.)
Golden City.....M. Bell. 1
Greenfield.....Wm. Buck. 2
Jasper and Mt. Moriah.....(M. A. Nance
Joplin.....T. M. Durham. 2
Lamar.....C. V. Criss. 1
Lone Dove and Erie.....J. G. Mohrweis. 1
Marionville and Aurora.....J. J. Martin. 2
Moundville.....(To be supplied.)
Mount Vernon.....T. H. Knease. 2
Nashville.....G. R. Anderson. 1
Oronogo.....A. M. Hammond. 1
Peirce City.....J. N. Moore. 3
Sarcoxie.....F. Exley. 1
Seneca and Neosho.....W. T. Wright. 2
Sheldon.....J. W. Finley. 2
Stockton.....(To be supplied.)
R. T. Smith and D B. Johnson left without appointments to attend one of our schools.

Question XXXIII. "Where shall the next Conference be held?"

Sedalia.

Sessions of the St. Louis Conference.

At the General Conference held at Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conferences the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn, May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory and constituted the "Arkansas Conference" The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	Received on Trial	Received in Full	Ordained Deacons	Ordained Elders	Located	Withdrawn	Expelled	Rec'by Re-ad. & Tr	Transferred	Deaths
1	1869, Mar, 11	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	7	8	4	10	..	1	..	5	..	..
2	1870, Mar. 9	Springfield	Clark	,,	27	9	..	12	3	..	..	3	4	..
3	1871, Mar, 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	,,	29	9	5	4	4	..	..	6	4	1
4	1872, Feb. 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	22	20	19	6	2	1	..	10	4	2
5	1873, Mar. 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	,,	13	14	11	1	3	2	..	3	5	2
6	1874, Mar. 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	,,	14	9	8	11	5	.	..	17	7	..
7	1875, Mar. 17	Carthage	Merrill	,,	5	9	10	7	2	..	..	2	7	1
8	1876, Mar. 26	Sedalia	Peck	,,	4	11	10	10	4	1	..	3	8	2
9	1877, Mar, 21	Union, St. L	Simpson	,,	6	4	3	5	3	..	..	3	4	1
10	1878, Mar. 20	Kansas City	Bowman	,,	11	2	2	6	3	1	..	6	3	1
11	1879, Mar. 26	Springfield	Wiley	,,	4	5	5	6	2	..	..	3	..	..
12	1880, Mar. 17	Sedalia	Foster	O M. Stewart	10	12	12	4	..	1	..	6	7	2
13	1881, Mar 31	Carthage	Hurst	,,	14	4	4	6	2	..	..	5	2	5
14	1882, Mar, 29	Central, St. L	Warren	A. H. Parker	9	6	4	9	4	..	..	6	9	1
15	1883, Mar. 14	Clinton	Andrews	F S. Beggs	6	10	5	2	4	2	..	5	4	1
16	1884, Mar. 12	Kansas City	Foss	J.F.Corrington	6	3	6	6	.	..	..	10	5	2
17	1885, Mar. 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	5	6	3	7	1	1	..	8	9	2
18	1886, Mar. 25	Warrensburg	Harris	,,	15	2	5	3	2	2	..	8	4	3
19	1887, Mar. 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	,,	9	1	3	6	1	..	..	4	6	2

OUR HONORED DEAD.

"THEY REST FROM THEIR LABORS AND THEIR WORKS DO FOLLOW THEM."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry,	1832	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O.	43	Effective	26
Robert Wilson,	1860					—
Benj. F. Wilson,	1850	June 24, '65		51		15
C. E. Carpenter,	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia.	29	Superannuated	8
Spencer Taylor,	1867	Apr. 22, '70	Sedalia, Mo.	36	Superannuated	3
Nor. H. Mitchell	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo.	38	Effective	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '72	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Supernumerary	20
George McKee	1856	Apr. 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated	16
Nathan Jewett	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo.	61	Effective	34
James A. Little	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo.	34	Effective	3
J. W. D Ensey	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.	35	Superannuated	15
Addison P. Colton	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa.	45	Superannuated	9
John H. Lutz	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary	4
John C. Berry	1868	Apr. 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia.	44	Superannuated	7
George W. Durment	1857	June 2, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated	22
Wm. S. Hubbard	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo.	43	Effective	12
Eli E. Condo	1866	Apr. 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo.	39	Effective	14
C. H. Wooley	1874	Apr. 28, '80	Osceola Mo.	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres	1872	Sept. 16, '80	Lincoln, Mo.	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Denison, Tex.	54	Supernumerary	23
R. A. Foster	1848	Mar. 10, '80	Warrensburg, Mo.	68	Superannuated	13
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo.	55	Effective	15
Scott McCormick	1881	Oct. 19, '81	De Soto, Mo.	24	Effective	1
J. L. Walker	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo.	51	Effective	26
J. E. Morris	1867	Apr. 30, '83	Zion, Mo.	41	Supernumerary	16
Green V. Houts	1874	Apr. 13, '84	Butler, Mo.	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland	1871	Mar. 27, '85	Independence, Mo.	46	Effective	29
Patterson McNutt	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col.	53	Effective	28
Wm. R. Lawton.	1880	Feb. 12, '86	Sedalia, Mo.	60	Effective	..
Alonzo J. Clifford,	1873	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	..
Richard R. Pierce	1866	Oct. 27, '86	Kansas City. Mo.	54	Effective	25
John W. Tally	1828	May. 26, '86	Lonoke, Ark.	74	Superannuated	58

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MEMOIRS.

REV. RICHARD RANDOLPH PIERCE.

Richard Randolph Pierce was born in Friendship, N. Y., in 1832, and was killed by the cable cars in Kansas City, Mo., October 27, 1886, No data earlier than his nineteenth year is at hand for a biography. In that year he married Mrs. Mary McKasson. To them were born four boys and one girl, all of whom are living. He lived to see these children all prospering in homes of their own, all stainless in reputation, established in character. After twenty-nine years of married life the wife of his youth and the mother of his children died in Clinton, Mo., March 11, 1879.

Of his conversion or his entering the ministry we have no data except that the latter occurred in 1861, just as the war was opening, He very soon offered himself as a Chaplain, and was appointed to that position in the Fifth Ohio Cavalry in which position and regiment he passed through the war. But little of his army life can be learned. When John Morgan made his famous raid through Indiana and Ohio he was with his regiment in pursuit. Toward the close of the war he was prostrated by sickness and lay long in hospital at Memphis, Tenn. For a long time his death seemed imminent. He often told of a remarkable incident that occurred at this time. A crisis had been reached in his disease, a time of extreme prostration. The most careful nursing and coaxing diet were needed. His nurse was competent and devoted, but proper food was lacking. The anxious nurse showed extreme anxiety, but the feeble patient whispered, "Never mind. The Lord will provide." Shortly after a frightened dove flew in at the window and was caught and prepared for him by the nurse, from which time his recovery began. During this illness he felt great anxiety about his family, and he entered into a solemn covenant with God that if He would recover him and restore him to them he would serve Him with greater devotion during his life. As soon as possible after recovery he sought and gained admission into the Missouri and Arkansas Conference at its session held in Louisiana, in 1866. In due time he was ordained deacon and admitted into full connection, which was followed by his ordination as elder in due time.

He has had the following appointments in order: Franklin, Simpson Chapel—St. Louis (afterward Trinity), Little Rock, Rolla, Neosho, Holden, Clinton, Independence, Trinity—St. Louis, Pleasant

Hill and Butler. In 1870, after he had been one year in Little Rock, he did not take an appointment on account of failing health. Part of the year he spent in Indiana in recuperating, but before its close he was employed in mission work in St. Louis, occupying Mozart Hall. During his second year at Trinity, he was transferred to the Illinois Conference, but was re-transferred to the St. Louis Conference in 1874. From the time he entered the Conference twenty years ago, I think he has not been absent from one of its sessions. He has been a familiar figure among us and one of the best known and most popular ministers among our Churches. In the pulpit his stately form, his voice, elocutionary training, all contributed to give effect to his subject matter. He always succeeded in drawing large and admiring congregations. This was especially so in Butler, his last charge. Between him and his members and members of other Churches, and with many of no Church, there was strong personal attachment, and he was probably spending among them the most pleasant and successful years of his life.

On April 6, 1880, Bro. Pierce married, the second time, Mrs. Caroline Ostrom, in Clinton, Mo., who was to him a congenial and devoted wife. He gave to her his care, confidence and affection. They walked life's way together for six happy years. Suddenly, terribly, without warning, a thunderbolt out of a clear sky, and he was stricken from her. She had been in feeble health for many weeks and he had been very anxious for her. On Monday morning he said goodbye and left her to attend his District Conference, which convened at Independence, and where he that night preached the opening sermon to a large audience of former parishioners and friends, with more than usual ferver, from the text: "For while we look not at things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal." 2 Cor, 4:18. He spent Tuesday and until noon of Wednesday, in the District Conference, and took an active part in its discussions. Some matter called him to Kansas City in the afternoon, where in getting from a cable car he was thrown between the cars and both wheels of a car passed over him. Death was instantaneous. Anxious about his sick wife, he would have gone home that night. When he came not the wife felt no alarm, for she knew the Conference was to last a day longer. A knock at the door awakened her at two o'clock in the morning. Some of the church officials with a dispatch are there to break the sad news. A few moments of silent, awful suspense follow and the shock comes. From that fearful stroke many friends feared the worst to the feeble wife, but their tender care and the grace of God bore her through that awful hour. His funeral was largely attended at Butler, and the services were conducted by eight of his ministerial brethren, delegated for the purpose by the District Conference. The resident ministers of Butler also assisted in the services. His body rests in the cemetery at Holden, Mo. He will be long missed when his brethren of the Conference meet and greet in their annual gatherings, and their tears will fall and their prayers ascend for the loved ones bereft. C. J. W. Jones.

REV. JOHN W. TALLY.

Rev. John W. Tally, of the St. Louis Conference was born Oct. 16, 1811, and died May 26, 1886. He was born and spent his early life in Georgia. He professed religion while still a youth. Was licensed to preach and admitted into the South Carolina Conference in 1828. At the organization of the Georgia Conference in 1831 he became a member of that Conference, and in 1833 was appointed presiding elder of the Florida District. He remained in the Church South when that Church was organized and was a prominent member of the Alabama Conference. He was a preacher of marked ability, and his name is still remembered in the places of his early ministry.

In 1866, at the reorganization of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the South he became a member of the Georgia Mission Conference, and the year after was transferred to the Alabama Mission Conference, and made presiding elder of the Talladega District. He was a delegate to the General Conference of 1868, and admitted with the other delegates of the Southern Mission Conferences. His health failing, he came North, first to Wisconsin, but in 1873 was transferred to the St. Louis Conference, and served Gainesville in 1873 and 1874, and West Plains in 1875 and 1876. At the following Conference he became a superannuate and resided three years at Dalton, Ga., for the education of his son. In 1881 he removed to Pulaski County, Arkansas, where his son soon after died; here he resided to the time of his death with his wife, who alone is left of relatives to mourn him. He was confined to the house for four weeks; he died of dropsy. Knowing that his end was near he sent for his old friend, Rev. Wm. F. Stansell, formerly of the Alabama Conference, whom he asked to preach his funeral sermon. Brother Stansell found him in his right mind, exhorting those who came to see him to turn to Christ, and waiting for the summons to go home. Rev. J. W. Talley was a noble minister of the old school, whose record of faithful labor is on high. His widow, Mrs. Tally, resides at Jacksonville, Ark.

W. F. S.

MINERVA J. DEMOTT.

Minerva J. Jones was born in Maysville in the state of Kentucky June 6, 1831. With her parents she moved to Calloway county, Missouri, and was there converted while yet a child. On September 10th, 1857, she became the faithful wife and shared fully in the itinerant toils and efficient labors of our beloved Brother, Rev. Wm. DeMott, who is yet with us.

Her triumphant release from earth took place August 25th, 1886. Her attachment to the church was intense and her sacrifice often exceeded her strength. In the darkest hours experienced by the Methodist Episcopal Church in this state, her faith in it never failed. Love for Christ and His kingdom possessed her whole being, directed her life, inspired her faith and unconsciously drew to herself the devo-

tions of her family and the esteem of entire communities. Her religious life was calm, constant and beautiful. Her public confession of Christ was readily and wisely given. Many souls have been converted through her efficient efforts. Sick rooms have been gladdened and dying saints encouraged by her christian labors, She was gifted in song and in prayer. and while health permitted she was always found and heard in the love feast, the class room and the prayer meeting. She came to her place in the home and the church, and especially the itinerant life with a peculiar adaptation and a marvelous beauty appreciated only by those ministers and laymen who have found a temporary resting place in her earthly home. Her death was triumphant. One year before her departure she said to her companion in many perils, "My sickness is unto death." And when he spoke of readiness she answered promptly, "My preparation was made years ago; my peace is made. my sky is clear and my prospects bright. I have no fear." Through the long, weary months of waiting and suffering which followed, her faith failed not. Her confidence in God was unbounded. When asked if she suffered much, she answered, "I suffer greatly, but thank God greater is the grace. it is all sufficient. The morning of her death she said to her husband, "I am in the valley, I fear no evil. God is with me—I am not disappointed —all is well," and the glory from on high radiated the smile and joy of her face as her triumphant spirit went up to God.

Conference Claimant's Directory.

Who PLANTETH a vineyard and eateth not the fruit thereof?—Cor. 9:7.

CLAIMANT.	ADDRESS.	Amount Received.	By Whom Received.
Mrs. A. J. Clifford	Marshall, Texas	$100	O. M. Stewart.
,, M. S. Colton	New Castle, Pa.	50	,,
,, C. A. Little	Cartersburg, Indiana	50	,,
,, Eliza Garner	Denison City, Texas	80	,,
,, Amanda Bewley	Clay Center, Kansas	50	B. St. James Fry.
,, M. A. Tally	Jacksonville, Ark	70	,,
,, R. R. Pierce	Butler, Mo	100	R. G. Hartwell.
,, Permelia West	Lincoln Green, Ill	78	A. J. Graves.
,, L. S. McNutt	Kansas City, Mo	50	C. W. Parsons.
,, G V Houts	Warrensburg, Mo	100	L. A. Markham.
,, J. L. Walker	Marionville, Mo	100	J. J. Martin.
E. H. Baird	,, ,,	20	,,
Mrs. Mary I. Acres	Lawrence, Kas	90	I. Entwisle.
A. Barber	Morantown, Kas	45	,,
E. A. Porter	Rich Hill, Mo	45	F. Exley.
Wm. DeMott	Humansville, Mo	100	Himself.
R. Moffat	Washburn, Mo	50	W. J. Simmons.
R. M. Morgan	West Plains, Mo	100	L. C. Sappenfield.
Mrs. S. H. Mortland	Memphis, Tenn	100	H. M. Hackney.
A. J. Gaither	Independence, Mo	70	,,

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GENERAL STATISTICS,

FOR 1886-1887.

CHARLES S. REVELLE,
Statistical Secretary.

STATISTICS No. I.

Names of Charges.	Membership. Probationers.	Membership. Full Members.	Membership. Loc. Preachers.	Membership. Deaths.	Baptisms. Child'n Bapt'd.	Baptisms. Adults Bapt'd.	Church Property. Churches.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. Parsonages.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. Paid for Bl'dg. & Improv. Ch's & Parsonages	Church Property. Paid old Indb'ts on Ch'ch Prop.	Church Property. Present Ind'ts on Ch'ch Prop	Church Property. Current Expenses, (sexton, light, fuel, etc).	Sunday-Schools. Schools	Sunday-Schools. Offrs & T'chrs	Sunday-Schools. No. Scholars of all Ages.	Benevolent Collections. For Missions. From Churches.	For Missions. From Sunday-schools.	For Missions. Total.	For Board of Church Extension.	For Sunday-School Union	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Education.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	For Woman's Home Missionary Society	Ministerial Support.† For Pastors, P. Elders and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	Other Collections.
St. Louis District.																															
Bloomfield	45	214	3	6	3	21	7	$4,200	1	$400	1,300	$331	$150	$50 00	4	32	200	$10 00	$2 25	$12 25	$8 00	.....	$1 00	.....	$1 00	.....	.....	.....	$457	$1	.....
Bonne Terre & Min Pt	22	59	1	.....	.....		1	1,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crystal City and Zion	18	65	..	1	9	7	2	2,500	1	600	500	137	400	30 00	2	15	110	10 00	.....	10 00	5 00	$1 00	1 00	$1 00	6 00	.....	.....	.....	352	2	.....
" " Ct.	1	71	..	1	5	...	2	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 00	2	12	80	2 00	.....	2 00	1 00	.....	47	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	.....
DeSoto	3	34	1	2	1	...	1	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 24	1 76	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	147	2	.....
Farmington	9	91	2	..	5	8	1	3,000	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	35 00	1	9	85	5 00	8 75	13 75	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	1 12	.....	$1 00	$1 00	501	2	.....
Fredericktown	25	130	1	1	6	18	5	2,500	.....	.....	600	14	12	27 30	2	19	120	8 00	.....	8 00	50	50	50	50	50	$ 50	25	25	.....	.....	.....
*Ironton & Piedmont	57	101	1	..	.....	...	3	2 000	2	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	20	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lutesville & C. Girard	66	180	2	2	7	20	6	2,000	.....	.....	165	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	2 00	4 00	1 50	50	50	85	50	25	3 00	2 75	313		.....
Pacific and Calvey	3	49	..	..	.....	...	2	3,500	.....	.....	65	.....	250	10 00	2	12	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83	.....	.....
Perryville	19	143	..	1	10	5	6	2,500	1	600	40	.....	.....	.....	1	5	25	30 00	.....	30 00	10 00	2 00	2 00	5 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	565	5	$3
St. Louis—Carondel't	20	138	..	2	5	...	1	1,000	.....	.....	85	.....	.....	20 00	2	6	27	20 00	10 00	30 00	10 00	2 00	1 50	2 50	2 00	.....	8 10	.....	761	5	3
" Central	5	128	2	4	4	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	1	21	180	40 00	10 00	50 00	16 05	4 38	4 39	8 35	8 00	1 00	46 00	1 00	1,054	8	5
" Goode Av.	3	94	1	1	11	..	1	7,000	.....	.....	3,170	190	3100	1 24	1	14	54	7 00	13 00	20 00	10 00	....	1 00	1 00	3 55	1 00	.....	.....	861	1	3
" St. Luke	5	42	..	..	8	1	1	5,000	.....	.....	.....	564	.....	1 35	1	23	199	15 00	15 00	30 00	10 00	2 50	2 50	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	753	5	8
" Tower Gr.	14	25	..	..	10	...	1	2,000	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	46 30	1	15	115	8 60	1 60	10 20	5 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	732	1	.....
" Trinity	20	255	..	2	19	1	1	15,000	.....	.....	25	1000	700	90 00	1	8	84	78 00	10 00	88 00	9 00	7 00	3 00	8 00	8 00	2 00	.....	.....	1,300	15	25
" Union	32	655	1	11	15	12	1	83,000	1	10,000	505	2430	3526	350 00	1	30	300	859 45	340 55	1,200 00	109 00	20 00	20 00	100 00	100 00	50 00	298 80	419 56	4,875	25	5,675
" Water Tow'r	19	91	1	..	6	10	1	3,000	.....	.....	300	.....	.....	6,900 74	1	62	452	10 00	10 00	20 00	5 00	2 63	2 00	1 00	3 00	1 00	20 65	2 50	859	5	3
Sullivan	5	38	1	..	2	1	1⅛	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100 00	1	23	220	6 00	.....	6 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	2	.....
Webster Circuit	20	92	1	1	...	8	2	1,200	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	1	5	29	6 00	.....	6 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	189	2	.....
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Sedalia District																															
Appleton City	11	93	..	1	...	4	1	3,700	1	700	100	....	600	1 00	1	14	105	44 00	.....	44 00	9 00	2 00	2 00	6 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....	735	8	4
Aullville	...	57	..	..	...	6	1	2,000	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	1	4	35	4 50	.....	4 50	.....	65	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	121	2	.....
Clinton	69	214	1	2	...	17	1	3,000	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	1 30	1	29	250	43 12	26 88	70 00	20 00	2 00	2 00	10 00	6 50	.....	26 77	....	1,227	15	4
Dresden	22	58	..	2	...	7	2	4 000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	10	50	1 00	.....	1 00	.....	.....	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	164	.....	.....
Eldorado Springs	28	150	5	3	...	7	4	2,000	1	100	.....	.....	200	50	2	12	75	16 37	4 63	21 00	3 30	.....	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	266	3	2
High Point	27	122	..	..	8	3	2	1,475	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	1	8	70	17 00	.....	17 00	3 00	1 00	3 00	2 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	366	3	1
Huntingdale	54	220	..	1	2	26	3	3,200	1	250	52	..	.....	28	3	27	171	12 00	5 00	17 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	.....	50	50	412	4	.....
Knobnoster	51	182	1	2	...	33	5	6,300	1	700	316	.....	90	.....	2	20	123	7 00	.....	7 00	3 00	.....	3 00	.....	3 00	.....	.....	.....	542	2	.....
Lincoln	27	101	2	..	4	2	2¼	3,100	1	600	5	.....	.....	95	2	21	138	18 25	1 75	20 00	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	.....	519	5	.....
Lowry City	30	113	2	1	4	9	2	2,000	.....	.....	71	.....	.....	10	2	20	147	15 45	.....	15 45	3 30	50	2 90	85	2 00	.....	.....	.....	354	.....	.....

* Came too late to go in body of Report.

† Cent columns left out. The aggregate in full dollars.

Marshall	4	64	..	1	..	...	2	3,550	1	1,000	......	57	...	......	1	5	30	......	......	......	......	......	......	......	......	......	......	......	66	......	......
Montrose	9	142	..	..	2	3	3	3,300	1	900	780	....	300	20	2	20	120	5 75	......	5 75	1 00	40	.....	1 00	2 63	.....	......	......	428	1	......
Osceola	2	60	1	..	..	4	1	3,500	1	1,200	100	....	....	20	1	22	145	21 00	15 00	36 00	12 00	3 00	3 00	6 00	4 00	.....	......	......	803	6	20
Rockville	10	123	1	2	..	8	2	2,200	1	800	13	233	427	50	2	23	123	11 00	.....	11 00	1 00	1 00	50	1 00	3 30	.....	......	......	392	3	......
Smithton & Pilot Gr.	33	219	..	..	..	8	2	4,000	1	500	72	....	....	96	2	26	200	60 00	33 00	93 00	26 00	7 00	6 00	15 00	24 00	.....	34 00	......	779	15	8
Schell City	13	59	..	1	..	1	1	2,000	..	......	......	....	....	40	1	15	85	5 00	.....	5 00	2 00	.....	.....	......	2 00	.....	19 77	......	405	2	3
Sedalia—Montg'ry St.	52	105	1	3	3	14	1	2,000	1	1,200	......	650	650	75	1	16	130	30 00	10 00	40 00	13 00	3 00	4 00	6 00	5 50	1 00	27 75	1 00	810	6	......
" Ohio St.	102	267	..	..	15	28	1	12,000	1	3,000	......	8000	4500	260	1	34	250	102 00	38 00	140 00	15 00	.....	.....	15 85	25 00	15 00	......	......	1,675	12	......
Tipton	37	116	..	1	..	...	2	2,000	1	600	......	....	....	75	2	21	135	29 00	......	29 00	7 00	2 00	1 00	4 00	3 00	.....	......	......	435	4	......
Warrensburg	40	240	1	..	..	35	1	5,500	1	2,000	40	....	....	137	2	20	150	55 23	8 00	63 23	15 00	3 00	2 45	7 00	10 00	.....	41 25	......	941	15	35
Windsor	39	137	2	..	4	26	2	2,000	1	800	......	....	....	52	2	24	180	25 75	4 25	30 00	5 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	5 00	1 00	6 35	......	486	5	1
	660	2906	17	23	42	241	43¼	77,025	16	15,150	1,699	8900	6767	1355	36	415	2855	543 42	146 51	689 93	148 60	32 62	36 28	79 70	116 14	17 00	156 39	1 50	12,543	114	79
Kansas City Dist.																															
Adrian	27	145	2	..	..	...	3	4,200	..	......	1,200	195	420	55 15	4	36	233	23 65	11 35	35 00	1 65	1 00	1 00	60 00	3 00	.....	......	......	585	5	......
Austin and Pl. Valley	28	132	2	2	2	18	2	3.000	1	300	......	....	3449	106 00	2	24	105	60 00	......	60 60	10 00	1 00	1 00	5 00	15 00	.....	......	......	695	20	......
Belton	19	159	1	1	..	3	2	2,030	..	......	......	50	....	54 90	2	18	100	37 06	12 94	50 00	16 50	4 00	4 00	8 25	3 82	.....	......	......	663	8	......
Butler	5	125	.	..	..	...	1	4,000	1	1,500	......	....	....	75 00	1	15	160	......	25 00	25 00	5 00	.....	.....	5 00	......	.....	......	......	627	5	......
Rutler Circuit	18	150	1	3	2	...	1½	1,400	1	1,000	......	....	....	30 00	1	8	40	20 00	......	20 00	5 00	2 00	1 50	3 25	1 00	.....	......	......	414	3	......
East Lynn	25	123	..	..	3	34	2	4,750	1	500	290	275	500	50 00	3	28	120	25 00	......	25 00	8 00	2 00	2 00	4 00	5 00	50	1 00	......	614	5	......
Holden	28	171	..	1	8	6	1	5,000	1	2,000	25	120	400	200 00	1	10	120	53 00	12 00	65 00	5 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	4 25	.....	38 00	......	938	10	26
Holden Circuit	30	150	1	2	2	20	3½	4,000	..	......	......	....	....	45 00	2	20	80	8 00	......	8 00	......	1 00	50	......	1 00	.....	1 00	......	383	5	2
Independence	11	101	..	3	..	...	2	6,500	1	2,000	122	335	....	175 00	1	8	78	60 00	......	60 00	20 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	4 00	.....	17 25	......	889	10	......
Kan. C'y—Dundee Pl.	50	368	1	1	8	36	1	35,000	..	......	100	300	....	425 00	2	37	261	123 80	127 75	251 55	41 50	11 25	11 25	20 75	8 00	5 00	......	......	2,787	20	75
" East Side	38	67	1	..	..	...	...	......	..	......	......	....	....	235 62	2	26	235	29 00	......	20 00	65 00	2 00	2 00	3 25	1 75	.....	......	......	748	3	8
" Liberty	10	35	..	..	..	...	1	1,500	1	1,500	......	....	....	110 00	1	13	95	14 00	.....	14 00	4 00	.....	.....	2 00	......	.....	......	......	722	3	......
" Grand Ave	94	872	6	4	4	33	1	125,000	..	4,000	14,000	....	....	4,200 00	1	79	1300	2180 00	825 00	3005 10	1733 30	34 00	34 00	1020 00	300 00	55 56	646 31	......	3,980	437	2,500
" Summit St	9	101	..	4	4	...	1	9,000	1	......	300	....	1300	232 62	1	28	250	30 00	50 00	80 00	26 50	6 00	6 00	13 25	5 00	.....	29 00	......	1,658	13	......
Lee's Sum't & Har'vlle	12	142	..	..	..	...	2	3,000	..	......	105	....	....	....	1	19	150	45 00	5 00	50 00	8 00	2 00	2 00	4 00	2 00	.....	......	......	420	5	......
Mecklin	17	142	1	2	2	33	3	5,350	1	300	2,545	....	250	40 00	2	12	60	35 20	28 00	38 00	12 00	1 00	1 00	5 00	3 50	.....	......	......	552	7	......
Pleasant Hill	12	112	..	1	1	12	1	1,800	1	700	......	....	....	100 00	1	15	175	......	25 00	25 60	7 30	1 00	1 00	4 00	3 00	.....	......	......	663	7	......
Rich Hill	52	266	1	2	2	56	4	6,060	..	......	1,000	300	800	80 00	5	58	411	40 00	20 00	60 00	20 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	10 00	.....	2 00	......	932	20	30
	484	3361	17	26	38	251	32	221,590	10	13,800	19,687	1575	7119	6,213 61	33	452	3983	2,774 71	1116 84	3,891 55	1929 90	80 25	79 25	1127 35	370 32	61 06	734 56	......	18,276	689	2,641
Springfield Dist.																															
Bolivar	15	130	1	1	..	...	2	3,000	..	......	62	....	770	60 00	1	12	50	5 00	......	5 00	1 60	25	25	25	2 50	25	50	75	432	2	......
Buffalo & Urbana	15	377	5	6	15	24	2½	2,000	1	800	......	....	....	25 00	2	12	125	10 55	10 00	20 55	10 00	2 00	1 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	535	5	......
Conway	38	180	2	1	6	27	4	3,000	1	500	135	25	290	....	2	10	50	22 00	......	22 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	3 00	1 00	.....	2 00	1 00	288	3	......
Cuba	44	89	..	2	2	10	2	2,100	1	400	5	—..	250	144 00	1	12	80	20 00	......	20 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	2 00	100	1 00	1 00	399	3	1
Dadeville & Ashgrove	26	243	1	3	7	9	3	1,900	1	350	......	9	116	....	..	...	....	18 00	......	18 00	1 65	1 05	1 05	1 05	1 05	1 05	......	......	340	1	......
Dixon	19	132	..	2	..	4	2	2,000	..	......	680	263	644	50 00	2	18	150	14 00	6 00	20 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....	2 00	......	659	2	......
Eminence	21	61	..	1	3	...	...	......	..	......	......	....	....	....	2	12	55	......	......	......	......	.....	.....	......	......	.....	......	......	21	....	......
Fair Play	...	180	2	3	7	11	3½	2,200	1	500	300	....	200	....	3	20	155	......	......	......	......	.....	.....	......	......	.....	......	......	276	....	......
Gainsville	28	169	3	2	2	20	...	......	..	......	......	....	....	....	..	...	....	2 25	......	2 25	......	.....	.....	......	......	.....	......	......	70	....	7
Hartville	19	194	1	2	14	12	1	1,000	1	800	75	75	200	15 00	1	8	36	2 50	......	2 50	1 25	.....	.....	......	......	.....	2 50	......	125	....	......
Hermitage	13	102	2	3	..	...	...	......	..	......	......	....	....	....	..	...	....	10 00	......	10 00	......	.....	.....	......	......	.....	......	......	136	1	......
Houston	14	84	..	1	..	...	1	1,200	..	......	10	....	....	....	..	...	....	10 00	......	10 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....	......	......	102	2	......
Humansvile	45	138	4	3	1	1	1½	740	1	500	40	....	....	6 62	..	...	....	10 00	......	10 00	1 00	50	50	50	50	1 00	1 00	50	368	5	71
Iberia	9	80	1	1	3	9	1	600	1	200	......	....	....	5 00	..	...	....	20 00	......	20 00	25	25	10	10	1 00	10	10	25	169	....	5

STATISTICS No. I.

Names of Charges.	Membership. Probationers.	Membership. Full Members.	Membership. Loc. Preachers.	Membership. Deaths.	Baptisms. Child'n Bapt'd.	Baptisms. Adults Bapt'd.	Church Property. Churches.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. Parsonages.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. Paid for Bl'dg. & Improv. Ch's & Parsonages	Church Property. Paid old Indn's on Ch'h Prop.	Church Property. Pre-ent Ind'ss on Ch'ch Prop.	Church Property. Current Expenses, (sexton, light, fuel, etc).	Sunday-Schools. Schools	Sunday-Schools. Off'rs & T'chrs	Sunday-Schools. No. Scholars of all Ages.	Benevolent Collections. For Missions. From Churches.	Benevolent Collections. For Missions. From Sunday-Schools.	Benevolent Collections. For Missions. Total.	Benevolent Collections. For Board of Church Extension.	Benevolent Collections. For Sunday-School Union	Benevolent Collections. For Tract Society.	Benevolent Collections. For Freed-men's Aid Society.	Benevolent Collections. For Education	Benevolent Collections. For American Bible Society	Benevolent Collections. For Woman's Foreign Mission'y Society	Benevolent Collections. For Woman's Home Mission'y Society	Ministerial Sup. port.† For Pastors, P. Elders and Bishops.	Ministerial Sup. port.† For Confer'ce Claimants.	Other Collections.
Lebanon	43	169	..	3	15	46	1	$ 5,000	1	$ 800	$ 172	$389	$429	$ 82 00	1	13	140	$ 50 00	.....	$50 00	$ 6 00	$2 00	$2 00	$1 00	$45 00	.....	$1 00	.....	$860	$4	.....
Licking	6	100	..	1	...	...	1	1,000	1	350	6	....	....	18 00	2	...	....	2 15	.....	2 15	80	80	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marshfield	17	54	..	2	7	12	1	3,500	..	.....	.....	....	....	100 00	1	10	55	23 00	$ 2 00	25 00	3 00	2 00	2 00	3 00	4 00	.....	.....	.....	437	3	100
Mountain Grove	35	125	1	..	...	1	1	2,700	..	.....	2,700	....	....	5 00	1	10	65	5 00	.....	5 00	5 00	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	169	.....	.....
North Springfield	19	177	..	6	6	2	1	6,000	..	.....	42	68	750	171 50	1	16	128	22 00	10 00	32 00	7 00	1 00	1 00	3 00	7 60	.....	12 50	.....	805	8	38
Ozark	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	.....	..	.....	.....	....	....	.....	..	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Republic	9	225	..	..	...	...	1	400	..	.....	.....	....	....	.....	..	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Richland	32	158	2	1	6	10	2	2,500	1	600	32	....	....	75 00	2	15	100	24 00	1 00	25 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	3 00	15 00	$1 00	5 00	$ 1 00	507	3	.....
Roubidoux	2	40	..	..	...	...	..	.....	..	.....	.....	....	....	.....	..	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 36	.....	2 50	.....	533	2	20
Salem	15	141	..	4	5	35	1	1,500	1	800	50	....	....	60 00	1	6	40	13 00	22 00	35 00	3 00	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	233	1	.....
Seymour	68	239	3	1	...	29	1½	550	..	.....	.....	....	....	.....	..	...	....	5 00	.....	500	1 00	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	135	....	.....
Sligo	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	.....	..	.....	.....	....	....	.....	..	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Springfield	12	310	1	9	3	14	1	16,000	..	.....	300	300	....	265 00	1	32	395	85 00	65 00	150 00	20 00	5 00	5 00	20 00	10 00	.....	7 00	.....	1,457	20	.....
Strafford	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	.....	..	.....	.....	....	....	.....	..	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vichy Springs	8	130	1	..	3	7	2	2,000	..	.....	.....	....	100	.....	3	22	170	18 30	.....	18 30	3 00	2 00	1 50	1 64	1 93	.....	.....	.....	363	2	.....
West Plains	34	152	3	4	1	19	2	5,000	1	1,000	132	102	102	65 00	3	28	210	27 80	5 00	32 80	5 00	50	60	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	628	3	30
Rolla	10	180	1	1	2	80	1	6,500	1	1,000	108	....	....	75 00	2	20	160	35 00	5 00	40 00	5 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	2 00	1 00	766	5	.....
	612	4359	34	63	108	385	40	72,390	14	8,600	4,849	1240	4769	1,222 12	32	276	2164	454 55	126 00	580 55	92 95	35 35	22 10	45 54	105 94	6 40	41 10	6 50	10,810	76	272
Carthage District.																															
Avilla	26	72	..	..	...	9	2	2,400	1	400	75	....	700	.....	..	...	....	13 00	.....	13 00	8 00	.....	.....	.....	2 00	.....	18 00	.....	273	....	.....
Billings	16	181	4	2	...	1	2	1,300	..	.....	.....	....	200	.....	1	12	90	12 20	.....	12 20	65	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	3 00	.....	213	1	1
Carter'lle & Webb Cty	70	150	3	1	6	29	1	3,500	..	.....	175	....	1800	79	1	20	200	15 00	10 00	25 00	10 00	2 00	2 00	4 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	672	5	.....
Carthage	104	309	5	7	...	45	1	10,000	1	500	.....	....	....	200	1	41	300	114 00	11 00	125 00	51 00	10 00	10 00	20 00	30 00	.....	79 30	.....	1,631	52	.....
Carthage Ct.	2	62	..	1	...	7	1	1,500	1	350	280	21	736	3	1	13	60	11 00	1 00	12 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	150	....	.....
Cassville	30	205	9	1	2	9	1½	1,500	1	380	100	....	200	35	2	18	130	25 00	.....	25 00	8 00	2 00	3 00	5 00	3 00	1 00	.....	.....	469	4	50
Galena	15	105	3	2	6	14	..	.....	..	.....	.....	....	....	.....	..	...	....	2 50	.....	2 50	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	251	1	1
Golden City	22	177	5	5	...	14	2	2 500	1	1,000	40	40	200	75	2	21	160	10 00	.....	10 00	1 25	.....	.....	.....	1 30	.....	9 00	.....	677	2	.....
Greenfield	9	141	1	4	3	14	2	3,800	1	1,000	150	....	....	20	2	20	150	10 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	650	5	.....
Jasper & Mt. Moriah	10	69	..	..	2	...	2	3,500	1	400	.....	100	180	40	2	14	55	10 00	.....	10 00	75	.....	.....	95	2 25	.....	2 80	.....	406	2	.....
Joplin	40	95	2	1	2	5	1	10,000	..	.....	30	....	3000	136	1	13	175	17 00	.....	17 00	.....	1 00	1 00	2 00	4 25	.....	8 65	.....	681	2	3
Lamar	9	132	..	1	5	11	1	4,500	1	1,500	30	26	50	100	1	11	100	50 45	.....	50 45	5 00	1 00	1 00	4 00	5 00	.....	21 00	1 00	894	5	.....
Marionville	36	68	4	..	3	15	..	.....	1	1,000	45	....	85	45	1	16	146	60 00	10 00	60 00	9 00	3 00	2 00	.....	2 00	.....	7 25	.....	783	4	.....
Mounds	25	121	..	..	4	3	3	4,300	1	500	400	....	175	32	3	27	219	25 00	.....	25 00	8 00	.....	3 00	4 00	6 90	.....	.....	.....	445	....	.....
Mt. Vernon	26	169	3	2	3	21	3	2,700	1	400	55	140	....	5	1	8	48	5 00	.....	5 00	1 00	50	.....	.....	1 00	.....	13 75	.....	318	1	.....

Nashville	21	135	3	2	..	...	1	1,800	..	.....	50	....	....	30	2	14	190	25 00	.....	25 00	5 00	.....	50	2 00	1 00	.....	.....	3 00	335	2	40
Neosho	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oronogo	7	103	1	2	..	4	2	2,500	1	400	100	....	678	75	..	...	....	15 00	.....	15 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	.....	4 00	.....	336	3	2
Pierce City	30	93	2	2	1	7	1	3,000	..	.....	55	83	50	75	1	13	115	9 40	2 60	12 00	3 00	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	.....	14 56	.....	746	1	89
Sarcoxie	53	173	3	..	..	33	4	5,400	1	500	727	....	....	50	2	24	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	3 00	.....	1 50	.....	483	....	.....
Seneca	60	216	3	3	6	14	2½	1,600	1	250	20	....	....	.....	2	10	90	16 00	.....	16 00	.....	2 00	2 00	3 00	2 00	.....	.....	.....	348	3	3
Sheldon	15	107	1	2	..	3	1	1,200	..	.....	.....	....	....	40	..	...	....	13 00	.....	13 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 40	1 00	.....	.....	.....	303	5	.....
Stockton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....
		626	2883	52	38	43	258	34	67,000	14	8,580	2,332	410	8054	1040	26	295	2348	448 55	34 60	483 15	121 65	25 10	26 50	48 35	70 00	1 00	182 81	4 00	10,068	99	189

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

Districts.	Membership.				Baptisms		Church Property.									Sunday Schools.			For Missions.			*Benevolent Collections.								Ministerial Support.		Other Collections.
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths	Children Baptized	Adults Baptised.	Churches.	Probable Value.	Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Improving and Building Churches.	Paid on Old Indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Current Expenses (Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.).	No. of Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	Scholars of all Ages.	From Churches.	From Sunday-Schools.	Total.	For Board of Church Extension	For Sunday-School Union.	For Tract Society.	For Freedmen's Aid Society.	For Educatiivn.	For American Bible Society.	For Woman's For. ign Miss'y Soc'y.	For Woman's Home Miss'y So'y	For Pastor, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	For Conference Claimants.	
St. Louis	40	2695	18	35	126	113	46½	142,800	6	12,100	6,800	4,666	8,138	7,669 13	29	331	2,420	1,120 29	424 91	1,545 20	$192	$43	$40	$136	$144	$56	$378	$428	$13,987	$314	$6,726
Sedalia	66	2906	17	23	42	241	43¾	77,025	16	15,150	1 699	8,900	6,767	1,355 00	36	415	2,855	543 42	146 51	689 93	148	32	36	79	116	17	156	1	12,543	114	79
Kansas City	48	3361	17	26	38	251	31	221,590	10	13,800	19,687	1,575	7,119	6,213 67	33	452	3,983	2,774 71	1,116 84	3,891 55	1,929	80	79	127	370	61	734	....	18,276	689	2,641
Springfield	61	4359	34	63	108	385	40	72,390	14	8,600	4,849	1,240	4,769	1,222 12	32	276	2,164	454 55	126 00	580 55	92	35	22	45	105	6	41	6	10,810	76	272
Carthage	626	2883	52	38	43	258	34	67,000	14	8,580	2,332	410	8,054	1,040 00	26	295	2,348	448 55	34 60	483 15	121	25	26	48	70	1	182	4	11,068	99	189
Total	2783	16204	138	185	383	1248	194	7-12 580,805	60	58,230	35,357	16,791	34,847	17499 92	156	1769	13,770	5,350 52	1,848 86	7,190 38	2,485	216	204	1437	807	142	1493	440	66,686	1,294	9,910

*Cent column left off. Aggregate in full dollars.

CHARLES S. REVELLE,
Statistical Secretary.

STATISTICS, No. II.*

Name of Charge.	Charge.	Ministerial Support. Pastors. Claims, including house rent, or rental value of Parsonages.	Pastors. Receipts, including house rent, or rental value of Parsonages.	Pastors. Deficiences.	Presid'g Elders. Apportioned.	Presid'g Elders. Paid.	Bishops. Apportioned.	Bishops. Paid.	Conf. Cl'mts. Apportioned.	Conf. Cl'mts. Paid.
St. Louis District.										
Bloomfield	G. W. King	$450	$405	$44	$55	$51	$3	$1	$5	$1
Bonne Terre & Mineral Point	H. C. Cook, Supply	.....	.....	....	30	.....	3	.....	1	.....
Crystal City & Zion	D. W. Crow	300	300	....	50	50	3	2	1	2
Crystal City Circuit	W. H. Hendrickson,	113	113	....	20	.....	2	.....	1	.....
De Soto	D. W. Crow..[Supply	100	100	....	45	45	2	2	3	2
Farmington	C. E. Heaton	480	450	30	65	50	3	1	6	2
Fredericktown	J. H. Denman, Supply	.....	.....	....	40	.....	3	.....	2	.....
Ironton & Piedmont	B. F. Thomas	.....	.....	....	50	.....	4	.....	16	.....
Lutesville & Cape Girardeau	J. H. Harwood, Sup	300	275	25	40	36	4	2	1	.....
Pacific and Calvey	C. R. Wade, Supply	58	58	....	25	25	2	.....	3	.....
Perryville	M. Bell	575	512	63	55	56	4	3	5	3
St. Louis Carondelet	Cyrus Brough	700	700	....	55	56	5	5	5	7
" Central	F. Lenig	1000	1000	....	50	50	4	4	8	4
" Goode Ave	J. P. Marlett	800	800	....	56	56	4	5	6	4
" St. Luke	W. T. Neff	800	700	100	56	49	4	4	5	4
" Tower Gr've	S. Warner	700	700	....	130	30	2	2	1	
" Trinity	O. M. Martin	1200	1200	....	90	90	12	16	14	1
" Union	C. E. Felton	4250	4250	....	575	575	150	50	300	250
" Water Tow'r	T. H. Hagerty	800	800	....	56	56	4	3	6	4
Sullivan	C. R. Wade, Supply	300	152	147	35	26	4	2	1	3
Webster Circuit	Oscar Lunbeck	205	148	57	40	30	3	2	2	3
		13131	12663	467	1518	1325	223	98	330	318
Sedalia District.										
Appleton City	C. V. Criss	700	660	40	70	65	11	10	8	3
Aullville	R.R.Highleyman, Sup.	200	106	94	20	15	3	.....	3	3
Clinton	W. K. Collins	1100	1100	....	110	110	17	17	15	13
Dresden	R.R.Highleyman, Sup.	200	144	56	20	20	3	.....	2	.....
Eldorado Springs	J. G. Mohrweis	370	229	140	37	31	6	6	3	3
High Point	W. F. Jones, Supply	325	325	....	33	36	5	5	3	3
Huntingdale	I. M Galbraith, 1 to be	536	364	171	38	41	9	6	5	3
Knobnoster	W. T. Pyles.[supplied	550	485	64	55	48	8	8	7	3
Lincoln	James Pine	600	466	133	60	46	9	7	6	4
Lowry City	H Smith, Supply	365	317	47	36	31	5	4	3	.....
Malta Bend	A. L. Walker	550	550	....	55	55	8	6	6	3
Marshall	A. L. Walker	200	55	145	20	11	3	.....	6	.....
Montrose	J. B. Daniel	500	385	115	50	38	7	5	5	3
Osceola	Jno. Ashley	720	720	....	72	72	11	11	6	4
Rockville	T. S. Johnson, Supply	400	352	48	40	35	6	5	3	3
Smithton & Pilot Gr've	I. J. K. Lunbeck	800	698	102	80	70	12	11	15	1
Schell City	W. S. Courtney, Sup	400	363	36	40	36	6	5	4	3
Sedalia, Montgomery Street	J. H. Gillespie	850	725	125	85	73	13	12	6	4
Sedalia, Ohio Street	Wm. Jones	1500	1500	....	150	150	25	25	25	1
Tipton	S. B. Campbell, Sup	600	398	210	60	38	9	6	6	4
Warrensburg	L. A. Markham	950	850	100	95	77	15	14	15	1
Windsor	J. S. Porter	550	436	114	55	43	8	7	5	3
		12966	11222	1743	1301	1145	209	175	157	11
Kansas City Dist.										
Adrian	Thos. Pingry	525	$525	....	$51	$51	8	$9	7	
Austin and Pleasant Valley	A. P. Sallaway	700	629	71	63	56	11	10	10	2
Belton	O. B. Jones	600	600	....	54	54	9	9	8	3
Butler Ct	R. R. Pierce	500	550	....	76	76	13	1	10	3
Butler	H. A. Toland	575	380	195	52	30	9	4	6	3
East Lynn	E. J. Hunt	650	557	92	58	49	10	8	6	2
Holden	J. Ingram	1000	850	150	90	76	15	12	10	2
Holden Circuit	W. F. Baker	500	348	151	45	31	5	3	5	1
Independence	H. M. Hackney	800	800	....	76	76	13	13	10	1
Kansas City, Dundee Place		2500	2500	....	247	247	40	40	20	2
Kansas City, E. Side		700	700	....	40	40	8	8	3	
" " Liberty St		675	675	....	45	45	....	2	....	
" " Grand Av	C. W. Parsons	3600	3600	....	324	324	56	56	67	45
" " Summit St	O. M. Stewart	1500	1500	....	135	135	23	23	13	
Lee's Summit & Harrisonville	A. K. Johnson, Supply	800	400	400	....	.....	5	2	8	
Mecklin	S. Ing	500	500	....	45	45	7	7	7	
Pleasant Hill	D. Kivett	600	600	....	54	54	9	9	7	
Rich Hill	F. Exley	800	844	....	72	76	12	12	10	2
		17525	16558	966	1529	1468	298	236	222	6

*Cent Columns left ont. Aggregate in full dollars.

STATISTICS No. II.

Cent Columns left out; aggregate in full dollars.

Name of Charge.	Name of Pastor.	Ministerial Support. Pastors. Claims, including house rent, or rental value of Parsonages.	Pastors. Receipts, including house rent, or rental value of Parsonages.	Pastors. Deficiences.	Presid'g Elders. Apportioned.	Presid'g Elders. Paid.	Bishops. Apportioned.	Bishops. Paid.	Conf. Cl'mts. Apportioned.	Conf. Cl'mts. Paid.
SPRINGFIELD DIST.										
olivar	C. S. Revelle	$525	$362	$162	$72	$66	$6	$4	$3	$2
uffalo & Urbana	W. F. Yeager	600	464	135	72	65	9	5	8	5
onway	H. Threlfall	400	255	145	48	30	5	3	3	3
uba	G. A. Glens	350	350	....	43	43	6	6	3	3
adeville & Ashgrove	E. F. S. Darby	400	308	91	48	28	6	4	3	1
ixon	P. A. Crow (supply)	580	580	....	72	75	4	4	2	2
minence	Supplied W. M. Beatty	12	12	....	25	9	....	.....	....	.....
ainsville	E. McClintock (sup.)	300	62	237	40	8	3	.....	....	.....
artville	Sp by W. McClanahan	450	101	349	40	24	1	.....	2	.....
ermitage	W. T. Pare	315	101	213	36	32	4	2	2	1
ouston	Supplied by W. Nall	200	70	130	25	28	4	4	2	2
umansville	Supply, Jno. Clarke	360	319	41	50	48	....	1	....	5
eria	F. M. Stickney	300	150	150	40	18	2	1	2	.....
ebanon	H. R. Miller	775	775	....	93	73	12	12	4	4
cking	J. W. Cowden (sup.)	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	1	....	.....
arshfield	J. B. Brewington	385	385	....	48	48	6	4	3	3
ountain Grove	Sup. by J. K. Mosher.	430	119	310	50	50	....	.....	....	.....
orth Springfield	A. Jump	1000	724	276	100	72	12	9	8	8
zark	Sup. by Wm. Hulse	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
epublic	.....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
ichland	B. F. January	575	454	121	78	48	7	5	3	3
olla	B. F. Poole	700	700	....	72	60	6	6	5	5
oubidoux	Sup. Wm. Patterson	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
alem	W. M. Creamer	515	485	30	60	43	5	5	3	2
eymour & Ava	R. H. Hanson	300	190	109	36	32	....	1	....	1
igo	Sup. W. T. Campbell.	450	108	341	45	27	5	.....	3	.....
pringfield	W. P. Armstrong	1500	1300	200	180	137	20	20	20	20
rafford	Sup. A. C. McGinty	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
ichy Springs	A. J. Graves	350	320	30	42	38	6	5	3	2
est Plains	L. C. Sappenfield	550	550	....	75	75	7	3	6	3
air Play	.....	400	246	153	48	30	5	.....	2	.....
		12722	9494	3227	1538	1031	141	105	90	76
ARTHAGE DISTRICT.										
villa	D. B. Johnson	410	226	185	45	45	5	3	4	.....
illings	N. H. Buck	500	192	307	55	19	5	1	3	1
arterville & Webb Cy	T. H. Hawkins	600	600	....	66	66	6	6	5	5
arthage	G. W. Hughey	1440	1440	....	158	167	24	24	21	52
arthage Ct	C. D. Fry	250	139	110	257	9	4	2	4	.....
assville	W. B. Herbert	460	418	41	50	44	6	6	4	4
alena	A. M. Hammond	300	228	72	33	22	4	1	4	.....
olden City	Jacob Miller	600	476	124	77	51	12	1	5	2
reenfield	Wm. Buck	600	585	15	65	60	6	5	5	5
asper & Mt. Moriah	M. B. Wood	650	363	286	71	43	9	.....	6	2
oplin	T. M. Durham	800	610	190	88	67	6	4	4	2
amar	A. H. Heinlein	770	770	....	77	77	....	4	5	5
arionville	J. J. Martin	700	700	....	77	77	6	6	4	4
ounds	Sp. by G. R. Anderson	452	401	50	49	44	5	.....	4	.....
t. Vernon	T. H. Knease	410	287	123	55	30	5	1	3	1
ashville	C. E. Evans	400	300	100	44	33	5	2	4	2
eosho	Sup. by T. J. Moore	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
ronogo	I. Entwisle	435	300	135	47	33	5	3	3	3
erce City	J. N. Moore	670	670	....	73	73	3	3	4	1
arcoxie	J. M. Darby	700	408	291	77	77	14	.....	6	.....
eneca	W. T. Wright	373	314	59	41	34	5	.....	3	3
aldon	J. W. Finley	450	271	178	49	28	5	3	4	5
		11970	9700	2269	1327	1102	140	76	105	98

RECAPITULATION.

Cent Columns left out; full dollars entered.

Name of District.	Name of Presiding Elder.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.								
		PASTORS.			PRESID'G ELDERS.		BISHOPS.		CONF. CL'MTS.	
		Claims, including house rent, or rental value of Parsonages.	Claims, including house rent, or rental value of Parsonages.	Deficiences.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.
St. Louis District.....	J. F. Corrington.....	$13131	$12663	$467	1518	$1325	$225	$98	$390	$314
Sedalia District.....	Wm. Stephens.....	12966	11222	1743	1301	1145	209	175	157	114
Kansas City District..	C. J. W. Jones.....	17525	16558	966	1529	1468	298	236	222	637
Springfield District...	F. S. Beggs.....	12722	9494	3227	1538	1031	141	105	90	76
Carthage District.....	W. V. Hamel.....	11970	9700	2269	1327	1102	140	76	105	98
	Total.....	68314	59640	8673	7213	6073	1013	691	965	1185
	Last Year	66050	57879	8170	7287	6187	977	676	977	804
	Increase.....	2264	1760	503	....	.....	35	14	....	381
	Decrease.....	.....	.....	....	73	113	....	.....	11	.....

CHARLES S. REVELLE,
Statistical Secretary.

APPENDIX.

SEMI-CENTENNIAL SERMON, PREACHED AT THE REQUEST OF THE St. LOUIS CONFERENCE AT LAMAR, MO., MARCH 17th, 1887.

BY REV. J. K. TUTTLE.

Brethren of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Greeting:

In the year 1816 God in his wisdom gave to me my existence in this world in Wysox, Bradford county, Pa., on the 17th day of September. My father, Ebenezer Tuttle, was a native of Cheshire, Connecticut. He was a lover of good men, reverenced his God and an adherant of the Protestant Episcopal Church. My mother's paternal name was Granger, and was descended from an ancient family of that name in Suffield, Connecticut.—A devoted wife and one of the best mothers that ever fell to the heritage of children. She had born to her two sons and two daughters who grew to manhood and womanhood, and have been respected and honored and are now far advanced in years, still lingering on these mortal shores. Father died in 1836 in his 70th year; mother in 1866 in her 84th year, having been a communicant in the Church from an early period of her life. Their mortal remains sleep side by side in a place of sepulchre in a far away home of the dead.

I was converted on the 8th day of April, 1833, in Jackson, Tioga county, Pa.; was received into the Methodist Episcopal Church by Rev. Wm. P. Davis, the September following; was licensed as an exhorter September 1835, and in March, 1837, fifty years ago, through the invitation of Rev. Henry Wisner and the official approval of Rev. Abner Chase, Presiding Elder of Crooked Lake District, Genesee Conference, I went to the Tyrone and Meads Creek Circuit as the Second Assistant, and was licensed to preach soon after by the Quarterly Conference of that Circuit. From that time I was constantly employed as a traveling preacher, feeling that it is all my business here below to cry: "Behold! behold the Lamb!"

The old Methodists, like the ancient Romans, were imbued with strong practical feeling. With great faith and unlimited resources of love to God and man, Methodism organized and directed the spiritual agencies which her mission and work had developed. Learned in the science of the Holy Ghost, without a fineley cultivated æsthetic

sensitiveness, her life was glorified in teaching the ignorant, reforming the vicious and winning over to righteousness, the erring and the lost. To the artist it may be given to give life to marble and lend breath to bronze, "but to Methodism it has been given to conquor the proud, give strength to the weak and raise the dead in sin to all the vigor and beauty of a new and heavenly life. As Rome for 250 years was overrun and filled with the spirit of Etruscan art, so the spirit of Methodist Christianity, during the by-gone, has overrun states, kingdoms and empires. It has been felt in the Ancient Temple, the Cathedral and Joss House, on continents and islands; on the Congo, the Nile, the Ganges, the Tiber, Arno and Po, the Danube, the Thames and the Clyde, the Columbia, Sacramento, Mississippi and Amazon; in the habitation of culture and the wigwam of the untutored savage, until all lands and churches are imbued with its spirit and gaze upon its monuments.

She has been creating her own art, literature, polity and formulas, and now strides foremost as a missionary benificence to win the whole world to Christ. As Rome modified Greek architecture, so has the spirit of Methodism modified and changed the creeds and spirit of the Christian world. As the conquest at Carthage, Greece and Egypt opened a new life to the Roman, so that he was enriched by the art treasures of the world, palace, temple, baths and gallerys being filled with the proudest productions of human genius, collected from places and ages near and remote; so, likewise, the genius of Methodism laying all governments, all civilizations and all countries under obligation to yield to the might of her spiritual power, has brought and is bringing into her sacred fane, millions of souls washed in the blood of the Lamb. Rapidly are the elements of the kingdom of heaven, from among all nations, crystallizing around her heaven-appointed standard. The last Pentecost of fifty years has been the most eventful of the ages, except that of the "Great Event." It has been the time of great invention in economic arts and their application to the world's advancement on sea and land, and that on all lines of thought. An age of Christian awakening and benevolent action, that is bringing all nations to the door of the temple of our God and Saviour—an age in which the great revival of Bible Holiness of heart and life has blazed and burned around the world.

It is on the grace of a full salvation I wish on this occasion especially to speak; forgetting myself and the buried years of personal labor that are past, let me commend my Saviour to you. In the language of our beloved disciple:

"Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the day judgement; because as he is so are we in this world."—1 John, 4–17.

PERFECTION OF LOVE.

Of love the most excellent things are said. "There is no fear in love, but perfect love casteth out fear." Love "suffereth long and is kind." Love "envieth not, vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil, rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the

truth; beareth all things, believeth all things." Love "never faileth." The great pattern of this "divine charity" is no other than He who embodied in his own glorious person all human and divine excellency. "Because as he is, so are we in this world."

As nothing contrary to perfect love ever possessed the heart or occupied the life of Jesus, so those who are by grace delivered from all filthiness of flesh and spirit and perfect holiness in the fear of God are like Him and shall see Him as He is.

To be "made perfect in love, therefore, is to have all sin destroyed from the soul and to be created anew in Christ Jesus. In the beginning God endowed man with this perfection of love. Through sin the inheritance was forfeited. Jesus came that he might save His people from their sins, by restoring to them this divine image. Can or can He not do this great work? Sin must not triumph. The Redeemer must and will glorify His grace. But how can this be done unless His children are saved from all moral defilement and are made perfect in love.

That a perfection of love is impossible without the grace of the Redeemer, all admit; but to say it is impossible with that grace, is to assert that the death of Christ is ineffectual to attain the very end for which He died. "Christ loved the Church and gave himself for it that he might sanctify and cleanse it by the washing of water by the word, that He might present it to Himself a glorious Church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish."

To assert that Christ cannot sanctify and perfect the soul in love, is to deny his sufficiency. To assert that he will not, is to deny His veracity, for He has promised "From all your filthiness and all your idols will I cleanse you." Perfect love being the fulfilling of the law of supreme love to God, includes a conformity to the will of Christ in all that relates to inward or outward holiness—to the state of the affections and the outward acts of the believer's life.

It is such a maturity of grace as excludes the power and presence of sin from the soul securing a constant and uniform exemplification of faith, meekness, patience, gentleness and love. It has been compared to the generating power of vegetation in nature. There is the seed the bud, the tree, the green and ripe fruit.

The child may be perfect in parts, but not in character. So without a perfection of faith we cannot have perfection of love. With an imperfect faith there may be a measure of love but not a perfection of love. Perfect love knows, it feels no doubt, distrust and fear that hath torment, flee before it, for it is

"Love that drives his chariot wheels,
And death must yield to love,"

For the man who loves God with a perfect heart, this vain and alluring world, with all its pleasures and facinations, dignity and splendor, honor and power, has nothing to attract. His language is:

"All my treasure is above,
All my riches is Thy love,
Whom have I in heaven but Thee,
Thou art all and all to me."

This work may be represented under various aspects. As a work accomplished by the Holy Ghost, it is a cleansing from all sin and setting apart and devotion to a holy use. Hence it is "Love unfeigned," "perfect love," in which sin does not exist, all moral defilement being purged from the soul. Love, all-conquering, all-subduing, has killed sin. We are crucified with Christ and being "dead unto sin," we have our "fruit unto holiness. "Nevertheless I live," saith the Apostle, "yet not I, but Christ liveth in me, and the life that I live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God."

Such is the experience of this perfection of love. How peculiar! How rich! How full of comfort, hope and promise! A life hid with Christ, to be revealed at his appearing.

Here an important question meets us, viz.: Is this state of perfect love attained instantaneously or gradually?

This work of the spirit commences with our justification. Then the seeds of all grace are planted, the elements of all holiness secured. Then power is given over all sin; then love exists in proportion to the strength of faith. From that time the body of sin begins to die, the work of sanctification in its insipient stages is attained, and if a man is faithful and walks in the light, as "He is in the light," the body of sin will be removed; "The blood of Jesus Christ, his Son, cleanseth us from all sin," and then all the fullness of Divine love flows into the soul.

Mr. Wesley says, "A man may be dying for some time, yet he does not, properly speaking, die till the instant the soul is separated from the body, and in that instant he lives the life of eternity. So with the soul that is sanctified; the work may be going on for some time, but there is a moment when it is accomplished. When, however, we speak of being made perfect in love and the exclusion of all sinfulness from the soul, we do not intend to intimate that this perfection of love is impeccable or incapable of expansion, for it is a most precious and encouraging truth that the grace of God which accomplishes in us this work, may be forever flowing in larger measures into the renewed soul. The Sun of Righteousness may appear more and more effulgent, discovering new and richer scenes of divine glory, peace and love. Imbued with the spirit and power of this life from above, love will rise to new and more glorious heights of heavenly communion. Hope will point with increasing strength to a tearless world; and joy robed in her garments of purity and regaled by selestial breezes, will hymn in anthems loud and long, the praise of Him that loved us, and washed us from our sins in His own blood.

By the power of this perfect love the soul feeds on hidden manna; glows with holy ardor; stretches her wings for a world of light! God is seen everywhere, loved everywhere, adored everywhere, obeyed everywhere. All nature becomes one mighty anthem of praise to God in the apprehension of this love. All ages and events have a voice and speak His praise. His word reflects the brightness of the divine glory; justice, holiness, truth, goodness, mercy, heaven, earth, and hell are all burdened with import and minister to the increasing power of holy love, glowing on the throne of the sanctified heart.

No consideration is of more practical weight than that which urges to the point of a full and present inward surrender to God for the accomplishment of this work now. Now, is the language of the Saviour. Now, is the voice of your own heart. Now, cry the interests of a perishing world. Now, is the concentrated language of the Church of all ages. Now, echos every angel before the throne. Now, comes up from the infinite depths of eternity. Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, "now is the day of salvation."

Augustine says "the Church Catholic, despite all appearances to the contrary, is a holy body, for they only are its members who are in true and living fellowship with Christ, therefore partakers of his sanctifying spirit. All others, however they may have the outward notes of belonging to it, are in it, but not of it; they press upon Christ as that thronging multitude; they do not touch Him as that believing woman." (Luke, 7–45.)

Does not your fainting soul long for this perfect union with the Son of God? Has not His blood power to cleanse from unrighteousness? Does He not love to save even to the uttermost? What, then, can hinder you from coming and being baptised with this holy baptism of pure love?

It is assumed by the objector that it is impossible to be made perfect in love in this life and that death only can bring to us a complete deliverance from the body of moral death. Those who take this position do not assume that a perfection of love is not necessary to fit us for a heaven of cloudless holiness, but that death only can fully deliver the soul from sin.

But where, we may inquire, in the Word of God, is the destruction of sin attributed to death or even to the period of one dissolution? Is death or its concomitants capable of infusing holiness into the soul? What, but the present time, has our infinite and gracious God given for the full exercise of faith and the maturity of christian character?

Do we not copy too closely the corrupt doctrine of the heathen philosophy, which re-appears in that of the Papist, when we ascribe to death a virtue and power we refuse to ascribe now to the blood of Christ? But if it is through faith in Him that perfection of love is attainable, why not now? Is not God dishonored by such delay? Is not the Church deprived of its full power of usefulness in proportion as it refuses this great salvation?

If this be true, then let it be the language of each believing heart,

"Henceforth may no profane delight,
  Divide this consecrated soul,
Possess it, Thou who has the right,
  As Lord and Master of the whole.

"That path with humble speed I'll seek,
  In which my Saviour's footsteps shine,
Nor will I hear, nor will I speak
  Of any other love but thine."

Those who hold and teach that justification and perfection of love are the same, and that all efforts to distinguish between the one and the other, are the results of speculative theologians, commit as

great, if not as fatal an error, as those who deny that Christian perfection is attainable in this life. To distinguish between them, it may be necessary to consider what each includes.

"Justification," says Mr. Upham, "while it does not include the present has especial reference to the past." "Sanctification," or a perfection of love, "on the contrary, taking up the work which justification has begun, has a more distinct reference to the present and the future." The one comprehends pardon, the other purification. The one expels the devil from the soul, the other keeps him out, by keeping it full of love to God and man.

The apostle Paul, addressing his Christian brethren, says: "And the very God of peace sanctify you wholly; and I pray God your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our Lord, Jesus Christ." Also, he says, "Having, therefore, these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit perfecting holiness in the fear of God." St. John says, "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

These scriptures appear evidently to refer to those in a state of grace. Still a further cleansing—a perfection of holiness, a cleansing after forgiveness is urged, and God was besought to bestow it upon them. In that memorable prayer offered to the Father, a little previous to His atoning death, Jesus says, in behalf of those who were not of the world—who had been chosen out of the world, "Sanctify them through the truth." The Hebrew disciples were exhorted "to go on unto perfection."

Many other texts might be quoted equally pertinent, setting forth this perfection of love as a work distinct from justification. We are not, however, to suppose that they have no points of resemblance. Both are the work of God. Both are attained by faith. The first is done for us and takes away our condemnation. The second is done in us and takes away our pollution. Oh, for an application of the all-cleansing blood.

"Take my soul and body's powers,
Take my memory, mind and will,
All my goods and all my hours,
All I know and all I feel,
All I think, or speak, or do—
Take my heart, but make it new."

In some instances, the work of a perfection of love may, as to time, immediately follow justification; but usually some time intervenes. Its length will depend upon the illumination of the understanding by the truth and fidelity in its improvement. Those who have given attention to the subject have not failed to observe that such as have the clearest apprehension of the love of God in their pardon, are the most deeply distressed with a view of their corruption of nature and hence are most earnest in their efforts for that love that casteth out fear, and their language is:

"Oh, that I now from sin released,
Thy word may to the utmost prove,
Enter into the promised rest,
The Canaan of thy perfect love."

That some injury may have been inflicted upon the cause of Christian holiness, in the indulgence of too great precipitancy and pertinacity in its professions, may be admitted without any implied disparagement of the doctrine or experience itself. Some, in the warmth of their glowing hearts, may have been injudicious in urging persons to the point of making a profession before a suitable conviction of the nature of the blessing and an adequate evidence of its attainment has been produced in the soul. In this way many have either brought reproach upon the profession or great darkness upon themselves.

Let every one, therefore, who would be made perfect in love, study, with much prayer and self-examination, the nature and obligations of that purity without which no man shall see the Lord. Let such seek to have his heart probed to its deepest recesses and to apply the only remedy, the blood of cleansing. Let not man or devil deceive you. Let no imaginable obstacle deter you from bringing your heart to Christ that He may wash and sanctify it by the word. Whatever duty, cross or self-denial is required, be earnest and determined to do or bear. Not as a matter of merit, for you have none and cannot possibly have, before Him to whom you owe everything. Let your whole trust be in God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Thus following the truth as it is in Jesus, uncorrupted by sophistry and undefiled by sin, you will have a tower of defence against the agents of deception.

Love is the fulfilling of the law and no one need be deceived, for "love is of God," and "he that dwelleth in love, dwelleth in God and God in him." "Herein is our love made perfect."

Still it may be enquired in the spirit of incredulity, "are not all mistaken who have professed to obey God by loving him with all the heart?

If they are mistaken, victims of delusion, still God is just and true and His word shall stand forever, and that word demands and promises a cleansing from all unrighteousness. But if all have been mistaken in their experience in this regard and have been deceived in their profession, will it not follow, on the same principles that all human testimony will be invalidated?

If the doctrine of Christian holiness, so clearly taught in the Bible, breathing in the types, glowing in the prophecies, hallowing the commandments and giving vitality to the promises—if the truth of the grace as attested in the experience of its myriad witnesses through the whole history of the Church, is a mere fabrication of enthusiasm, as many are willing to suppose, then what confidence can be placed upon any human testimony. If the best, the wisest and the holiest men have uniformly been deceived and have testified falsely, then all facts and testimony based on human experience are invalidated and go for nothing. Then the patriarchs, prophets and

apostles, as well as all martyrs and confessors of Christ, who have shown a supreme regard to the will of God, were not only deceived but have been the deceivers of mankind, professing and really acting what they did not enjoy. I envy not the man or minister whose creed or credulity is capable of embracing this monstrous absurdity. Rather let me adopt the language and faith of the beloved John and confess: "Herein is our love made perfect, that we may have boldness in the day of judgement, because as he is so are we in this world."

It is objected to the doctrine and experience of perfect love that its tendency is to promote pride, vainglory and self-conceit, and by taking away our sins, takes away the most important incentive to humility. It is singular that good and wise men should suffer themselves to remain in ignorance in regard to this great and precious doctrine and the provisions of grace. The experience of full salvation is incompatible with the existence of pride or any other sin in the soul; hence it is a state of mature humility, meekness, patience, hope, joy, long-suffering and kindness. But if all sin is destroyed and a perfection of love attained, is not an incentive to humility lost? If by this it is intended to assert that sin indulged in promotes humility, why, then, the more sin we have the more Christian humility! And who will assume, in view of such premise, that Satan is not the most perfect pattern of humility, as he is the great high priest of sin!

An appeal is made to the Scriptures and from them it is claimed that the doctrine in question is false, nay more, a dangerous heresy.

Yes, the Bible, the Holy Bible, containing enough to feed the famishing spirits of the world, standing forth, dressed in its awful sanction as God's own word, which we should obey as do the sun, moon and stars in their courses and the restful elements do in their habitations; that word, which is our law, which is the charter of our being at the bidding of which the sun stopped in his course, and "the sea forgot her instability and stood apart in walled steadfastness;" and which should be loved and obeyed without wishing to know aught beyond; this Word is brought forward and urged against the practicability of the experience of holiness. Nevertheless, the question at issue is great and very important; we will accordingly give it a careful consideration.

If it can be shown from this Divine word that a perfection of love is unclaimed and impossible in this life, all will agree that its decision must be ultimate, as all must be determined by "Thus saith the Lord."

The first objection to the doctrine of practical Christian holiness is taken from 1st Kings, 8–46, "For there is no man that sinneth not." The verse begins by saying, "If they sin against thee, (for there is no man that sinneth not), and thou be angry with them," etc. Dr Clarke on this verse says, "The second clause, as is here translated, renders the supposition in the first clause entirely nugatory; for if there be no 'man that sinneth not,' it is useless to say if they sin; but this contradiction is taken away by reference to the original, which should be translated, "If they shall sin against thee, (for there is no man that may not sin;)" i.e., there is no man impeccable, none infallible, none

that is not liable to transgress. This is the true meaning of the phrase in various parts of the Bible and so our translators have understood the original; for even in the 31st verse of this chapter they have translated the original word, "If a man trespass," which certainly implies he might or might not do it.

Thus a text which has been used by those who are not willing to admit that the blood of Christ saves from all sin in the present tense, is clearly shown to teach nothing inconsistent with a perfection of love as the present possible experience of God's children, but does teach an important doctrinal truth—a truth perfectly accordant with full salvation. For though a man be fully saved through Christ from all sin, so that sin has no more dominion over him, being "free from the law of sin and death," yet it is possible for him again to fall under its power. This is a Bible doctrine, and to such as may thus relapse, we say, "If any man sin, we have an Advocate with the Father."

It is also objected to this doctrine, that the Apostle says: "In many things we offend all"—James: 3:2. But of whom does James speak? Most evidently of those that "shall receive the greater condemnation," the many "masters" or teachers God had not sent; they are the persons intended, and not the Apostles or any true Christians. For he immediately adds, "If any man offend not in word the same is a perfect man, and able also to bridle the whole body." He therefore, who is made perfect in love, permits no corrupt communication to proceed from his lips. His conversation is in, that is, for heaven. He shows out of a good conversation his works with meekness of wisdom. It is a little remarkable with what fertility many multiply objections to one of the plainest and most precious doctrines of the scriptures, based on fancied and utterly futile expositions. I once listened to a Rev. brother who said to his Church, "In many things we all sinned, even the best of men, as saith the Apostles." Such was the loose and perverse manner of quoting the above text, and such the unnatural construction which a self-styled orthodoxy forces upon it. It is far better to preach the gospel of Christ than the gospel of a backslider's experience.

But does not St. John say, "If we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves. If we say we have not sinned," etc. I answer: That all have sinned is a great truth and a very gloomy fact. If we say we have no sin to confess and to be cleansed from, we charge God with falsehood, who asserts to the contrary, "For He hath concluded all under sin." But the foregoing verse is rescued from this false construction by reading the verse which follows, and which the Apostle places in immediate logical and doctrinal connection. He says: "But if we confess our sins He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." Thus do the several members of this paragraph explain each other and together affirm that all sin may be forgiven and all unrighteousness may be taken away.

But who, says the objector, was ever more holy, more given to the service of the Great God, our Savior, more filled with faith and the Holy Ghost, than St. Paul? Yet, does he not declare of himself, "I am carnal, sold under sin; that he was brought into captivity to the law of sin;" that when he would do good evil was present with him.

And that such was the affecting view which he had of his condition as a believer, that he exclaimed: "Oh, wretched man that I am! Who shall deliver me from the body of this death?" But does he say this of himself as an Apostle, as a Christain, or as an awakened sinner? Evidently he personates the last character. He describes the condition of a man at first totally ignorant of the spiritual nature of the law of God, supposing himself perfectly secure in his own conceited goodness. Then as a man under the awakening power of the law, striving, without the help of grace, to serve God, struggling with his corruptions like a culprit bound to a putrifying carcass, until paralyzed with dispair he cries out: "Oh, wretched man that I am!" This view is confirmed by what immediately follows. "I thank God," he says, for deliverance after repentance through "Jesus Christ our Lord." There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh but after the spirit. For the law of the spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death."

I have thus stated the principal objections urged from scripture against the experience of a perfection of love to God in this life. And it is found that by no natural and fair interpretation can these texts be made to speak against the enjoyment of full redemption in Christ. And, moreover, we are convinced that no scripture can legitimately be urged against it.

There is one further position assumed against this doctrine of saving grace which should not be overlooked. It is affirmed that if it is possible to attain perfection of love to God in this probationary state, and that by a fallen being, then must the law of God be dishonored in being brought down to the capacity of such an imperfect being. The reply is this: Law is a divinely prescribed method of obedience. A rule of action for the government of responsible beings, under which such beings are placed by the great Sovereign of the universe,and for the violation of which they are liable to punishment. "Law," says Burke, "is beneficence acting by rule." There are various specific laws; such as common, municipal or statute laws, and the laws of vegetable and animal life. But the law we contemplate is God's moral law. It was written by the finger of God on the two tables of stone and delivered to Moses on Mount Sinai. Its grand epitome is love, love to God and love to man; so that "love is the fulfilling of the law." Either the law was given to be obeyed, or it was not. If it was given to man for his obedience, this obedience is possible or it is not. If obedience is possible to the moral agent subject to it, then its violation is justly punishable. If by no provision of grace obedience is possible and yet required, God is dishonored by the very tenure of a law of such glaring absurdity and tyranny. Better far that his voice had never been heard from out the fiery tempest of the Mount, than that it had been employed in announcing a law which, if it could not be obeyed, was as applicable to a beast as a man. It is absurd to argue the imperfection of a moral code because of its adaptability to the nature of the moral being to whom it is given. This is, on the contrary, a domonstration of infinite wisdom and goodness. It is a gloomy fact

that "man is very far gone from original righteousness, and of his own nature, is inclined to evil and that continually."

The question, however, is not how low man has fallen, but how high grace has exalted him. "For what the law could not do in that it was weak through the flesh, God, sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, condemned sin in the flesh that the righteousness of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit." The power therefore to love God perfectly is not from the law but from the spirit of life in Christ Jesus, so that where sin abounded, grace might much more abound. We may do all things required through the strength of Christ.

Wherein, then, we enquire, is the law of moral government degraded by this doctrine of perfect love? Do we honor and exhalt it by making it an impracticable rule?

Is God at war with the nature of His own creation and mediatorial provisions? Does He require of a mite or a seraph that which in their respectively endowed natures they cannot render? If He does not, then is He honored by such a view of His law as a rule of life, as is contained in the doctrine we advocate, not as a condition of justification or sanctification, but as the fruit of these. He is never more honored than when His will is fully submitted to out of a "pure heart fervently." How, indeed, can it be said that a man loves the law of God and yet disobeys it. "If ye love me," says Jesus, "keep my commandments." Of the good man it is said, "His delight is in the law of the Lord and in His law doth he meditate day and night." From the nature of the law itself as holy, just and good, is found the great and final reason of its perpetual obligation. From the adaptation of the law to the nature and wants of its subjects as a prescribed method of beneficent action, from the sufficiency of the atonement, from the agency of the Spirit in the work of purification, and from the relation of man to all other subjects of moral government who are under the same requirement, we infer the obligations of love as the law's great exaction, never to be relaxed; the basis of its enforcement, so far as redeemed creatures are concerned, being the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Having thus considered the objections urged against a perfection of love based on our relations to the Divine moral law, we close by urging upon all the claims of God, as set forth in His word. At the very entrance we read, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, with all thy soul and with all thy mind. This is the first great commandment and the second is like unto it; thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." "Thou shalt have no other gods before me." "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." "Follow peace with all men and holiness without which no man shall see the Lord."

Do you enquire what we can do meritoriously to repair the ruin of sin and regain a lost purity? Nothing, at such a task. But God has provided Himself with a Lamb and has opened a fountain for sin and uncleanliness, and asks at our hands no impossibilities; nothing but what our condition is equal to in concert with His freely offered grace. Brethren of the Church and ministry, this great baptism of

pure love is what we most need, it is what we must have, if we would most acceptably serve God.

May "the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him. The eyes of your understanding being enlightened, that ye may know what is the hope of His calling and what the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints, and what is the exceeding greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of His mighty power which He wrought in Christ when He raised Him from the dead, and set Him at His own right hand in the heavenly places far above all principality and power and might and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world but also in that which is to come; and hath put all things under His feet and gave Him to be the head over all things to the Church, which is in His body the fullness of Him that filleth all in all."

How is this great and precious grace to be attained and enjoyed?

1. Meritoriously through Christ,
2. Conditionally by faith.
3. Efficiently by the Holy Spirit.

"Thou Shepherd of Israel, and mine,
The joy and desire of my heart,
For closer communion I pine,
And long to reside where thou art;
The pasture I languish to find,
Where all, who their Shepherd obey,
Are fed on Thy bosom reclined,
And screen'd from the heat of the day.

"'Tis there, with the lambs of Thy flock,
There only, I covet to rest,
To lie at the foot of the rock,
Or rise to be hid in Thy breast;
'Tis there I would always abide,
And never a moment depart,
Concealed in the cleft of Thy side,
Eternally held in Thy heart."

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Baker, W. F.	1880	1880	Butler.
Ballaine, Francis*	1880	1880	De Soto.
Brewington, Jas. B.	1880	1880	Marshfield.
Bell, Mordecai	1877	1877	Golden City.
Benefiel, Theodore S*	1866	1866	Bross, Kingman Co., Kansas.
Buck, Noble H.	1870	1870	Dixon.
Baird, Edward H*	1859	1866	Marionville.
Brough, Cyrus	1878	1878	7203 Minnesota Ave., St. Louis.
Boyce, Newton E*	1876	1876	Mint Hill.
Buck, Wm.	.....	1883	Greenfield.
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Collins, W. K.	.....	1883	Clinton.
Crow, D. W.	1881	1881	Festus.
Criss, Curtis V.	1877	1877	Lamar.
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Daniel, J. B	1867	1867	Windsor.
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Fry, C. D.	1875	1887	Avilla.
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Gaither, Anderson J*	1855	1855	Independence.
Galbraith, I. M	1881	1881	Rockville.
Graves, Albert J.†	1885	1885	Vichey.
Hagerty, Thomas H	1855	1863	1909 Grand Ave., St. Louis.
Heinlein, Aaron H	1866	1872	Clinton.
Hanson, Richard H*	1873	1873	Hartville.
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Ing, Stanford	1858	1858	Oak Grove.
Ingram, Job	1872	1886	Rich Hill.
January, B. F.	1880	1880	Richland.
Jones, Caleb J. W.	1872	1872	Independence.
Jones, Olin B.	1878	1878	Independence.
Jones, Samuel*	1873	1873	Clinton.
Jones, William	——	1884	1624 Summit St., Kansas City.
Jump, Albert	1877	1877	Sedalia.
Knease, T. H.	1872	1884	Mt. Vernon.
Kivett, David	1882	1886	Pleasant Hill.
Lenig, Frank	1881	1881	1708 Newstead Ave., St. Louis.
Lunbeck, I. J. K.	1870	1870	Rolla.
Lunbeck, Oscar	1880	1880	Palmer.
Lewis, William T.	1874	1887	1007 E. 6th St., Kansas City.
Martin, O. M.	1869	1882	2409½ N. 12th St., St. Louis.
Morgan, Russell M*	1847	1868	West Plains.
Moffat, Rolan*	1851	1872	Washburn.
Martin, John J.	1873	1878	Marionville.
Markham, L. A.	——	1886	Warrensburg.
Marlatt, Joseph P.	1883	1883	3534 Ohio Ave., St. Louis.
Miller, Jacob	——	1878	Mountain Grove.
Miller, Henry R.	1858	1865	Lebanon.
Munsell, L. W.	——	1881	——
Moore, J. N.	1881	1881	Peirce City.
Neff, William T.	1882	1882	Ironton.
Pine, James	1879	1880	Lincoln.
Porter, James S.	1873	1873	East Lynne.
Porter, Erastus A*	1875	1875	Rich Hill.
Pierce, John N*	1859	1865	Clinton.
Powell, William W.	1868	1868	——
Poole, Benjamin F.	1875	1875	North Springfield.
Pingry, Thomas	1883	1883	Adrain.
Parsons, C. W.	——	1884	Kansas City.
Revelle, Charles S.	1874	1877	Belton.
Reese, W. H.	——	1887	Kansas City.
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Simmons, William J	1875	1887	Cassville.
Threlfall, Henry	1866	1866	Conway.
Tuttle, Joseph K*	1838	1871	Sedalia.
Thomas, B. F.	1881	1881	2014 John Ave., St. Louis.
Van Petten, J. B.	———	1880	———
Vaughn, James H.*	1859	1859	Lebeck.
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Yeager, Wilbur F	1880	1880	Republic.

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2	William T. Piles	1886	Knob Noster.
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2	George A. Glens	1886	Cuba.
2	William T. Wright	1886	Seneca.
2	Thomas H. Hawkins	1886	Carterville.
2	William T. Pare	1886	Hermitage.
2	Armor M. Hammond	1886	Oronogo.
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1	George W. King	1886	Bloomfield.
1	Charles R. Wade	1887	Sullivan.
1	Hervey Smith	1887	Lowry City.
1	Stephen B. Champbell	1887	Osceola.
1	William S. Courtney	1887	Schell City.
1	George R. Anderson	1887	Marshall.
1	Fred B. Price	1887	1604 Wabash ave., Kansas City.
1	William M. Beaty	1887	Eminence.
1	Price A. Crow	1887	Bolivar.

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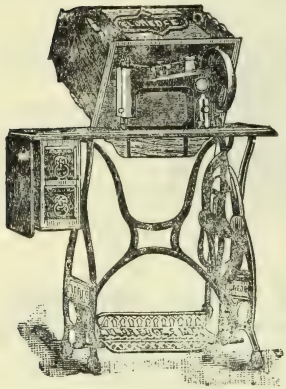

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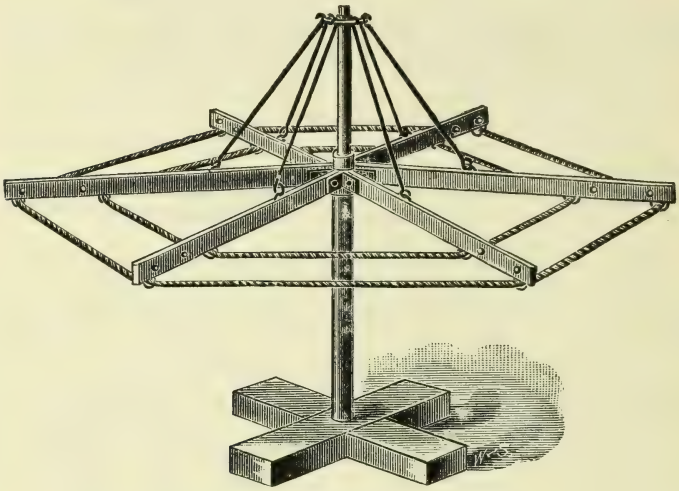

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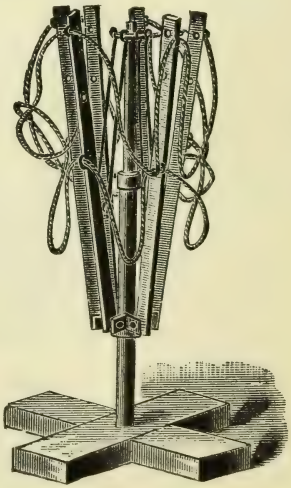

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Reserve for Agency Balances and other claims	26,633.27
Special Reserve for Taxes and Dues to Insurance Departments	10,000.00
Reserve for Re-Insurance	1,466,042.11
Net Surplus	255,849.80
TOTAL ASSETS	$2,044,703.53

SUMMARY OF ASSETS.

Loans on Bonds and Mortgages and Interest	$ 987,842.70
City, Town, County, Bank and Corporation stocks and bonds, and accrued interest on same	195,878.70
Loaned on Collateral, Mortgages, Stocks and Bonds	52,900.00
Real Estate (Company's Building)	15,000 00
Bills receivable, not matured, taken for fire risks	469,713 75
Net Cash in hands of Agents	95,385.50
Cash deposited in Banks	220,263 81
Cash deposited, in Office	7,719.07
TOTAL ASSETS	$2,044,703.53

INCOME,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1886.

For Gross Premiums	$ 1,463,210.75
Interest	92,355.15
Received from all other Sources	4,498 43
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$1,560,064 33

EXPENDITURES.

Amount paid for losses	$ 598,456.17
Amount paid for Commissions and Brokerage	341,803 26
Amount paid for Return Premiums, Re-insurance and Cancellations	234,986.24
Amount paid for Office and General Expenses	111,846.10
Amount paid for Printing and Stationery	14,804.59
Amount paid for Taxes and Insurance Department fees	19,367.79
Amount paid for Dividends	40,000.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$1,361,264.15
Receipts in Excess of Expenditures	$ 198,800 18

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF ASSETS

FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS.

January 1st, 1878,	$ 455 077 33
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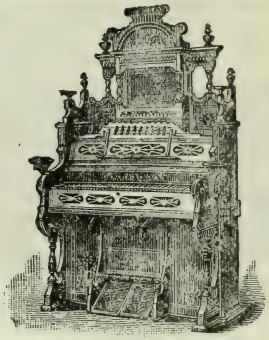

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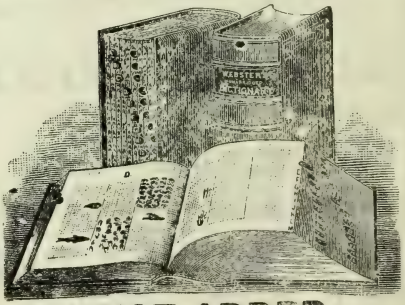

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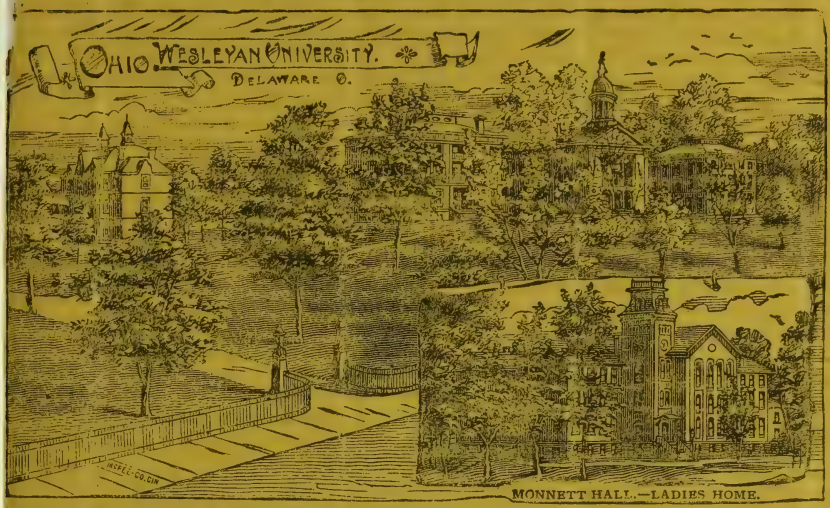

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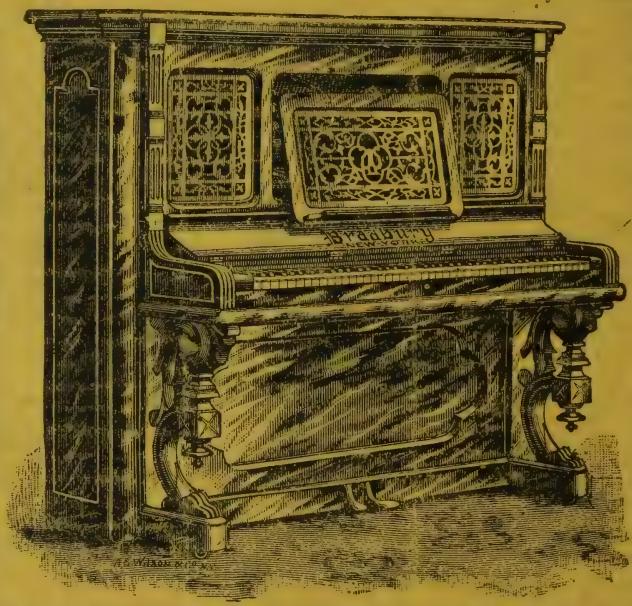

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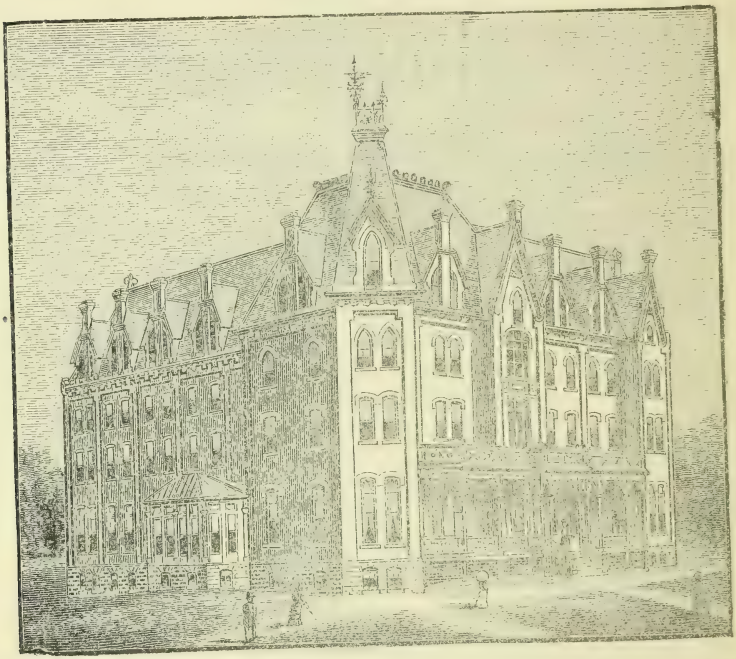

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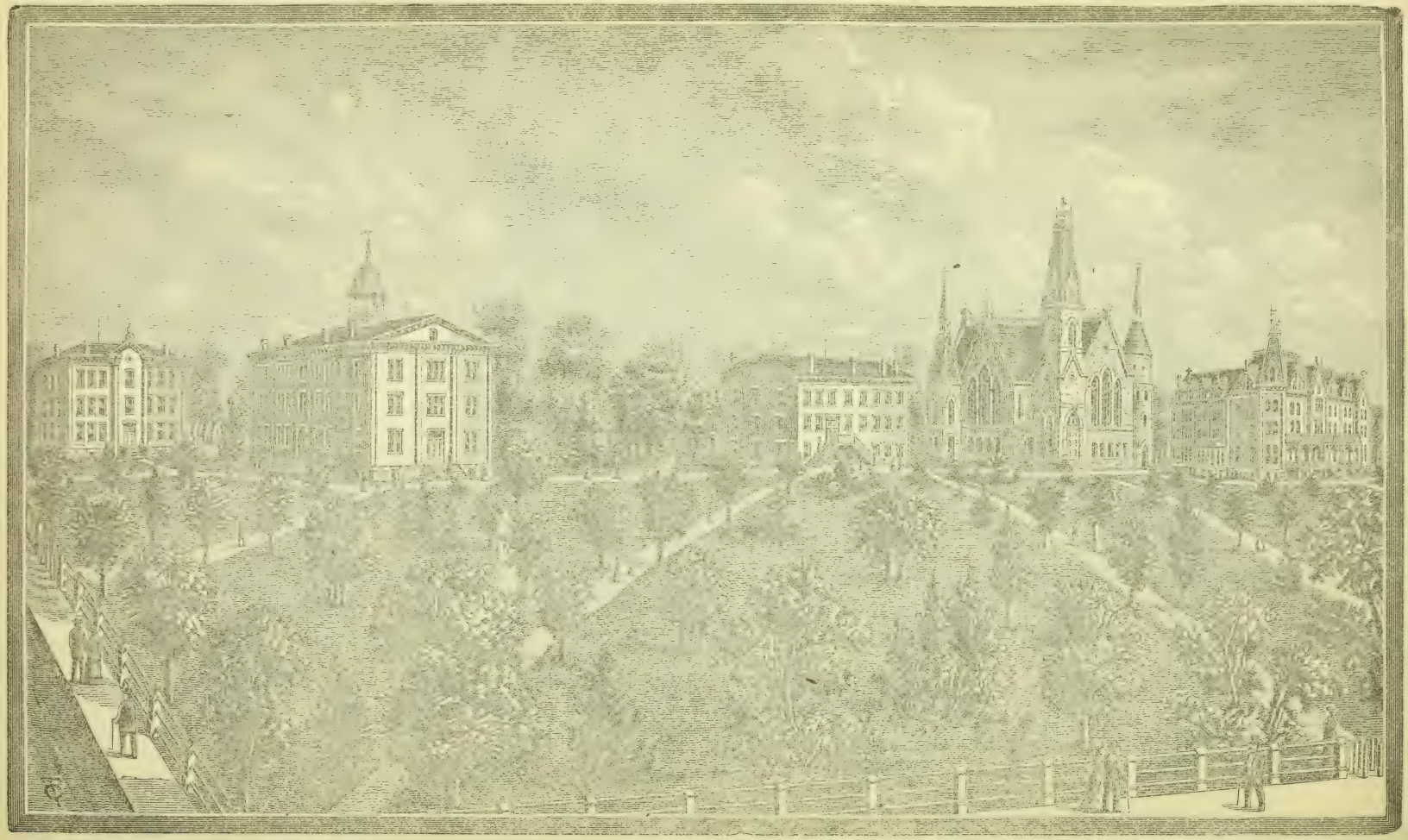

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RULES FOR GOVERNMENT OF CONFERENCE.

RE-ADOPTED MARCH 21, 1888.

I. The Conference shall meet at 8:30 o'clock A. M. and hold religious services for half an hour, and adjourn at 12 M.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate.

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member request it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection; unless one of the following motions shall intervene, namely: indefinite postponement, postponement till a given time, to lie on the table, to amend or substitute; and these motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference; nor shall any member speak more than once, till every one desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a subject has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of

the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless, for special reasons, the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. A session shall be held on the first day of each Conference session for the collection of statistics from the various charges, and each pastor shall be required to report his statistics at that time, in order to find a place in the Minutes, and the names of those preachers not presenting their statistical reports on the first day of Conference shall be called immediately after the opening of the morning session of the second day, and their reports required; and the Secretaries shall not be required to insert any reports coming in after 12 o'clock of the second day.

XV. The officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the officers and managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examinations of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. The Chairman of each examining Committee shall present a written report of the class examination, to be preserved with the records of the Conference.

XVIII. All applications for aid from the Conference Claimant Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions:

1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of servcei in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned; of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

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Journal of Daily Proceedings.

FIRST DAY.

SEDALIA, MO., March 21, 1888.

The Saint Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its twentieth session in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Sedalia, Mo., Wednesday, March 21, at 9 o'clock A. M., Bishop John M. Walden presiding.

The Bishop conducted the opening devotional services, consisting of singing the doxology, prayer by T. H. Hagerty and Wm. Jones, and reading the Scriptures, (48th Psalm and first chapter of Ephesians.) The Lord's Supper was administered by the Bishop, assisted by the Presiding Elders and the Pastor.

A. L. Walker, assistant secretary of the last conference, called the roll, and eighty-three members and probationers were present.

Wm. Stephens, J. H. Gillespie and F. Lenig were placed in nomination for Secretary of the Conference. Wm. Stephens was elected.

On his nomination A. L. Walker and O. B. Jones were elected assistant secretaries.

The following standing committees, nominated by the Presiding Elders, were appointed:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

AUDITING—D. W. Crow, B. F. Price, W. M. Creamer, T. M. Durham, J. B. Daniel.

BIBLE CAUSE—W. T. Lewis, T. H. Knease, C. E. Heaton, H. Threlfall, L. A. Markham.

BOOK AND PERIODICAL ACCOUNTS—Wm. Jones, Jacob Miller, A. M. Hammond, Oscar Lunbeck, H. Smith.

CHURCH EXTENSION—W. P. Armstrong, M. Bell, J. P. Marlatt, O. B. Jones, J. H. Gillespie.

Conference Relations—W. J. Simmons, S. Warner, C. J. W. Jones, A. H. Heinlein, L. C. Sappenfield.

District Records—Wm. Buck, Thomas Pingry.

Education—B. St. James Fry, C. W. Parsons, I. J. K. Lunbeck, J. J. Martin, H. M. Hackney.

Episcopal Fund—B. F. January, F. Lenig, A. P. Sallaway, J. W. Finley, A. L. Walker.

Freedmen's Aid—John Ashley, F. M. Stickney, T. C. Sparkman, Cyrus Brough, James Pine.

Memoirs—C. J. W. Jones, E. J. Hunt, J. W. Cowden.

Missions—The Presiding Elders.

New York Book Accounts—Frank Lenig.

Observance of the Sabbath—G. A. Glens, T. M. Durham, W. H. Reese, B. F. Thomas.

Periodicals—C. V. Criss, Wm. Jones, B. F. Poole, T. H. Hagerty, W. S. Courtney.

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Publication of the Minutes—The Secretaries.

Public Worship—The Presiding Elder of the District and the Pastors in Sedalia.

Railroad Secretary—J. H. Gillespie.

Stewards—J. B. Daniel, J. S. Porter, J. B. Brewington, S. Warner, C. V. Criss.

Statistics—C. S. Revelle, G. R. Anderson, A. J. Graves, C. R. Wade, I. M. Galbraith.

Sunday Schools and Tracts—W. F. Yeager, C. D. Fry, W. T. Lewis, Cyrus Brough.

Temperance—G. W. Hughey, O. M. Martin, W. F. Baker, L. C. Sappenfield, S. B. Campbell.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society—W. T. Neff, S. Ing, Isaac Entwisle, W. P. Armstrong, H. A. Toland.

Woman's Home Missionary Society—R. T. Smith, O. B. Jones, B. F. Thomas, N. H. Buck.

C. S. Revelle was elected Statistical Secretary. On his nomination Oscar Lunbeck, S. Warner, I. M. Galbraith, W. T. Wright, James Pine and R. T. Smith were elected as assistants.

On motion of B. St. James Fry, the rules of the last Conference were re-adopted.

An afternoon session, to meet at 2 o'clock, was ordered for the collection of statistics.

The bar of the Conference was fixed at six slips from the platform.

W. M. Creamer, C. W. Parsons and O. M. Martin were appointed a Committee on General Conference Memorials.

The following visitors were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Dr. W. P. Stowe, Book agent of Western Book Concern; Dr. C. H. Payne, President Ohio Wesleyan University; Dr. J. C. W. Coxe, Western District Secretary of the Sunday School Union; D. F. Stiles, of the Central Pennsylvania Conference; Rev. Ferguson, of Central Illinois Conference, and Henry Fiegabaum, of the Western German Conference.

Also Rev. A. H. Stephens, pastor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church; John Herron, pastor Broadway Presbyterian Church and A. R. Farris, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of this city.

Drafts on the Book Concern for $227 and on the Chartered Fund for $30 were duly ordered.

QUESTION XX. The *Twentieth Question* was taken up, viz: "*Was the character of each preacher examined?*"

James F. Corrington, Presiding Elder of the St. Louis District, reported the state of the work in the District, and his character passed.

The following effective elders reported their collections, and their characters passed, viz: D. W. Crow, C. E. Heaton, C. Brough, F. Lenig, J. P. Marlatt, S. Warner, O. M. Martin, B. F. Thomas and Oscar Lunbeck.

C. E. Felton being absent, his collections were reported by B. St. James Fry and his character passed. Also of L. Hallock, T. H. Hagerty and B. St. James Fry, who were not in charge.

The election of delegates to the General Conference was made the order of the day for Friday, 10:30 A. M.

Wm. Stephens was confirmed as Conference Treasurer, and I. J. K. Lunbeck was elected Assistant Treasurer.

T. H. Hagerty was appointed to preside in the afternoon session and I. Entwisle to conduct the devotional services. Wm.

Jones was appointed to conduct devotional services to-morrow morning.

The minutes were read and approved, and the session closed by singing and the benediction.

SECOND SESSION—2 P. M.

Conference convened at 2 A. M., T. H. Hagerty presiding. Isaac Entwisle conducted the devotional services. The charges were called and the statistics were received.

Announcements were made and the session closed with the benediction.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference convened at 8:30 A. M., Bishop Walden presiding. The opening service of prayer was conducted by Wm. Jones.

The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

QUESTION XX. The *Twentieth Question* was resumed. W. V. Hammel, Presiding Elder of Carthage District, represented his work and his character passed.

C. D. Fry, G. W. Hughey, Isaac Entwisle, W. J. Simmons, M. Bell, Wm. Buck, T. M. Durham, C. V. Criss, J. J. Martin, T. H. Knease, Frank Exly and J. W. Finley reported their collections, and their characters passed.

J. N. Moore was announced as transferred to the Northwest Kansas Conference.

Dr. Stowe addressed the Conference upon our publishing interests.

The missionary work of the Church was represented by Dr. C. H. Payne, of Ohio Wesleyan University.

Dr. J. C. W. Coxe, the representative of the Sunday School Union, addressed the Conference in behalf of our Sunday School and Tract interests.

Rev. E. S. Wright, agent of the American Bible Society, was introduced and presented the claims of this Society.

The lists of Supernumerary and Superannuated preachers were referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

The Conference ordered all papers for committees to be referred through the Secretary.

The Statistical Secretary called the list of unreported charges and called for corrections.

Immediately after the order of the day to-morrow, was fixed upon as the time to receive the fraternal representative of the Southwest Mo. Conference, M. E. Church, South.

W. K. Collins, Presiding Elder of Sedalia District, represented the condition of his District and his character passed.

Dr. J. H. Hartzell, Assistant Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid Society, was introduced. Also Rev. B. F. Boller of the Congregational Church, this city.

The Minutes were read and approved.

Notices were given and the session closed with the doxology and benediction.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference opened at 8:30 A. M., Bishop Walden presiding. G. W. Hughey conducted the devotional services.

QUESTION XX. The *Twentieth Question* was resumed. H. M. Hackney, A. H. Heinlein, James Pine, A. L. Walker, I. M. Galbraith, J. H. Gillespie, Albert Jump, Wm. Stephens, M. B. Wood, L. A. Markham and J. B. Daniel reported thier collections and their characters passed.

The character of J. B. Van Petten passed, and the Bishop was requested to appoint him professor in Claverac College, N. Y.

On motion of W. K. Collins, the relation of M. B. Wood was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

QUESTION V. The *Fifth Question* was taken up, viz.: "*Who are admitted into full connection?*"

The members of the class of the second year were called forward. After prayer by F. S. Beggs, they were addressed by the Bishop, who propounded to them the required disciplinary questions.

G. A. Glens, E. F. S. Darby, H. A. Toland, A. M. Hammond and W. T. Wright reported their collections and their characters

passed. They were admitted into full connection and elected to deacon's orders.

W. T. Piles, a deacon, reported his collections, his character passed and he was admitted into full connection.

H. A. Toland and A. M. Hammond were required to bring up logic next year.

D. B. Johnson was announced as transferred to the Detroit Conference.

By request of the Conference, D. F. Stiles, a supernumerary, was transferred from the Central Pennsylvania Conference to this.

The special order of the day, the election of delegates to the General Conference, was taken up.

The Conference ordered that only the number to be voted for shall appear on the ballots.

R. T. Smith, E. J. Hunt, H. M. Hackney and S. Warner were appointed tellers.

The first ballot was taken and the tellers, with the secretary, retired.

By common consent the "second order of the day" was taken up.

Rev. A. R. Farris, fraternal delegate of the Southwest Missouri Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, was introduced and he addressed the Conference.

By request of the Conference Bishop Walden responded.

The ballot for General Conference delegates was announced, viz: B. St. James Fry and G. W. Hughey were elected.

On motion, O. M. Stewart and F. S. Beggs, having received the next highest number of votes, were elected as alternates.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That we have heard with pleasure the expression[8] of Christian fraternity by the Rev. A. R. Farris, of the M. E. Church, South, and respond to it in the fullest spirit of Christian ministers of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Resolved, That the Bishop be requested to appoint a member of this Conference to visit the Southwest Missouri Conference of the M. E. Church, South, at its next session and present to them our fraternal salutations.

T. H. Hagerty.
J. J. Martin.

A. Jump was elected Railroad Secretary in place of J. H. Gillespie.

The report of the Conference Board of Church Extension was presented, ordered to be read and printed.

The Conference proceeded to fix the seat of its next session. Bolivar, Peirce City and Goode Avenue, St. Louis, were nominated. Peirce City was chosen, and the choice was made unanimous.

The Secretary was requested to convey the thanks of this Conference to Bolivar and Goode Avenue Churches for their generous invitations to meet with them.

The following visiting brethren were introduced to the Conference, viz: S. E. Pendleton, Kansas Conference; Prof. W. I. Graham and G. W. White, of the South Kansas Conference; C. A. Crain, of Illinois Conference; also T. M. Cobb and Rev. McClure, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Mrs. N. C. Alger, of the Woman's Home Missionary Society, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

The Conference suggested that the Woman's Home Missionary Society meet at 2:30 P. M., and Dr. J. H. Vincent's address be at 4 P. M., all in this house, and it was so announced.

Announcements were made, the Journal read and approved, and the session closed with the benediction.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference convened at 8:30 A. M., Bishop Walden presiding. The opening services were conducted by H. M. Hackney.

The following committee was appointed to wait on the Lay Electoral Conference and arrange for a joint session of the Conferences, viz: C. J. W. Jones, Benj. St. James Fry and E. J. Hunt.

On motion of Benj. St. Jas. Fry, the Secretary was instructed to remit to the Secretary of the Colorado Conference, the credentials and papers in the case of S. Alexander.

QUESTION XIII. The *Thirteenth Question* was taken up, viz: "*Who are the traveling Deacons of the second class?*"

R. T. Smith reported his collections, his character passed, and being approved in his studies for the third and fourth years, he was elected to Elders orders.

QUESTION XX. The *Twentieth Question* was resumed.

O. M. Stewart, Presiding Elder of Kansas City District represented his district and his character passed.

Thos. Pingry, A. P. Sallaway, C. S. Revelle, John Ashley, W. F. Baker, E. J. Hunt, O. B. Jones, W. H. Reese, C. W. Parsons, W. T. Lewis, W. Jones, C. J. W. Jones and S. Ing reported their collections and their characters passed.

J. S. Porter being absent on account of the death of his sister, his collections were reported and his character passed.

The relation of D. F. Stiles, a supernumerary preacher, was referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

The Lay Electoral Conference was presented by Dr. Benj. St. James Fry. After mutual introductions, Hon. A. B. Logan of Warrensburg, President of that body addressed the Conference. He announced that the Lay Conference had raised $100 for the Minute fund.

Seneca N. Taylor, of St. Louis, and W. H. Craig, of Kansas City, Lay Delegates elect to the General Conference, were introduced by the Bishop to the Conference, also to Benj. St. James Fry and G. W. Hughey, the Ministerial Delegates elect.

Bishop Walden, by request and in behalf of the Conference, made the responsive address.

Bro. E. G. Evans, of the Lay Conference, read a paper which was ordered printed in our Minutes.

Dr. M. S. Terry of Garrett Biblical Institute, Dr. M. L. Curl, President of Lewis College, Prof. Brewster of Marionville Collegiate Institute, were introduced.

The reports of the Trustees and Treasurer of the Permanent Fund were presented, adopted, and ordered to be printed in the Minutes.

The nominations for Trustees of the Permanent Fund were confirmed. (See reports.)

The following resolution was adopted, viz:

Resolved; That it is the sense of this Conference, that there should be a subscription taken in each charge this year for the benefit of the "Permanent Fund" for Conference claimants, and the pastors in the various charges are requested to present the matter of this "Trust" by appropriate sermon or address to the churches, and that all may be permitted to aid this worthy object.

SENECA N. TAYLOR,
BENJ. ST. JAMES FRY.

Job Ingram was announced as transferred to the Northwest Kansas Conference.

A memorial to this Conference from the Central Preachers' meeting, Kansas City, on the subject of the insurance of church property, was read and referred to the Committee on General Conference Memorials.

Dr. M. S. Terry addressed the Conference in behalf of Garrett Biblical Institute.

A collection of $50.47 was taken for the library fund of that institution.

QUESTION X. The *Tenth Question* was called, viz: "*What Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?*"

Homer A Babbitt was elected.

QUESTION II. *The Second Question* was taken up, viz: "*Who are admitted on trial?*"

Homer A. Babbitt was favorably reported as to his studies and admitted.

A session of the Conference was ordered at 2:30 o'clock P. M. to-morrow for a memorial service.

Announcements were made, the minutes were read and approved, and the session closed with the benediction.

FIFTH DAY.

SUNDAY, 2:30 P. M.

The Conference assembled for the memorial service at 2:30 P. M. Bishop Walden announced the opening hymn:

"It is not death to die."

A. H. Heinlein led in prayer. The memoir of Margaret L. Threlfall was read by J. W. Cowden and appropriate remarks were made by F. S. Beggs.

The hymn beginning, "Servant of God, well done," was sung.

The memoir of David Kivett was read by C. J. W. Jones.

The entire audience joined in singing—

"Nearer, my God, to thee."

Enoch J. Hunt read the memoir of Chas. E. Evans, after which O. M. Stewart added suitable words of memory and encouragement from the spirit and labors of the deceased. "Who who would live always?" was sung. The memoirs were adopted and the session closed.

SIXTH DAY.

MONDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The conference convened, Bishop Walden presiding. A. H. Heinlein conducted the opening services.

QUESTION III. The *Third Question* was taken up, viz: "*Who remain on trial?*"

Geo. R. Anderson, Wm. M. Beatty, Price A. Crow, Fred. B. Price, C. R. Wade, H. Smith, W. F. Jones and S. B. Campbell reported their collections, their characters passed and they were advanced to the class of the second year.

H. Smith was required to bring up his studies in ancient history and rhetoric.

Geo. W. King reported his collections and his character passed. He was continued on trial in the class of the first year.

W. S. Courtney was absent through sickness. His character passed and he was continued on trial in the class of the first year.

QUESTION XIII. The *Thirteenth Question* was taken up, viz: "*Who are Traveling Deacons of the second class?*"

A. J. Graves and D. F. Stiles reported their collections, their characters passed and they were advanced to this class.

W. T. Pare of the second year's class of probationers reported his collections, his character passed and he was continued on trial in the same class.

T. H. Hawkins was not present; his character passed and he was continued on trial in the class of the second year.

QUESTION XVIII The *Eighteenth Question* was taken up, viz: "*Who are the supernumerary preachers?*"

The characters of R. H. Hanson and Samuel Jones passed and their relation was continued.

R. H. Hanson was requested to locate at the ensuing session of the conference.

The characters of L. W. Munsell, L. R. Carpenter and J. K. Tuttle passed and they were granted a superannuated relation.

The character of N. E. Boyce passed and he was granted a location at his own request.

Dr. Curl, of Lewis College, addressed the Conference in behalf of Lewis College.

T. C. Sparkman was announced as transferred to this Conference from South Kansas Conference.

QUESTION XIX. The *Nineteenth Question* was taken up, viz: "*Who are the superannuated preachers?*"

The characters of E. A. Porter, J. H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, John Welch, A. J. Gaither, R. M. Morgan, E. H. Baird, R. Moffat, A. Barber, T. S. Benefiel, F. Ballaine and Wm. Demotte passed and their relation continued. W. W. Powell was requested to locate at the ensuing session of the Conference.

The committee on Conference Relations was requested to communicate with the superannuated preachers who live outside of the bounds of the Conference, and convey to them our sympathies and fraternal regards.

The following certificates of ordinations were presented by Bishop Walden:

This certifies that at Sedalia, Mo., on March 25th, 1888, I ordained

Henry A. Toland, Geo. A. Glens, Elijah F. S. Darby, Wm. T. Wright, Armor M. Hammond and Homer A. Babbitt deacons; and at the same place on the same day, I, assisted by several elders, ordained Robert T. Smith an elder in the Methodist Episcopal church.

Given under my hand this 26th day of March, A. D. 1888.

The following committee was appointed to bring the claim of Sister Clifford to the attention of the Maine Conference, viz.: A. H. Heinlein, Benj. St. James Fry and O. M. Stewart.

QUESTION XX. The *Twentieth Question* was resumed.

F. S. Beggs, Presiding Elder of the Springfield District, read a report of the work in the District and his character passed.

H. Threlfall, J. W. Cowden, F. M. Stickney, J. B. Brewington, B. F. Poole, W. F. Yager, B. F. January, I. J. K. Lunbeck, W. M. Creamer and L. C. Sappenfield reported their collections and their characters passed.

The character of N. H. Buck passed. He was granted a supernumerary relation.

Jacob Miller was reported unable to be present—his character passed.

H. R. Miller was announced as transferred to the North Dakota Conference.

D. B. Johnson, a probationer, was announced as transferred to the Detroit Conference.

M. B. Wood was granted a superannuated relation.

An afternoon session was ordered to meet at 2:30 o'clock.

On motion of Benj. St. James Fry, the conference voted to memorialize the General Conference to hold its session of 1892 in the city of St. Louis.

A collection of $32 was taken to aid the Conference Claimants.

The minutes were read and approved.

The notices were given and the session closed with the doxology and the benediction.

SECOND SESSION.

2:30 P. M.

The Conference assembled, Benj. St. James Fry presiding. O. M. Martin conducted the devotional exercises.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Pastors of the various charges throughout the Conference be requested to so arrange that the sacrament of the Lord's Supper be administered in every society at least once every quarter.

A. H. Heinlein.
C. J. W. Jones.
G. W. Hughey.

The following reports were presented and adopted, viz.: "Auditing Committee," "Woman's Foreign Missionary Society," "Church Extension," "Woman's Home Missionary Society," "Sunday Schools and Tracts," "District Records," "Bible Cause," "Periodicals," "Education," and the "Treasurer's" report. (See reports.)

It was ordered that the educational collection be sent to the Treasurer of the Conference Educational Society at St. Louis, to be distributed according to the provisions of the report on education.

The report on the "Observance of the Sabbath" was read and re-committed.

Dr. A. J. Kynett addressed the Conference, urging renewed interest for the Church Extension Society and its work.

QUESTION XVIII. The *Eighteenth Question* was resumed.

The character of J. N. Pierce passed and his relation continued. D. F. Stiles was made effective.

QUESTION II. The *Second Question* was taken up, viz: "*Who are Admitted on Trial?*" John R. Pimlott, John W. Harwood, Eli P. Anderson, Julius H. Hartrick, Moses Anderson, Isaac Borts and James A. Bradshaw were admitted.

W. L. Dempsey was admitted on credentials from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, as a Deacon of the first class.

A night session was ordered to meet at 7:30.

The Bishop was requested by the Conference to transfer to this Conference Joseph Harris, a supernumerary member of the S. Illinois Conference. The Bishop so announced, and his relation was changed to effective.

The minutes were read and approved. Announcements were made and the session closed with the benediction.

THIRD SESSION.

7:30 P. M.

The Conference convened at 7:30 P. M., Benj. St. James Fry presiding. The devotional services were led by Isaac Entwisle.

The reports on "Episcopal Fund" and "Temperance" were presented and adopted.

The "Stewards" made their report, which was adopted and the several amounts distributed.

The report of the Statistical Secretary was read and adopted.

The reports on "Freedmen's Aid Cause," "Observance of the Sabbath," and "General Conference Memorials," were adopted. (See reports.)

Dr. J. H. Hartzell addressed the Conference, presenting the pressing and legitimate claims of the Freedmen's Aid Cause.

The Presiding Elders were directed to apportion $1,350 to the several districts to be raised for the Permanent Fund, and to meet the proposition of W. H. Craig, that a friend would pay $1,350 into that fund in behalf of the preachers of this Conference, if they would raise an equal amount from the charges, thus making the entire fund invested $5,000.

A morning session to meet at 7:30 was ordered.

The minutes were read and approved, and the session closed with the benediction.

SEVENTH DAY.

TUESDAY, 7:30 A. M.

The Conference assembled at 7:30 A. M., Bishop Walden presiding. B. F. Poole conducted the opening services.

The various appointments for "Committees of Examination," "Board of Church Extension," "Triers of Appeals" and to preach the Missionary sermon were made. (See list of miscellaneous appointments.)

The report on Domestic Missions was presented and adopted. (See reports.)

The following transfers were announced, viz: Jasper Wind bigler of the S. Kansas Conference, a probationer of the second year; Jesse B. Young, of the Central Pennsylvania Conference and W. D. Gray, of the Ohio Conference.

C. W. Parsons transferred to the Newark Conference and W. L. Dempsey to the N. Dakota Conf.

J. G. Mohrweis was continued on trial in the class of the second year.

The following resolutions were presented and adopted, viz:

Resolved, 1st. That we extend to the citizens of this city our sincere gratitude for the kind and hospitable manner in which we have been entertained during the session of our Conference.

2nd. That we thank Bro. Albert Jump and the committee of arrangements associated with him, in their efforts for our comfort during our sojourn with them.

3rd. That we have a deep sense of the excellent counsel, fervent spirit and devotion of Bishop J. M. Walden, manifested in this his first visit to the St. Louis Conference. We assure him that he shall receive a hearty welcome, whenever, in the providence of God he may revisit us.

4th. That we highly appreciate the christian fraternity on the part of the Pastor, officers, and members of the Cumberland Presbyterian church of this place, for the use of their beautiful building in which to hold this session of our Conference.

5th. That we thank the various Rail-Roads that have extended to us courtesies and favors, in attending this Conference.

S. Ing,
G. W. Hughey.
A. H. Heinlein.

W. P. Armstrong was appointed Fraternal delegate to the Southwest Mo. Conference, M. E. church, South.

The Minutes were read and approved. After a brief address by the Bishop the appointments were read.

The hymn beginning—

"God be with us till we meet again," was sung and the Bishop led in prayer. The Conference then adjourned.

W. STEPHENS, Secretary. JNO. M. WALDEN, President.

Sessions of the St. Louis Conference.

At the General Conference held at Chicago, May 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conferences the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn, May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory and constituted the Arkansas Conference." At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884 the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, Mo., March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	Received on Trial	Received in Full	Ordained Deacons	Ordained Elders	Located	Withdrawn	Expelled	Received by Re-ad. Transfer and on Credentials	Transferred	Deaths
1	1869, Mar. 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	7	8	4	10	..	1	..	4	..	..
2	1870, Mar. 9	Springfield	Clark	"	27	9	5	12	3	..	..	3	4	..
3	1871, Mar 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	"	29	9	5	4	4	..	..	6	4	1
4	1872, Feb. 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	22	20	19	6	2	1	..	10	4	2
5	1873, Mar 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	"	13	14	10	1	3	2	..	3	5	2
6	1874, Mar. 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	"	14	9	9	11	5	..	..	8	8	..
7	1875, Mar. 17	Carthage	Merrill	"	5	9	5	7	2	..	..	2	7	1
8	1876, Mar. 29	Sedalia	Peck	"	4	11	10	10	4	1	..	3	8	2
9	1877, Mar. 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	"	6	4	3	5	3	..	..	3	4	1
10	1878, Mar. 20	Kansas City	Bowman	"	11	2	2	6	3	1	..	4	3	1
11	1879, Mar. 26	Springfield	Wiley	"	4	5	4	6	2	..	..	3	3	..
12	1880, Mar. 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M Stewart	10	12	10	3	..	1	..	6	9	2
13	1881, Mar. 31	Carthage	Hurst	"	14	4	4	5	2			2	2	5
14	1882, Mar. 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	9	6	4	9	4	..	..	6	7	1
15	1883, Mar. 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	6	10	5	2	4	2	..	6	4	1
16	1884, Mar. 12	Kansas City	Foss	T. F. Corrington	6	3	3	5	1	..	..	10	5	1
17	1885, Mar. 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H R. Miller	5	6	3	7	1	1	..	8	9	2
18	1886, Mar. 25	Warrensburg	Harris	"	15	2	5	3	2	2	..	8	4	3
19	1887, Mar. 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	"	9	1	1	6	1	..	..	4	6	2
20	1888, Mar. 21	Sedalia	Walden	W. Stephens	8	6	5	1	1	..	..	7	6	2

* These ordinations do not include Local Preachers, or those on trial.

APPOINTMENTS.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

O. M. Martin, P. E. 1. St. Louis, Mo.

Bloomfield.....G. W. King. 3
Crystal City.....C. Brough. 1
De Soto.....D. W. Crow. 1
Farmington..W. M. Creamer. 1
Fredericktown.....
.....J. W. Harwood. 1
Ironton.....W. T. Neff. 2
Lutesville and C. Girardeau.
.....To be supplied.
Pacific and Calvey.....
.....J. R. Pimlott. 2
Perryville...To be supplied.
Webster.....To be supplied.
St. Louis—
Carondelet..B. F. Thomas. 1
Goode Ave...Frank Lenig. 2
St. Luke.....J. P. Marlatt. 2
Tower Grove...S. Warner. 3
Trinity.....Joseph Harris. 1
Union.....C. E. Felton. 3
Water Tower.....
.....J. L. Glasscock. 1

Benj. St. James Fry, Editor of *Central Christian Advocate*; T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain of the St. Louis Evangelical Alliance; Leander Hallock, City Missionary; all members of Union Quarterly Conference. C. E. Heaton, Professor in Carleton Institute and member of Farmington Quarterly Conference.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

W. K. Collins, P. E. 2. Clinton, Mo.

Appleton City.T. M. Durham. 1
Aullville.....Stanford Ing. 1
Clinton.....A. H. Heinlein. 2
Eldorado.....A. L. Walker. 1
Green Ridge...J. W. Finley. 1
Huntin gdale..To be supplied.
Knobnoster.....W. T. Piles. 3
Lincoln.....To be supplied.
Lowry City..*James Dawson.
Malta Bend.....W. F. Jones. 1
Marshall.....E. P. Anderson. 2
Montrose.....H. A. Toland. 2
Rockville....I. M. Galbraith. 2
Schell City and Nevada.....
.....W. P. Armstrong. 1
Sedalia—
Montgomery St.....
.....John Ashley. 1
Ohio St.....W. D. Gray. 1
Smithton and Pilot Grove...
.....W. Stephens. 2
Tipton.....Wm. Buck. 1
Warrensburg...W. T. Lewis. 1
Windsor.....J. B. Daniel. 2

J. B. Van Petten, Professor in Claverac College, N. Y.; member of Ohio street Quarterly Conference, Sedalia.

* Supplies.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

O. M. Stewart, P. E. 2. Kansas City, Mo.

Adrian.....*M. E. Everett.
Austin and Pl. Valley.....
.....A. P. Sallaway. 3
Belton.....Thomas Pingry. 1
Butler.....L. A. Markham. 1
Butler Ct.....W. F. Baker. 2
East Lynne.....J. S. Porter. 2
Holden.....Enoch Hunt. 2
Holden Ct....To be supplied.
Hume and Foster.....
.....C. S. Revelle. 1
Independence....O. B. Jones. 2
Oak Grove.....Frank Exly. 1
Pleasant Hill..J. H. Gillespie. 1
Kansas City—
Arlington.....F. B. Price. 2
Dundee Place.....
.....W. H. Reese. 2
Grand Ave...J. B. Young. 1
Howard Memorial.....
.....C. J. W. Jones. 2
Liberty St..W. S. Courtney. 1
Summit St.....Wm. Jones. 2
Mission.....D. F. Stiles. 1
Lee's Summit....*J. P. Dew. 2
Rich Hill.....*W. Lattin. 2

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

F. S. Beggs, P. E. 2. Springfield, Mo.

Ash Grove.*Laban Anderson.
Ava.....Jacob Miller. 1
Bolivar.....P. A. Crow. 2
Buffalo.....A. J. Graves. 1
Billings.....C. D. Fry. 1
Conway.....W. T. Pare. 1
Dadeville.....H. Threlfall. 1
Fairplay.....J. H. Hartrick. 1
Galena.....To be supplied.
Hartville.....W. M. Beatty. 1
Hermitage and Urbana.....
.....T. H. Knease. 1
Humansville..J. W. Cowden. 1
Lebanon.....Albert Jump. 1
Linn Creek....*Jos. Collins.
Marshfield..J. B. Brewington. 3
Osceola.....S. B. Campbell. 2
Ozark and Forsyth.....
.....*T. F. Phipps.
Republic.....W. F. Yeager. 2
Seymour and Mansfield.....
.....*W. McClanahan.
Springfield—
Benton Ave...B. F. Poole. 2
Grace Church.....
.....J. F. Corrington. 1
Mission....To be supplied.
Stockton...To be supplied.
Strafford..*A. C. McGinty.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

W. V. Hamel, P. E. 3. Carthage, Mo.

Avilla.....*C. W. Gaither.
Carterville and Webb City...
.....James Pine.
Carthage.....G. W. Hughey. 3
.....*E. M. Wardin.
Cassville.....*G. W. White.
Golden City.....M. Bell. 2
Greenfield...W. J. Simmons. 1
Jasper.....T. C. Sparkman. 1
Joplin.....H. M. Hackney. 1

* Supplies.

Lamar.....C. V. Criss. 2
Lamar Ct....To be supplied.
Marionville.....J. J. Martin. 3
Mt. Vernon...Hervey Smith. 1
Monett.....T. H. Hawkins. 1
Moundville...*J. C. Metsker.
Nashville...G. R. Anderson. 2
Oronogo...A. M. Hammond. 2
Pierce City.....R. T. Smith. 2
Pineville.....To be supplied.
Sarcoxie..Jasper Windbigler. 1
Seneca.....W. T. Wright. 3
Sheldon....*W. S. Claypool.

Moses Anderson left without appointment to attend one of our schools.

SALEM DISTRICT.

L. C. Sappenfield, P. E. 1. Rolla, Mo.

Cuba.....C. R. Wade. 1
Eminence.....*J. H. Hoff.
Gainesville.*E. H. Dunnaway.
High Point...H. A. Babbitt. 1
Houston.....*Wesley Nall.
Iberia.....F. M. Stickney. 3
Licking.....*W. F. Grundy.
Mountain Grove.....
.....E. F. S. Darby. 1
Mountain View....To be sup.
Richland and Dixon.....
.....To be supplied.
Rolla.....I. J. K. Lunbeck. 2
Salem.....G. A. Glens. 1
Sligo.....*S. Z. Winkler.
Sullivan.....To be supplied.
Thayer.....J. G. Mohrweis. 1
Vichey Springs..O. Lunbeck. 1
West Plains...B. F. January. 1
West Plains Ct.....
.....*E. McClintock.
Wet Glaize..J. A. Bradshaw. 1
Willow Springs...Isaac Borts. 1

* Supplies.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

1—Who are Received by Transfer, and from what Conference?

T. C. Sparkman, South Kansas; D. F. Stiles, Central Pennsylvania Conference; Joseph Harris, Southern Illinois Conference; Jasper Windbigler, South Kansas Conference; J. B. Young, Central Pennsylvania Conference; W. D. Gray, Ohio Conference.

2—Who are Admitted on Trial.

John R. Pimlott, John W. Harwood, Eli P. Anderson, Julius H. Hartrick, Moses Anderson, Isaac Borts, Jas. A. Bradshaw and Homer A. Babbitt.

3—Who Remain on Trial?

Geo. R. Anderson, W. M. Beatty, Price A. Crow, Fred B. Price, C. R. Wade, H. Smith, J. G. Mohrweis, Wm. F. Jones, S. B. Campbell, W. T. Pare, T. H. Hawkins, G. W. King and W. S. Courtney; the last two in the class of the 1st year.

4—Who are Discontinued?

None.

5—Who are Admitted into Full Connection?

Geo. A. Glens, Elijah F. S. Darby, Henry A. Toland, Armor M. Hammond, Wm. T. Wright, Wm. T. Piles.

6—Who are Re-admitted?

None.

7—Who are Received on Credentials from other Churches?

W. L. Dempsey, a deacon of the first year, from the M. E. church, South.

8—What Traveling Preachers have been elected Deacons?

Geo. A. Glens, E. F. S. Darby, A. M. Hammond, W. T. Wright, Henry A. Toland.

9—What Traveling Preachers have been ordained Deacons?

Geo. A. Glens, E. F. S. Darby, W. T. Wright, A. M. Hammond, Henry A. Toland.

10—What Local Preachers have been elected Deacons?

Homer A. Babbitt,

11—What Local Preachers have been ordained Deacons?

Homer A. Babbitt.

12—Who are the Traveling Deacons of the First Class?
Geo. A. Glens, Elijah F. S. Darby, Henry A. Toland, A. M. Hammond, W. T. Wright, W. T. Piles.

13—Who are the Traveling Deacons of the Second Class?
A. J. Graves, Darwin F. Stiles.

14—What Traveling Deacons have been elected Elders?
Robert T. Smith.

15—What Traveling Deacons have been ordained Elders?
Robert T. Smith.

16—What Local Deacons have been elected Elders?
None.

17—What Local Deacons have been ordained Elders?
None.

18—Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?
Richard H. Hanson, Samuel Jones, John N. Pierce.

19—Who are the Superannuated Preachers?
E. A. Porter, J. H. Vaughn, W. W. Powell, J. Welch, A. J. Gaither, R. M. Morgan, E. H. Baird, R. Moffat, A. Barber, T. S. Benefiel, F. Ballaine, Wm. Demotte, L. W. Munsell, L. R. Carpenter, J. K. Tuttle, M. B. Wood.

20—Was the Character of each Preacher examined?
This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

21—Have any died?
Charles E. Evans, David Kivett.

22—Have any been Transferred, and to what Conference?
Henry R. Miller to North Dakota Conference; J. N. Moore to N. W. Kansas Conference; David B. Johnson to Detroit Conference; C. W. Parsons to Newark Conference; Wm. L. Dempsey to North Dakota Conference; Job Ingram to N. W. Kansas Conference.

23—Have any withdrawn?
None.

24—Have any Located at their own request?
Newton E. Boyce.

25—Have any been Located?
None.

26—Have any been permitted to withdraw under Charges?
None.

27—Have any been expelled?
None.

28—Who have been selected to be the Triers of Appeals?
I. J. K. Lunbeck, C. J. W. Jones, W. P. Armstrong, J. F. Corrington, A. H. Heinlein, J. K. Tuttle, M. Bell.

29—What is the Statistical Report for the Conference Year?
See Statistical Tables.

30—What are the claims on the Conference Fund?

31—What has been received on these claims, and how has it been applied?

See Steward's report.

32—Where are the Preachers stationed?

See appointments.

33—Where shall the next Conference be held?.

Pierce City, Mo.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' DIRECTORY.

Who PLANTETH a vineyard and eateth not of the fruit thereof.—I Cor. ix.7.

CLAIMANT.	ADDRESS.	Am,t Rc'd.	By whom Rec'd.
Mrs. A. J. Clifford...	Kansas City, Mo...	$75	C. J. W. Jones.
" M. S. Colton ...	New Castle, Pa....	60	Wm. Stephens.
" Corrilla Little...	Cartersburg, Ind ..	60	I. J. K. Lunbeck.
" Eliza Garner....	Denison City Tex.	60	Wm. Stephens.
Miss Amanda Bewley	Clay Center, Kas..	60	B. St. Jas. Fry.
Mrs. M. A. Tally....	Jacksonville, Ark.	60	" "
" Permelia West	Lincoln Green, Ill.	75	J. F. Corrington
" L. S. McNutt...	Kansas City, Mo. .	75	W. H. Reese.
" G. V. Houts....	Warrensburg, Mo..	100	L. A. Markham.
" J. L. Walker...	Marionville, Mo...	100	J. J. Martin.
" Mary I. Acres..	Lawrence, Kas.....	90	Isaac Entwisle.
" S. H. Mortland.	Independence, Mo.	100	O. B. Jones.
E. A. Porter.....	Rich Hill, Mo.....	50	W. Lattin.
Wm. DeMotte	Humansville, Mo..	100	Himself.
R. Moffat.....	Washburn, Mo.	75	W. J. Simmons.
R. M. Morgan.....	West Plains, Mo..	100	L. C. Sappenfield.
A. J. Gaither..... .	Independence, Mo.	75	Himself.
Mrs. J. E. Morris....	Rolla, Mo.....	50	I. J. K. Lunbeck.
" Rachel McKee..	Pensacola, Florida.	40	Wm. Stephens.

MISCELLANEOUS APPOINTMENTS.

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION.

FIRST YEAR—L. C. Sappenfield, W. J. Simmons, I. M. Galbraith.
SECOND YEAR—Wm. Stephens, J. B. Young, I. J. K. Lunbeck.
THIRD YEAR—E. J. Hunt, Albert Jump, F. Exly.
FOURTH YEAR—B. F. January, C. V. Criss, F. Lenig.

FOR LOCAL DEACONS' AND ELDERS' ORDERS—W. M. Creamer, James Pine, Jno. Ashley.

FOR ADMISSION ON TRIAL—J. P. Marlatt, T. M. Durham, O. B. Jones.

BOARDS OF CHURCH LOCATION.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT—O. M. Martin, T. H. Hagerty, J. A. Field, S. N. Taylor and D. W. Crow.

SEDALIA DISTRICT—W. K. Collins, A. H. Heinlein, T. M. Durham, Emory R. Jones and Walter Putnam.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT—O. M. Stewart, W. Jones, W. H. Reese, J. B. Young, F. B. Price, T. J. Green, W. H. Craig, R. G. Hartwell and W. W. Kendall.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT—F. S. Beggs, B. F. Poole, J. F. Corrington, J. B. Brewington, A. Jump, J. G. Lingsweiler, John Hyde, Wm. Bray and W. P. Clay.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT—W. V. Hamel, G. W. Hughey, C. V. Criss, H. M. Hackney, R. H. Rose, H. C. Cowgill and L. M. Murphy.

SALEM DISTRICT—L. C. Sappenfield, G. A. Glens, B. F. January, I. J. K. Lunbeck, H. C. Sankey, J. C. Langston and A. S. Long.

TRIERS OF APPEAL.

I. J. K. Lunbeck, W. P. Armstrong, A. H. Heinlein, C. J. W. Jones, J. F. Corrington, J. K. Tuttle and M. Bell.

TO PREACH THE MISSIONARY SERMON.

W. P. Armstrong.

COMMITTEE SOF VISITATION.

GARRETT BIBLICAL INSTITUTE—T. H. Hagerty, W. H. Reese and J. J. Martin.

LEWIS COLLEGE—O. B. Jones, J. J. Martin, J. W. Tullis and F. A. Sampson.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE—H. M. Hackney, G. W. Hughey, F. S. Beggs.

CARLETON INSTITUTE—O. M. Martin, W. T. Neff and J. P. Marlatt.

CONFERENCE SOCIETIES AND BOARDS.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY—A. H. Heinlein, President; J. P. Marlatt, Secretary; Albert Jump, Treasurer.

EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY—Benj. St. James Fry, Treasurer.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION AND TRACT SOCIETY—J. K. Tuttle, President; J. F. Corrington, Secretary; J. H. Gillespie, Treasurer.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION—C. E. Felton, President, St. Louis; S. H. Pye, Vice-President, St. Louis; Benj. St. James Fry, Secretary, 1101 Olive St., St. Louis; Henry Schureman, Treasurer, St. Louis.

ADDITIONAL MEMBERS—W. H. Craig, Kansas City, J. A. Field, Seneca N. Taylor, T. H. Hagerty, St. Louis, J. F. Corrington, Springfield.

Apportionments of Benevolences to Districts for Ensuing Year.

The following is the distribution for the benevolent and other collections apportioned to the St. Louis Conference to be raised this year, as directed and made by the Presiding Elders.

JAMES F. CORRINGTON, Sec'y. P. E.

DISTRICTS.	Missions.....	Church Extension...	Conference Claimants...	S. S. Union.....	Tract Society....	Education.....	Freedmen's Aid	Episcopal Fund..	Permanent Fund
St. Louis.....	3200	673	336	100	10	673	1008	328	54
Springfield.....	600	127	63	19	19	127	190	60	85
Kansas City.....	3100	652	326	98	98	652	978	313	440
Carthage.....	900	190	95	29	29	190	285	90	128
Sedalia	14	294	147	44	44	264	441	142	199
Salem.....	300	64	33	10	1	64	99	30	44
Conference.....	9500	2000	1000	1000	300	2000	3000	958	1350

OUR HONORED DEAD.

"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Ent Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Y'rs in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry..	1832	June 23,'58	Cincinnati, O.....	43	Effective	26
Rob't Wilson.....	1860	.....	.....	..	.....	....
Benj. F. Wilson...	1850	June 24,'65	.....	51	.....	15
C. E. Carpenter...	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia.....	29	Superannuated.	8
Nor. H. Mitchell..	1856	S pt. 14,'71	Holden, Mo.....	38	Effective	15
James Lee.....	1851	Feb. 16,'72	Kansas City, Mo..	63	Supernumerary	20
George McKee....	1856	Apr. 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated.	16
Nathan Jewett....	1838	Sept. 13,'72	Bolivar, Mo.....	61	Effective	34
James A. Little...	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo.....	34	Effective	3
J. W. D. Ensey...	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo...	35	Superannuated.	15
Addison P. Colton	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa..	45	Superannuated.	9
John H. Luiz.....	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary	4
John C. Berry.....	1870	Apr. 19' '77	Des Moines, Ia...	44	Superannuated.	7
Geo. W. Durment	1857	June 21,'79	Paoli, Ind.....	41	Superannuated.	22
Wm. S. Hubbard..	1866	Aug. 21,'79	Urbana, Mo.....	43	Effective	12
Ell E. Condo.....	1866	Apr. 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo...	39	Effective	14
C H. Wooley.....	1874	Apr. 28, '80	Osceola, Mo	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres....	1872	Sept. 19,'80	Lincoln, Mo.....	54	Effective	8
John Garner.....	1854	Sept. 28,'80	Denison, Texas...	54	Supernumerary	23
R. A. Foster.....	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensb'g, Mo..	68	Superannuated.	33
Jasper B. Lee....	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo.	52	Effective	15
J. L. Walker.....	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective	26
J. E. Morris.....	1867	Apr. 30, '83	Zion, Mo.....	41	Supernumerary	16
Green V. Houts...	1874	Apr. 13, '84	Butler, Mo.....	47	Effective	10
Sam'l H. Mortland	1871	Mar 27, '85	Independ'ce, Mo.	49	Effective	29
Alonzo J. Clifford	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col...	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally....	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. ...	74	Superannuated.	58
Rich. R. Pierce...	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo..	54	Effective	20
Chas. E Evans...	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	32	Effective	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas....	28	Effective	6

MEMOIRS.

Margaret L. Selvedge, daughter of Rev. John Selvedge, of Wheatland, Mo., was born in July, 1852. In the home of her childhood she had the benefit of training by Christian parents, and was studiously and perseveringly instructed in the truths of our Holy Religion. To precept was added that godly example that imparts dignity to character.

Early in life she was distinguished by many amiable qualities that show out in life making her an acceptable and an agreeable acquaintance and friend.

In 1874 she consecrated herself entirely to God. The renewing power of the Holy Spirit was to her an abiding comfort—manifest in all her deportment. Her worth could only be appreciated by those who knew her intimately.

She was united in marriage with Rev. Henry Threlfall, of the St. Louis Conference, August 14, 1886, and as the wife of a Methodist pastor, endured the privations incident to such a life, in a manner that met the approbation of those around her. Her last sickness was of short duration, lasting only four days.

A part of the time she was unconscious, and though she expected to recover, when questioned with regard to her trust in Christ her Savior, her answers were clear and decided, "Yes, my trust is in Him."

Thus died, on December 12, 1887, one whose life and character was a worthy example to all.

Her seat is vacant to-day, but we can not doubt that her enfranchised spirit is hymning the songs of the redeemed in that home of the soul where there is no death, but where there is perpetual youth.

To our brother and the relatives of the deceased, we extend our most tender sympathies and condolence, invoking the benediction and grace of our Heavenly Father upon them.

Servant of God, well done,
  Thy glorious warfare is past,
The battle is fought, the victory won,
And thou art crowned at last.

REV. C. E. EVANS.

Rev. Charlie Elmore Evans, member of St. Louis Conference, son of Benjamin F. Evans, was born in West Chester, Butler county, Ohio, June 22, 1855. In 1857 he moved with his parents to Williamson county, Ill. While living at Frankfort, in the eleventh year of his age, he was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church. He attended school in Marion in 1869–70, and taught school in 1871. For four years he was a student of the Southern Illinois Normal University, graduating with honors in 1878. He superintended a Sunday school in the vicinity of Carbondale and labored with the Y. M. C. A. in various means of usefulness. In 1879 he was licensed to preach. After one term of teaching in Dixon, Tenn., he entered Garrett Biblical Institute, where he graduated in 1883. Immediately he entered the St. Louis Conference and was appointed to Greenfield Circuit. In 1884 he was sent to Moundville and in 1886 to Nashville, all in the Carthage district. In March, 1887, he was appointed to Hume and Foster, in Kansas City district. He entered upon his work promptly and with much hope and promise of success. Early in the Conference year his health became seriously effected, and yet he tenaciously continued his work. During the warm season he sought a change and relief at Conley Springs, not very distant from his field of labor. Here he apparently improved, but on July 29, from an unexpected hemorrhage of the lungs, he died in great peace. Two of his special friends, official members, were with him during the final battle, and beheld the joyous victory. His passion to save souls, in preaching Jesus, was strong in death. In his last moments he pleaded with a young man who happened to be present to become a Christian, and then waited intently until both consent and promise were fully given. His words were uttered with great difficulty and his sentences very short, the very last of which was: "I am happy." Bro. Evans was a man of good education, of fine spirit, of decided integrity, of great sincerity, intense devotions, careful in conversation, faultless in life and faithful in all things. His memory will be fondly cherished and his works do follow him.

O. M. Stewart.

REV. DAVID KIVETT.

The Rev. David Kivett was born in Westfield, Hamilton county, Ind., January 20, 1860. In the Church of the Friends or Quakers he had a birthright, and in that Church he was converted in his sixteenth year. In 1872 he joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in Danville, Ind., was licensed to preach in 1880, and in 1881 he was appointed junior preacher on the Antioch charge by

the P. E. At the close of the Conference year, in the spring of 1882 he made application and was received on trial into the North Indiana Conference held at Muncie, and was appointed to South Whitney, which charge he served two years. While on this work he married Miss Lucinda Duffy, May 15, 1883. He was received into full connection in 1884, ordained deacon and appointed to Silver Lake. During the following winter his health declined, pulmonary symptoms becoming manifest. At the Conference of 1885 he desired a transfer to a milder climate, which was given him by Bishop Walden to the St. Louis Conference, and he was stationed at Pleasant Hill. He was serving this charge for the third year with great acceptability when his lung difficulties, which our climate failed to relieve, became alarming, and he gave up his charge and fled to the Southern coast in the hope of relief and restoration. He rallied for a time and was full of a great hope of physical restoration. As hope grew, eagerness for work determined him to accept the charge of our Church in Austin, Texas, which had been offered him by the P. E. of the district. He was to have taken charge on March 1, but he was so eager to preach, that contrary to the advice of the P. E., he preached twice to delighted audiences on the last Sabbath of February. They were his last sermons. Complete prostration resulted on Monday evening, and at 1:20 A. M. on Wednesday he passed away, consciously and triumphantly. He died in the house of Rev. E. O. McIntire, the P. E., where he had the tenderest care. His wife and little son Foss, were by his side. Jesus, the Savior, whom he had preached was his Savior. He talked much of the work he had tried to do, and of the ones he had known and wrought for and loved. His strongest desire when he knew that death was near was to get back to Pleasant Hill, for he said to his wife, there were those there if he could only see and talk with again, that he thought he could persuade to come to Christ. May we not hope that those for whom he would have made a dying journey of half a thousand miles to save, will be won and saved by the Christ of Calvary.

When asked if he had any word to send to his brothers in the ministry, he said: "Yes, tell my brothers that the religion of Christ, which we preach, is all and even more than we anticipate. Tell them to believe it and preach it to all. Tell them that I am sorry to leave them and the work, but tell them to tell others that Jesus fully saves, in this, the last hour." C. J. W. JONES.

REPORTS.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

The Auditing Committee has examined the Presiding Elders' accounts of Missionary moneys and find the moneys applied as directed and vouchers therefor.

The appropriations to Conference claimants have been paid as directed and are correctly receipted.

The ex-Conference secretary's statement shows that all Conference expenses have been paid and vouchers therefor.

Respectfully,

W. D. Crow,
W. M. Creamer.

BIBLE CAUSE.

Your Committee reports total collections for the American Bible Society as follows:

Sedalia Dist.,	$ 0.00
Springfield Dist.	5.45
Carthage "	7.50
St. Louis "	69.61
Kansas City "	99.85
Conference Total	182.41

Increase over last year, $45.95.

29 charges reported collections; 86 charges took no collections.

Kansas City Dist. paid for this cause this year, more than all the other districts combined.

This society is in debt and we respectfully urge our pastors to present the needs and merits of this cause to their people during the coming conference year.

W. T. Lewis,
Chairman.

Thos. H. Knease,
Secretary.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

To the St. Louis Conference:

The Board of Church Extension of the St. Louis Conference held four meetings during the past Conference year: April 19, June 28, August 8 and February 6.

Recommendations were made as follows, April 19:

1. Arlington, Kansas City Dist. don. $500.
2. Howard Memorial " " 250.
3. Flat Rock, Springfield " " 300, Loan $200.

June 28:

1. Foster, Kansas City " " 150, Loan 100.
2. Cassville. Carthage " " 250,
3. Pleasant Val., St. Louis " " 100.
4. King's Chapel, " " " 250.

August 8:

1. Oak Grove, K. C. " " " 250.
2. Joplin, Carthage " " " 500, Loan 1,500.
3. Mont. St., Sedalia " " " ——, " 300.
4. Marionville, Carthage " " 250, " 250.

The Oak Grove was recommended in the place of Foster at the former meeting.

February 6.

1. Romance, Springfield Dist. don. $150, Loan $100.
2. Newburg, " " " 150, " 100.

Respectfully submitted,
Benj. St. James Fry,
Secretary.

Sedalia, Mo., March 22, 1888.

DISTRICT RECORDS.

Your committee on District Records have examined the books and find them correct.

Wm. Buck, Chairman.

Thos. Pingry, Secretary.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

The following distribution of the Missionary money appropriated to the St. Louis Conference was made:

St. Louis District.—Carondelet, $100; Water Tower, 90; St. Luke, 200; Tower Grove, 200; Bloomfield, 50; Farmington, 100; Crystal City, 100; Ironton, 75; Pacific and Calvey, 75; Web-

ster ct., 40; DeSoto, 150; Lutesville and Cape Girardeau, 40; Fredericktown, 40; Total, $1,260.

Sedalia District.—Montgomery St., $100; Green Ridge, 60; Windsor, 50; Appleton City, 90; Rockville, 60; Eldorado, 100; Marshall, 250. Total, $710.

Kansas City District.—Adrian, $50; Belton, 180; Butler ct., 80; East Lynne, 80; Holden ct, 100; Arlington, 150; City Missions, 250; Howard Memorial, 250; Rich Hill, 80. Total, $1250.

Springfield District.—To the District, $200; Ash Grove, 50; Ava, 40; Bolivar, 40; Billings, 50: Conway, 50; Fairplay, 40; Galena, 50; Hermitage, 50; Humansville, 40; Linn Creek, 50: Stockton, 70; Marshfield, 80; Ozark, 50; Republic, 50; Seymour, 50; Springfield Mission, 150. Total, $1,110.

Carthage District.—Joplin, $200; Carterville and Webb City, 100, Pierce City, 100; Marionville, 100; Seneca, 75; Pineville, 55; Nashville, 40; Carthage ct, 50; Sheldon, 35; Monett, 70; Lamar, 60; Jasper, 35. Total, $900.

Salem District.—To the District, $200; Cuba, 50; Gainesville, 50; Houston, 40; Iberia, 40; Mountain Grove, 50; Salem, 50; Sullivan, 50, West Plains, 100; West Plains ct., 40; Willow Spg's., 50; Thayer, 50. Total, $770. Total to the Conference, $6,000.

J. F. Corrjngton, Secretary.

I hereby concur in the above appropriations.

J. M. Walden.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

Your committee on Church Extension find there has been a decrease in the collections for the cause of $25, the total for the year being $2,460. The decrease is small, still much improvement is possible, as 17 charges have contributed nothing and others have slighted the cause. The blanks may be accounted for by the fact that 13 of them were only supplies. Some of the charges which have failed to give this collection a proper support, have been themselves recipients of aid from the Society, thus revealing neglect where gratitude should have created enthusiasm. We are satisfied that a reasonable effort and a fair presentation of the cause would much increase our collection, and hence, secure the much needed assistance for our new enterprises.

We would therefore recommend 1. That this cause be preented separately and conscientiously by each pastor, a sermon and service being devoted to the same in each of our congregations, as the discipline directs.

2. That the Presiding Elders *insist* that there be no blanks, giving especial attention to the charges which are filled by supplies.

M. Bell, Chairman,

J. P. Marlatt, Secretary.

EDUCATION.

The Committee on Education have given careful consideration to the various papers and publications referred to it, and beg leave to make the following report:

CARLETON INSTITUTE.

The reports from Carleton Institute indicate the continued prosperity and usefulness of this excellent school. The attendance is about one hundred. During the year additions have been made to the library, the labratory and the geological cabinet.

This is the oldest of our Conference institutions, the gift of its founder, Miss E. A. Carleton, is well located at Farmington, 83 miles south of St. Louis, and offers good educational facilities for Southeastern Missouri. Normal, academic and collegiate courses of study and a musical department are maintained. The healthfulness of the location and the absence of saloons in the county commend the school to the public patronage. This property is worth fully $25,000, and the only indebtedness is $3,300, which the Church should relieve at the earliest moment practicable. We heartily commend its welfare to our pastors and people.

We recommend that the vacancies in our Board of Trustees occasioned by the death of Hon. J. H. McLean, President of the Board, and W. L. Tolman, M. D., be filled by the election of Mrs. J. H. McLean and W. H. Craig, and that Robt. Tetley, C. E. Heaton and L. Hopkins be elected in place of J. A. Bradshaw, Hon. Jas. Baker and J. W. Smith.

We recommend that C. E. Heaton be appointed by the Bishop to the Professorship of Ancient languages in Carleton Institute.

We recommend the appointment of O. M. Martin, W. T. Neff and J. P. Marlatt as conference visitors.

LEWIS COLLEGE.

We have received two reports from this school—one from the Faculty and one from the Trustees. The Faculty report that the the school has a larger attendance than ever before, and that the students are of a higher average grade than they have been in the past. Class work has been prosecuted with zeal, and the students have made an unusual degree of improvement. The religious influence has been good. A large number of the young men are preparing for the ministry.

There has been added to the mathematical apparatus an unusually handsome and complete outfit for the surveying class. There is yet great need for contributions to the philosophical apparatus and the natural science cabinets.

The report of the Trustees shows the financial condition of the school to be good. With the exception of the current expense account all the debt is held by the corporation itself. The Trustee

ask us to raise $1,000 toward incidental expenses for the coming year, and that we take the collection for this purpose in September and October, 1888. Furthermore they ask our sanction and support in the erection of a much needed dormitory building.

In view of these things we submit the following:

Resolved, That it affords us pleasure to hear of the substantial prosperity of Lewis College, and that we will direct our young people who are seeking a collegiate education, to this school.

Resolved, That we will endeavor to raise $1,000 as requested by the Trustees, for the incidental expenses of the school; and that if the Trustees shall deem it wise to begin the erection of a dormitory building they shall have our sanction and support.

We submit the following named persons from whom to select Trustees:

W. H. Craig, Col. Peter Adams, Rev. O. M. Stewart, Rev. J. F. Corrington, Rev. W. K. Collins.

For Conference visitors we recommend Rev. O. B. Joues, Rev. J. J. Martin, J. W. Tullis and F. A. Sampson.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

As you are well aware, this school is one of our Methodist schools located at Marionville, in this Conference. The reported condition of this school is indeed gratifying. There will be graduated from this school in June eleven young men and young ladies, about the same number that graduated from the institution last year. The attendance this year shows a marked gain over that of last year. The anticipated attendance for the coming year will add largely to the number of students.

The aim of this college is not simply to make scholars, but cultured Christian men and women. This school curriculum is of a high grade. It proposes to prepare students for entrance into the higher colleges. This school is manned by an able corps of teachers. Rev. J. J. Martin is President, and under his judicious management the school has obtained an excellent status.

A fine revival has taken place in this school during this year, in which fourteen of the students were converted to God, while the influence of the meeting blessed all the town.

It is safe to say that the college occupies a more solid foothold than ever before. Through a misapprehension of the committee on education last year the College was reported out of debt. The contrary is the fact. There exists to-day on this College a debt of $935, which is secured by a trust deed on the property. This debt can and ought to be liquidated immediately. The Lay Electoral Conference in session by suitable action have committed themselves to act in concert with the preachers of the Conference for the removal of this debt. We earnestly recommend the erection of additional buildings for the Institute, which is emphatically the need of the hour. This will be partially met when the new Methodist church

and chapel, now in the process of erection, shall be built and completed.

The income for the year has been $1613.38, showing an increase over last year.

This institution is worthy the patronage of all our people.

Visitors for this year, H. M. Hackney, G. W. Hughey, F. S. Beggs.

We nominate the following named persons as trustees for the ensuing year: C. V. Criss, G. W. Hughey, Wm. Buck.

THEOLOGICAL SEMINARIES.

Your Committee has received communications from three of the Theological Schools of the Church: Garrett Biblical Institute, School of Theology of DePauw University and School of Theology of Boston University. Of these Garrett Biblical Institute is nearest to us and best known, and claims us in her patronizing territory.

Hundreds of Methodist preachers scattered through the whole country, but especially located in these western states, will thank God for the mental training and spiritual inspiration received here, and will rise up in the last day to bless the memory of Eliza Garrett, the sainted foundress.

The new Memorial Hall which was begun a year ago, and which is most admirably adapted to the wants of a Theological Seminary, has been completed at a cost of $40,000, and was dedicated last May.

Garrett Biblical Institute opens her doors freely to the young men of the church who feel called to the work of Gospel Ministry, and offers them in her regular and special courses splendid advantages for thorough training in the good work to which they are called.

By the munificence of the foundress and the liberality of other friends of the institution, abundant endowment has been secured so that students duly admitted are supplied with tuition and room rent free of expense, and yet self-help is insisted upon and students are expected to provide for all personal expenses of board, clothing, books, etc.

Garrett has upon her rolls now more students than ever before, and more than are in attendance upon any other of the Biblical schools of the Church.

Your Committee would most earnestly recommend that the young men within the bounds of the St. Louis Conference called of God to the Gospel Ministry, would, in so far as possible, avail themselves of the opportunity here offered for securing a Theological training, and thereby gain a broader outlook, and better preparation for the great work before them.

We recommend as visitors, Rev. T. H. Hagerty, Rev. W. H. Reese and and Rev. J. J. Martin.

The School of Theology of DePauw University is now closing the second year of its history. There is great promise for this the

youngest of the divinity schools of the Church. A "Junior" class numbering seventeen is reported, with a full enrollment of 47.

We commend to the consideration of the Conference the establishment of a high-grade interstate University for the States of Kansas and Missouri, suitably located.

We recommend that the Educational collections of the Carthage and Springfield districts be given to the Marionville Collegiate Institute. That the collections made in the other districts be divided between Lewis College and Carleton Institute, in the proportion of two-thirds to Lewis College and one-third to Carleton Institute.

BOSTON UNIVERSITY.

This institution stands at the head of our large family of Educational institutions. It is favorably known not only to the church but to the world. The University has enjoyed a year of great prosperity, having enrolled 710 students in its various departments. Its different colleges of Liberal Arts, Music, Agriculture, Theology, Law, Medicine and all Sciences are thoroughly equipped and liberally endowed.

We commend Boston University to the favorable consideration of our ministers and people.

BENJ. ST. JAS. FRY,
Chairman.

EPISCOPAL FUND.

We, your committee on Episcopal Fund, respectfully submit the following collections by districts:

St. Louis	$186.25
Sedalia	172.95
Kansas City	209.75
Springfield	110.10
Carthage	110.00
Total	$789.05

A deficit of $128 from apportionment and an increase of $124 over collection of last year.

We recommend that the amounts apportioned to the different Pastoral charges for the support of the Bishops be raised and forwarded quarterly, when practicable, to the assistant Treasurer of the Episcopal Fund.

B. F. JANUARY, Chairman.

A. L. WALKER, Secretary.

FREEDMEN'S AID CAUSE.

Your committee report as follows:

From the pointed information furnished us, we find that the Freedmen's Aid Society of our church is doing a grand and noble work. During the year 1887, there were aided or sustained by this society, 12 Chartered Institutions and 22 Normal Schools and Seminaries; the expenditures for the year being $183,689.

We approve the call for a quarter of a million of dollars for this society; the proportion for St. Louis Conference being $3000, and ask that the apportionment be made to the charges on this basis. We call attention to the plan of the Grand Army of Christian Educators, and believe it will prove an efficient aid to Pastors in raising their apportionment. Pastors who organize are requested to send names of Captains to Dr. Hartzell at Cincinnati who will furnish the necessary outfit. We heartily approve the project of establishing in this State an institution of learning for the colored people, and also the understanding that the amount raised by the three Conferences in Missouri go towards this school this coming year. We gratefully recognize the extension in the providence of God, of the work, of Christian education amongst both the white and colored population in the South and approve the proposal to memorialize the General Conference to so change the name of this society and enlarge the scope of its operations as to admit of its increased attention to the white population of the South.

JOHN ASHLEY, Chairman.

T. C. SPARKMAN, Secretary.

GENERAL CONFERENCE MEMORIALS.

WHEREAS, A most pressing and cordial invitation has been submitted to the St. Louis Annual Conference for the next General Conference succeeding to be held in St. Louis; therefore

Resolved, That we request through our delegates that the General Conference of 1892 be held in St. Louis.

Resolved, That on the subject of insurance of church property, we endorse the *paper which has already been presented and has received the approval of this Conference, and would respectfully petition through our delegates that the subject be urged to the favorable consideration and action of the ensuing General Conference.

Resolved, That this Conference hereby instructs its delegates to the General Conference to use every effort for the re-election of Rev. Benj. St. James Fry as editor of the Central Christian Advocate.

W. M. CREAMER,
C. W. PARSONS.

* See proceedings of Lay Electoral Conference.

OBSERVANCE OF THE SABBATH.

We believe the position of the Methodist Episcopal Church concerning the Sabbath is supported by the Holy Scriptures, and is essential to the morals of the American people.

We deprecate the operations of large corporations on the Sabbath, and we recommend that our Presiding Elders and Ministers arrange their work so as to render the use of Sunday trains unnecessary.

We also condemn the publication of Sunday newspapers, as a pernicious practice. In compliance with a request from the W. C. T. U. of the 13th district, we recommend that the ministers of the St. Louis Conference preach upon this subject the first Sunday in April, and, also, make it the subject of the first prayer meeting of the same month.

G. A. Glens, Secretary. T. M. Durham, Chairman.

PERIODICALS.

Conscious of the fact that Christian manhood is grown according to the general law of appropriation, and that it is substantially what it feeds upon, and that its development is in proportion to the breadth and completeness of its enviroment and correspondence, and conscious that the literature of the church is one of the prime factors in character building, we plead for a pure and exalted literature.

We therefore recommend "Our Youth" to the people of our church, hoping that the coming General Conference will make suitable provision for its continuance and improvement.

We especially recommend the "Methodist Review" to the preachers of this Conference as being well adapted to familiarize them with the most advanced religious thought of the world.

It is with pleasure we note the fact that the "*Central Christian Advocate*," under the editorial management of Rev. B. St. James Fry, D. D., has no superior among the official papers of the Church. That in its clear, definite and forceful editorials, its able and diversified correspondence, its carefully gleaned secular news it is unexcelled by any religious paper circulating within its territory, and we trust the present management may continue, and that the time will soon come when its weekly visit will cheer every Methodist home in this Conference.

W. Jones, Secretary, C. V. Criss, Chairman.

PERMANENT FUND.

To the St. Louis Annual Conference:

DEAR BRETHREN:—On the 22d inst., at the call of the President, the Trustees of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church held an annual meeting at the City of Sedalia. Ten days' notice, in writing, was given by the President to each of the Trustees of the time and place. There were present the following named Trustees, to wit: Seneca N. Taylor, Wm. H. Craig, W. H. Reed, A. H. Heinlein.

The Treasurer made a report of the condition of the fund, which was quite satisfactory, and he will of course, make a detailed report to your body.

At said meeting the question was discussed as to what is best to be done to increase the permanent fund. After full discussion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved: That, in our opinion, during this year, and every four years hereafter, special efforts should be made in every charge within the bounds of the St. Louis Annual Conference to greatly increase the Permanent Fund of this Board. To that end we recommend that the Conference now in session request that a suitable address be delivered in each charge, on some Sunday, setting forth the aim of the trust, followed by a voluntary subscription to it, which, when collected, be forwarded to the Treasurer.

The reasons urged for such special effort every four years is, because laymen and ministers, through lay representation, are brought more nearly together in considering the interest and polity of the Church than at other times; and certainly in no way can feelings of gratitude be better manifested than in making provisions for Conference Claimants.

The President was requested by the Board of Trustees to report to the Conference that there are laymen who have lots and tracts of land which they would cheerfully convey to this Board to be held and used as homes for superannuated preachers if the matter was presented in its proper light; and that it would greatly benefit such preachers; that the Conference will do well to take such action touching the matter as will, in their judgment, best bring this matter before those who would be likely to make such conveyance.

The present Board of Trustees consists of E. O. Stanard, S. N. Taylor and W. H. Craig, whose term of office will expire one year from next Annual Conference, and W. W. Kendall, R. B. Robinson and Rev. T. H. Hagerty, whose term will expire at the next session of this Conference, and of W. H. Reed, A. H. Heinlein and J. W. Kauffman, whose term expires now.

Under the Constitution of this Board it devolves upon this Conference to elect three Trustees to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of the terms of Bros. Reed, Heinlein and Kauffman.

Power to elect Trustees is vested solely in the Conference. The names of James A. Field, Rev. B. St. James Fry and A. H Heinlein are suggested, as those who if elected, would be in this as in all matters pertaining to the interests of the church, able and efficient officers.

Respectfully submitted,

SENECA N. TAYLOR,

Sedalia, Mar. 23, 1888. President.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

March 21, 1888.

Amount of Principal Fund on hand at last Conference..		$2,300.00
RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR.		
From interest on loans.....	$176.57	
" " cash in hands of Treas..	24.60	201.17
Accumulated interest on loan.....		27.55
		$2,528.72
Paid to St. Louis Annual Conference..		201.17
		$2,327.55

RESOURCES.

Loans, secured by first mortgage on real estate.....	$1,150.00	
Accumulated interest.....	27.55	
Cash on hand.....	750.00	
		$2,327.55

W. H. CRAIG, Treasurer.

STEWARDS.

We have received as follows:

From the St. Louis District.....	$295.10
" " Kansas City District.....	273.00
" " Sedalia District.....	131.65
" " Carthage District.....	134.00
" " Springfield District	79.70
Total from Districts	913.45
" " Book Concern	227.00
" " From Permanent Fund.....	201.17
" " Chartered Fund	30.00
" " Collection.....	33.38
Total.....	1,405.00

We have appropriated to nineteen Conference Claimants as follows: (See Conference Claimants Directory, page 25.)

In view of the pressing need of these brethren and sisters, your committee would respectfully urge that the collection for them be taken in full in every charge.

S. WARNER, Secretary,

SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND TRACTS.

Collections for S. S. Union	$271.43
" " Tracts	256.73

An increase over last year's contributions for S. S. U. of $54.71, and for Tracts of $51.73.

We recommend a larger circulation of "Our Youth" and the organization of Oxford Leagues on all our charges where such societies do not exist.

W. F. YEAGER, Chairman.

C. BROUGH, Secretary.

TEMPERANCE.

1. The position the Methodist Episcopal church has taken on the temperance question is that of total abstinence for the individual and legal prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors constitutional and statutory, both state and national. This we believe is the only true position for earnest temperance men, and it is the only final settlement of this question that we will accept. While this is the case, we are willing to use any means within our reach to cripple until we can destroy the destroyer. Hence we heartily endorse the local option law of our State as a means of reaching the end we are seeking, and we will do all in our power to secure its adoption and enforcement whenever the opportunity offers.

2. We rejoice in the great victories Prohibition has achieved in the decision of our State Supreme Court in sustaining the local option law, and also in the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States sustaining the Kansas prohibitory law and in settling the question of the right of the manufacturer of or the dealer in intoxicating liquors to claim damages for the depreciation of his property consequent upon prohibition.

3. We reiterate our endorsement of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union and pledge our sisters who are engaged in this grand and noble work our most earnest support.

4. We wish especially to call attention to the social purity or White Cross department of the W. T. C. U. and to give it our

unqualified endorsement and support, and we pledge ourselves to unite in the demand for the same standard of social purity for men that we do for women.

L. C. SAPPENFIELD, Chairman.

O. M. MARTIN, Secretary.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Your committee beg leave to report the following collections from the St. Louis Conference by districts:

St. Louis	$440.40
Sedalia	174.35
Kansas City	878.80
Springfield	18.85
Carthage	187.11
Total	1699.51
Collection at Conference	$ 17.50
Total	1,717.01
Increase	$119.85

RESOLVED, That we regard this society with increased affection and delight;

RESOLVED, That we, as ministers and members of the St. Louis Conference, will give to this society our heartiest encouragement and support in our respective charges.

ISAAC ENTWISLE, Chairman.

WM. T. NEFF, Secretary.

WOMAN'S HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Committee report by Districts as follows:

St. Louis District	$1,083.09
Sedalia "	3.00
Springfield "	7.20
Kansas City "	43.00
Carthage "	2.50
Total	1,138.79

This report shows an increase of $143.

The work of this society commends it to us. Its kindly beneficence to so many of our ministers and poor, its activity on all lines of missionary work in our own country should secure for it our highest regard and most liberal support.

May we urge our brethren to encourage the women of our church in this work of blessing homes and lives in our own home land.

B. F. THOMAS, Secretary.

NOTE TO OUR READERS.

This little book should be kept within reach, as frequent reference to it will prove of great value to both ministers and laymen. It is full of valuable information.

The special attention of all our readers is called to the branches of business represented in our advertising columns. In the judgment and observation of those best qualified to know, the firms and institutions inviting your patronage are thoroughly reliable. It will be greatly to your advantage as well as ours should you be pleased to deal liberally with our advertisers this year. In so doing, please say to them that you saw the notice of their business in this book.

We have sought diligently to give you a correct and convenient copy of the minutes. Any errors you may note, please call our attention to for future correction. The unusual amount of matter ordered printed has somewhat delayed the publication. Extra copies will be on hand and can be had on application.

PUBLISHING COMMITTEE.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.										
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Churches	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Ch's and Pars.	Paid on old and on Church prop	Present indebt. on Church prop	Ch'rt Exp., sexton, light, etc.	For Missions From Churches.	From Sunday Schools	Total	For Board of Church Exten.	For Sunday School Union	For Tract Society	For Freedmen's Aid Society	For Education	For American Bible Society	For Woman's F. Miss'y Society	For Woman's H. Miss'y Society
Bloomfield	39	240	2	7	6	24	8	$7000	1	$467	$2800	$150	....	$60	$10	....	$10	$8	....	$1	....	$1	....	....	....
Bonne Terre and Mineral Point	22	59	1	....	....	....	1	1200	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Crystal City and Zion	21	61	1	1	8	20	2	2500	1	600	200	62	$350	45	7	$3	10	3	$1	1	$1	1	....	$8	....
De Soto	4	31	1	1	....	....	1	800	....	.....	.....	....	....	30	....	5	5	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Farmington	7	93	1	2	2	7	1	3000	....	.....	.....	....	....	30	....	14	14	1	....	....	1	2	....	1	$1
Fredericktown	6	135	....	2	5	12	5	2600	....	.....	150	15	....	....	7	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Ironton	20	67	1	1	5	....	1	1200	1	700	100	....	300	39	8	2	10	4	2	2	....	....	$7	9	....
Lutesville and Cape Girardeau	22	217	2	1	12	21	5	2100	1	400	280	....	220	10	5	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Pacific and Calvey	129	70	....	2	48	15	2	4500	....	.....	466	....	500	92	5	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	....	1	....
Perryville	4	143	....	1	17	....	6	3350	1	500	.....	....	....	25	1	1	2	1	....	1	1	1	....	....	1
St. Louis—															....	....	....								
Carondelet	20	139	....	3	14	....	1	1000	....	.....	.....	....	....	133	20	3	23	5	1	1	2	1	9	5	....
Goode Ave	12	127	1	....	8	5	1	700	....	.....	5	1775	1587	160	23	22	45	11	3	3	8	3	1	6	1
St. Luke	26	55	....	3	7	3	1	5000	....	.....	152	500	....	73	24	12	36	8	2	2	6	7	1	7	1
Tower Grove	21	64	....	....	27	18	1	3500	....	.....	1065	....	....	106	15	6	21	7	1	1	3	11	....	....	....
Trinity	9	253	....	1	18	4	1	15000	....	.....	.....	1000	....	350	74	20	94	10	4	3	7	11	2	....	....
Union	49	762	5	5	10	20	1	83000	1	10000	250	2500	1018	7037	1426	1034	2460	350	25	25	100	161	47	379	1079
Water Tower	9	100	2	1	6	2	1	3000	....	.....	300	....	....	100	....	20	20	8	2	1	2	2	1	23	....
Sullivan	10	31	1	1	2	....	1	400	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	3	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Webster	18	90	2	....	....	....	2	1200	1	250	166	....	90	....	3	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Totals include fractions	448	2737	20	32	195	151	42	147350	7	12917	5934	6002	4065	8287	1631	1143	2774	419	43	43	132	203	69	440	1083

NAMES OF CHARGES	NAMES OF PASTORS.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. Pastors. Claims, including House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Receipts, including House Rent or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies	Pre. Eld Apportioned	Pre. Eld Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Con. Clts Apportioned	Con. Clts Paid	For Pastor, Presiding Eld. and Bish.	Other Collections	SUNDAY SCHOOLS. No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all ages
ST. LOUIS DISTRICT	J. F. CORRINGTON, P. E.	$1530	$1381	149											
Bloomfield	G. W. King	450	394	56	60	58	3	1	4	1	453	.....	6	38	250
Bonne Terre and Mineral Point	Supply	....	....	....	34	10	....	....	....	....	10	.....	....	....	....
Crystal City and Zion	D. W. Crow	350	300	50	50	43	2	2	2	2	345	1	2	20	100
De Soto	Supply	125	125	....	45	45	1	1	1	1	171	1	1	8	65
Farmington	C. E. Heaton	500	400	100	65	47	2	1	3	2	448	.....	....	....	....
Fredericktown	Supply	300	140	160	48	40	....	....	....	....	180	.....	3	16	150
Ironton	W. T. Neff	500	525	....	60	60	4	4	....	....	589	.....	1	10	50
Lutesville and Cape Girardeau	Supply	356	224	132	50	39	1	....	1	....	263	.....	4	24	250
Pacific and Calvey	Supply	600	580	20	30	30	2	1	1	4	611	1	....	....	....
Perryville	Supply	425	276	149	55	37	2	1	4	1	314	.....	2	10	60
ST. LOUIS—Carondelet	Cyrus Brough	800	800	....	60	52	2	3	4	4	855	.....	1	25	150
Goode Ave	F. Lenig	800	800	....	60	60	4	4	5	5	864	50	1	18	206
St. Luke	J. P. Marlatt	800	800	....	48	48	3	3	4	4	851	3	1	12	153
Tower Grove	Sam'l Warner	800	800	....	32	32	1	2	1	3	834	1	1	13	103
Trinity	O. M Martin	1200	1200	....	120	100	8	8	11	15	1308	.....	1	28	300
Union	C. E. Felton	4600	4600	....	550	550	150	150	250	250	5300	16795	1	45	525
Water Tower	B. F. Thomas	900	900	....	75	75	3	3	5	5	978	.....	1	25	196
Sullivan	C R. Wade	205	92	113	40	20	1	....	1	....	112	.....	1	6	33
Webster	O. Lunbeck	267	173	94	48	35	1	1	2	1	209	.....	1	6	20
Totals include fractions		15508	14510	1023	1530	1381	190	186	299	295	14696	16852	28	304	2611

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.							BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.									
	No. of Probationers	No. of full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children baptized	No. of Adults baptized	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Ch's and Pars.	Paid on old ind. on Ch. property	Present indebt. on Church prop.	Cur't, exp., sexton, light, etc.	For Mission: From Churches	For Mission: From Sunday Schools	For Mission: Total	For Board of Church Exten.	For Sunday School Union	For Tract Society	For Freedmen's Aid Society	For Education	For Woman's F. Miss'y Society	For Woman's H. M. Society
Appleton City	45	99	....	1	....	....	1	$3700	1	$700	$25	....	$700	$115	$55	....	$55	$16	$300	$300	$11	$3	....	....
Aullville	4	56	....	....	1	2	1	2500	....	.....	21	....	.....	40	10	$3	13	2	....	....	....	2	....	....
Clinton	20	249	1	1	....	22	1	3000	....	.....	....	....	.....	130	53	20	73	22	200	200	5	5	$43	....
Dresden	2	106	....	....	1	10	2	3000	....	.....	5	....	.....	30	21	...	21	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
High-Point	49	130	....	2	3	14	2	1600	....	.....	....	....	.....	10	30	....	30	10	200	200	6	2	....	....
Huntingdale	26	213	....	2	....	7	3½	3200	1	250	....	..	.....	50	....	25	25	10	100	100	1	6	....	....
Knob Noster	36	208	1	2	3	15	4	6050	1	700	79	$60	.....	31	38	...	38	12	300	300	....	12	....	....
Lincoln	4	102	2	1	8	2	2½	3100	1	600	50	....	45	95	40	....	40	5	100	100	1	3	....	....
Lowry City	21	113	2	....	8	5	2	2000	....	.....	.....	....	10	25	12	4	16	10	100	....	1	6	....	....
Lebeck	15	117	4	....	....	1	2¼	575	1	35	.....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....
Malta Bend	2	64	....	2	....	....	2	2500	1	800	313	....	.....	75	12	8	20	5	00	100	2	3	....	....
Marshall	8	43	....	2	....	5	2	5550	1	1000	35	....	.....	40	20	14	34	4	100	100	2	7	....	....
Montrose	50	140	....	2	....	....	3	3300	1	1000	225	....	118	25	15	5	20	5	200	100	4	2	....	....
Osceola	43	61	1	1	4	12	1	3500	....	.....	25	37	130	100	....	65	65	15	400	400	13	11	....	....
Rockville	48	129	1	1	3	24	2	2200	1	600	.....	25	447	40	11	1	12	....	100	100		4	....	....
Schell City and Eldorado Springs	2	110	....	1	3	5	2	3350	1	500	40	25	250	100	27	13	40	9	300	300	10	6	13	....
Sedalia—Montgomery Street	19	116	....	3	10	8	1	2000	1	1200	285	95	600	85	40	10	50	15	200	200	5	6	22	....
" Ohio Street	27	320	1	6	7	15	1	19500	2	6000	3820	1100	10650	377	100	50	150	40	1200	1200	78	27	38	$3
Smithton and Pilot Grove	30	221	..	2	....	....	2	4000	1	500	43	....	.....	139	80	30	110	20	600	600	15	20	38	....
Tipton	5	133	....	1	13	12	2¼	2200	1	600	.....	25	15	70	7	5	12	1	....	....	1	3	....	....
Warrensburg	14	240	1	2	....	9	1	5000	1	250	5	....	.....	175	60	30	90	11	400	200	6	4	19	....
Windsor	34	163	1	5	....	13	2	2000	1	800	50	....	.....	50	42	....	42	5	100	100	5	3	....	....
Totals include fractions	504	3136	15	37	64	171	42½	83825	17	17785	5066	1367	12965	1822	674	283	957	218	50	46	167	139	174	3

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SEDALIA DISTRICT	W. K. COLLINS, P. E.	$1395	$1323	$72									
Appleton City	H. M. Hackney	675	675	20	$81	$81	$13	$13	$6	$6	$ 769	$ 6	60
Aullville	Supply	200	180	....	22	20	2	1	2	2	201	....	36
Clinton	A. H. Heimlein	1000	1000	12	110	110	10	10	12	12	1120	8	24
Dresden	Supply	200	188	....	22	21	2	2	3	2	211	2	115
High Point	W. F. Jones	400	400	86	44	44	8	8	3	3	451	1	125
Huntingdale	Supply	411	325	15	44	35	7	6	5	4	365	....	40
Knob Noster	W. T. Pyles	575	560	74	62	61	8	7	6	6	628	13	125
Lincoln	J. Pine	500	426	30	54	47	6	4	6	6	477	3	212
Lowry City	H. Smith	390	360	....	43	39	6	6	4	1	405	1	72
Lebeck	Supply	.....	.....	20	21	21	....	....	....	....	21	....	34
Malta Bend	A. L. Walker	600	580	....	65	63	10	6	4	4	649	4	....
Marshall	E. P. Anderson	500	500	47	54	54	4	4	..	3	558	4	2 26 156
Montrose	H. A. Toland	500	453	....	54	48	5	7	5	3	508	25	2 13 75
Osceola	S. B. Campbell	720	720	90	78	78	12	12	8	8	810	4	2 16 150
Rockville	I. M. Galbraith	480	390	25	52	43	8	7	6	3	440	3	1 20 109
Schell City and Eldorado Springs	W. S. Courtney	590	565		58	58	9	10	5	5	633	2	2 20 130
SEDALIA—Montgomery Street	J. H. Gillespie	900	900	....	98	98	15	15	8	8	1013	4	2 17 111
" Ohio "	A. Jump	1300	1300	....	141	141	23	23	22	24	1463	27	1 16 1 0
Smithton and Pilot Grove	Wm. Stephens	600	600	...	65	65	10	10	12	12	675	....	1 30 193
Tipton	M. B. Wood	600	429	171	65	43	....	....	5	1	472	....	2 33 220
Warrensburg	L. A. Markham	950	950	....	103	103	15	15	12	12	1068	4	2 19 125
Windsor	J. B. Daniel	550	487	63	59	50	9	6	6	6	543	2	1 14 120
Totals include fractions		14036	13311	725	1395	1323	182	172	143	131	13480	115	2 23 160
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KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.										
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths.	Baptized children	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Churches	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Ch's and Pars.	Paid on old ind. on Church prop.	Present indebt. on Church prop.	Chur't Exp., sexton, light, etc.	For Missions: From Churches	For Missions: From Sunday Schools	For Missions: Total	For Board of Church Exten.	For Sunday School Union	For Tract Society	For Freedmen's Aid Society	For Education	For American Bible Society	For Woman's F. Miss'y Society	For Woman's H. Miss'y Society
Adrian	34	164	1	1	....	4	3	$4200	....	.....	$165	$120	$476	$75	$30	....	$30	$10	$2	$2	$5	$5	....	$7	....
Austin and Pleasant Valley	18	141	2	1	1	1	2	3500	1	$200	.....	85	....	85	102	....	102	12	3	3	5	13	....	....	....
Belton	7	158	1	....	....	7	2	2000	....	.....	.....	....	....	90	27	$6	33	10	1	....	2	4	....	9	....
Butler	6	102	....	2	1	2	1	4000	1	1500	.....	....	....	75	20	25	45	10	2	1	2	5	....	19	....
Butler Ct	24	139	1	2	5	20	1	1400	1	1000	18	....	....	48	24	....	24	7	1	1	3	2	$1	3	$3
East Lynne	16	137	....	2	....	8	2	4550	1	450	105	135	662	30	23	2	25	10	2	2	4	9	1	2	1
Holden	30	165	....	2	3	10	1	5000	1	2000	175	40	400	175	58	7	65	15	1	1	2	13	....	56	....
Holden Ct	....	150	....	....	....	....	3	4000	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Hume and Foster	19	136	....	....	....	11	3	4500	...	.....	500	180	430	25	30	....	30	20	2	1	5	16	1	13	....
Independence	40	103	....	2	1	14	2	6500	1	2000	226	....	....	125	53	16	69	20	5	5	10	40	3	16	2
KANSAS CITY—Arlington	30	130	1	2	3	4	1	1200	...	.....	8750	....	1150	170	....	30	30	10	2	2	6	3	2	....	....
Dundee Place	25	297	1	2	3	5	1	3900	1	8500	7075	....	3650	1685	176	211	387	40	6	6	20	50	18	87	35
Grand Ave	262	891	6	7	12	81	1	100000	....	.....	25000	...	....	4564	1896	953	2850	1134	52	50	281	708	69	569	....
Howard Memorial	14	35	....	1	3	....	1	10000	....	.....	9202	9202	....	150	9	10	20	10	3	3	4	17		4	....
Independence Ave	18	51	....	...	4	1	1	28000	....	.....	16000	....	....	....	3	....	3	11	....	....	1	....	....	....	....
Liberty	48	59	...	1	4	18	1	11000	1	3000	500	38	....	163	15	....	15	5	1	1	2	3	....	1	....
Summit St	3	119	1	1	5	4	1	13000	1	2000	50	....	700	300	25	45	70	10	4	2	6	6	1	45	2
Lees' Summit	74	72	....	....	14	44	1	1000	...	.....	60	....	....	....	40	....	40	8	2	1	5	3	....	....	....
Oak Grove	35	184	1	2	4	42	4	7500	....	.....	1950	65	200	60	55	....	55	17	4	4	7	7	1	2	....
Pleasant Hill	....	126	....	2	....	....	1	1800	1	600	25	...	....	25		25	25	17	....	....	...	....	....	25	....
Rich Hill	8	102	1	1	2	10	1	800	....	.....	6	20	200	40	24	6	30	10	2	2	5	10	2	16	....
Totals include fractions	711	3311	16	31	65	286	35¼	259750	10	21250	69807	9885	7868	7885	2611	1337	3948	1386	96	87	376	915	100	879	43

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. Pastors. Claims, including House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Receipts, including House Rent or Rental Value of Parsonages.	Deficiencies	Pre. Eld Apportioned	Pre. Eld Paid	Bishops Apportioned	Bishops Paid	Con. Clts Apportioned	Con. Clts Paid	For Pastor, Presiding Eld. and Bish.	Other Collections	SUNDAY SCHOOLS. No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all ages
KANSAS CITY DISTRICT	O. M. STEWART, P. E.	$1790	$1750	$40											
Adrian	Thos. Pingry	550	525	25	$58	$56	$8	$5	$7	$3	$586	.....	4	39	190
Austin and Pleasant Valley	A. P. Sallaway	680	574	106	66	56	8	8	12	20	638	.....	2	18	90
Belton	C. S. Revelle	600	426	174	58	42	8	6	8	3	474	$4	1	11	54
Butler	John Ashley	750	725	25	72	69	7	2	10	2	796	.....	1	14	140
Butler Ct	W. F Baker	525	426	99	51	42	8	5	6	7	473	48	1	8	60
East Lynne	J. S. Porter	550	550	...	53	53	8	8	6	6	611	.....	2	18	100
Holden	E. J. Hunt	800	800	....	78	78	14	14	10	10	892	.....	1	19	130
Holden Ct		.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....
Hume and Foster	Supply	500	400	100	49	49	5	4	3	4	453	3	3	30	170
Independence	O. B. Jones	930	930	....	90	90	12	12	10	10	1032	5	1	11	70
KANSAS CITY—Arlington	F. B. Price	700	700	....	68	68	5	5	4	6	773	4	1	22	200
Dundee Place	W. H. Reese	†2750	2750	....	292	292	40	40	20	20	3082	58	2	48	460
Grand Ave	C. W. Parsons	4000	4000	....	390	390	56	56	132	132	4446	1000	1	60	1000
Howard Memorial	C. J. W. Jones	600	600	....	58	58	4	4	4	4	667	1	1	21	125
Independence Ave	Supply	†1040	1040	....	41	41	....	....	....	2	1081	.....	1	12	260
Liberty St	W. T. Lewis	1050	1050	..	88	88	2	2	....	3	1140	760	1	26	172
Summit St	Wm. Jones	1560	1560	....	152	152	20	20	13	14	1732	.....	1	29	275
Lee's Summit	Supply	500	500	....	49	49	8	8	8	8	557	.....	1	16	125
Oak Grove	S. Ing	500	500	....	49	49	7	7	8	8	556	.....	4	30	185
Pleasant Hill	David Kivett	525	525	....	68	68	9	...	7	....	503	7	1	12	132
Rich Hill	Supply	600	600	....	60	60	10	3	10	10	663	5	2	16	115
Totals include fractions		21500	20931	569	1790	1750	239	209	282	274	21140	1895	32	46	3993

† Part of the year.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								BENEVOLENCE COLLECTIONS.										
	No. of Probationers	No. of full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children baptized	No. of Adults baptized	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Ch's and Pars.	Paid on old ind. on Ch. property	Present indebt. on Church prop.	Ch's exp., sexton, light, etc.	For Mission: From Churches	For Mission: From Sunday Schools	For Mission: Total	For Board of Church Extension	For Sunday School Union	For Tract Society	For Freedmen's Aid Society	For Education	For American Bible Society	For Woman's F. Miss. Society	For Woman's H. M. Society
Bolivar	45	98	2	3	6	....	1	$3000	....	.....	$40	157	$590	$90	$20	$12	$32	$8	$3	$3	$5	$2	....	....	....
Buffalo and Urbana	58	37.	6	3	6	9	2	2000	1	$800	.....	....	....	25	21	....	21	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Conway and Strafford	32	245	3	5	2	8	4	3000	1	500	10	81	275	15	20	5	25	10	1	1	4	1	....	$2	$1
Cuba	39	147	....	....	2	12	2	2800	1	60	200	....	315	78	7	3	10	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Dadeville and Ash Grove	28	246	1	2	4	1	3	2000	1	400	46	15	103	15	13	....	13	5	1	1	5	1	....	....	....
Dixon	15	68	....	2	....	....	2	2000	....	.....	100	17	627	10	7	5	12	2	1	1	1	4	....	....	....
Eminence	13	93	....	1	8	4	....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	10	....	10	3	2	2	2	5	....	....	....
Fair Play	7	210	2	6	....	1	3	2800	1	450	600	....	....	3	11	....	11	8	2	2	1	2	$2	1	1
Gainesville	15	120	2	1	7	2	....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	5	....	5	3	1	....	....	....	....	....	....
Hartville	25	116	1	4	....	1	1	1500	1	400	.....	18	233	....	1	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Hermitage	8	104	1	2	1	3	....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	10	....	10	2	1	1	1	1	....	....	....
Houston	20	95	3	1	....	2	1	1500	....	.....	500	....	....	....	10	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Humansville	40	169	3	....	1	13	3	1000	1	300	200	....	....	....	8	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Iberia	2	81	1	1	....	8	1	600	1	150	.....	....	....	5	10	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lebanon	58	193	2	2	3	3	1	5000	1	1500	.....	....	300	100	63	....	63	15	5	5	1	11	....	....	....
Licking	....	96	....	2	....	....	1	1000	1	350	24	....	....	12	4	....	4	2	....	....	....	....	1	....	....
Marshfield	5	93	....	1	5	4	1	3000	....	.....	150	....	....	10	28	4	32	5	2	2	3	8	....	1	2
Mountain Grove	57	155	3	2	14	20	1	2700	....	.....	.....	....	250	100	5	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
North Springfield	5	230	....	1	10	5	1	6000	....	.....	100	294	50	125	45	20	65	7	3	3	3	6	....	1	1
Ozark and Forsyth	1	36	....	....	....	1	1	200	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Richland	14	148	2	....	....	....	2	1050	1	600	100	....	....	47	29	3	32	10	2	1	5	10	....	5	....
Republic	12	186	2	1	4	9	2	1800	1	400	1040	....	300	....	10	5	15	10	1	1	1	2	1	....	....
Rolla	8	143	1	1	....	....	1	6500	1	1000	60	....	....	80	38	25	63	37	3	3	11	6	....	5	....
Salem	9	154	....	4	1	14	1	1500	1	800	60	....	....	40	22	8	30	10	2	2	3	2	1	3	....
Seymor and Ava	....	26	....	....	....	....	1	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Sligo	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Springfield	43	318	1	7	9	31	1	15000	....	.....	750	....	....	142	69	50	120	39	5	5	15	8	....	....	1
Vichy Springs	34	137	..	1	2	26	2	200	....	.....	.....	....	10	....	8	....	8	2	....	....	1	6	....	....	....
West Plains	8	110	1	1	9	1	1	4500	1	1000	125	156	862	125	26	9	35	6	3	3	5	2	....	....	....
Willow Springs	12	58	2	....	....	1	1	300	1	25	84	....	....	15	5	....	5	2	1	1	2	1	....	....	....
Totals include fractions	613	4243	39	54	100	241	42½	72750	16	9000	4189	741	4455	1127	5 6	150	656	189	40	38	80	83	5	19	7

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. Pastors: Claims, including House Rent, or Rental Value or Parsonages	Pastors: Receipts, including House Rent or Rental Value of Parsonages	Pastors: Deficiencies	Pre. Eld: Apportioned	Pre. Eld: Paid	Bishops: Apportioned	Bishops: Paid	Con. Cts: Apportioned	Con. Cts: Paid	For Pastor, Presiding Elder, and Bishops	Other Collections	SUNDAY SCHOOLS. No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all ages
SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT	F. S. BEGGS, P. E.	$1490	$1290	$200											
Bolivar	P. A. Crow	530	530	....	$70	$70	$ 6	$ 6	$4	$ 4	$ 606	$	1	12	100
Buffalo and Urbana	Supplied	510	400	110	61	4	8	2	4	1	450	....	2	12	120
Conway and Strafford	H. Threlfall	400	280	120	48	34	4	3	3	3	317	....	2	14	70
Cuba	G. A. Glens	4 0	335	65	48	41	6	2	4	3	378	....	3	28	160
Dadeville and Ash Grove	. F. S. Darby	400	346	54	48	42	5	2	4	1	390	....	1	75	68
Dixon	J. H. Bu k	475	268	207	54	29	7	3	6	2	300	2	1	6	25
Eminence	W. M. Be tty	300	187	113	36	33	2	2	2	2	222	2	4	38	168
Fair Play	J. W. Cowden	320	210	110	48	28	3	3	1	1	241	....	....	....	....
Gainesville	Supply	200	125	75	24	12	....	....	..	....	137	..	....	....	....
Hartville	Supply	130	72	58	12	...	....	.	....	....	72	....	....	...	...
Hermitage	W. T. Pa e	260	13	128	31	2	2	1	2	2	157	....	....	....	....
Houston	Supply	160	57	103	25	25	....	....	.	....	82	....	1	5	20
Humansville	Supply	75	75	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	75	....	....	....	....
Iberia	F. M. Stickney	300	105	195	30	17	2	...	2	....	123	....	....	....	....
Lebanon	Supply	775	775	....	93	93	14	12	9	9	880	5	1	15	160
Locking	Supply	400	244	156	40	38	4	*1	3	..	283	....	1	3	24
Marshfield	J. B. Brewington	425	425	...	60	60	6	6	4	3	491	100	1	10	65
Mountain Grove	Jacob M ller	400	300	100	48	37	2	....	.	1	337	....	1	12	95
North Springfield	G. F. Poole	800	8 0	...	96	96	10	10	8	7	906	53	1	18	175
Ozark and Forsyth	Supply	103	35	68	....	....	....	....	....	...	35	....	..	....	....
Richland	B. F. January	5 0	479	71	66	38	8	5	6	5	52	12	3	25	165
Republic	W. F. Yeager	430	302	128	52	50	2	2	2	2	354	5	1	6	60
Rolla	I. J. K. Lu beck	646	560	86	72	72	12	12	8	8	644	5	1	11	105
Salem	W. M. Ce amer	500	450	50	6	55	8	8	7	1	510	..	1	8	40
Seymour and Ava	Supplied	50	50	....	40	22	....	....	....	....	72	....	....	....	....
Sligo	Supplied	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....
Springfield	W. P. Arm trong	17 3	1703	....	180	180	23	23	16	16	1906	....	1	30	306
Vichy Springs	A. J. Gr ves	330	315	15	39	40	6	3	4	3	358	..	2	20	135
West Plains	L. C. Sap enfield	650	650	....	78	78	5	5	4	4	7 3	11	1	12	125
Willow Springs	Supply	51	51	....	32	29	1	1	....	....	80	...	1	7	53
Totals include fractions		13763	11551	2312	149	1290	155	110	105	79	11661	198	31	367	2239

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.										
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Churches	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Ch's and Pars	Paid on old ind. on Church prop.	Present indebt. on Church prop	Fur'ture, Exp., sex-ton, light, etc.	For Missions From Churches	From Sunday Schools	Total	For Board of Church Exten.	For Sunday School Union	For Tract Society	For Freedmen's Aid Society	For Education	For American Bible Society	For Woman's F. Miss'y Society	For Woman's H. Miss'y Society
Avilla	4	90	....	...	....	4	2	$2400	1	$200	$ 28	$71	$6 0	$ 8	$ 10	....	$10	$10	$ 1	$ 1	$ 2	$ 1	....	$ 21	....
Billings	....	156	4	1	....	13	2	1100	....	.....	10	194	....	20	2	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	11	....
Carterville and Webb City	28	174	2	5	3	3	1	2000	....	.....	....	1082	1200	75	12	$11	25	2	....	2	2	2	$ 2	....	....
Carthage	156	412	5	3	6	56	1	10000	1	500	250	...	...	350	140	19	160	45	17	15	24	45	....	65	....
Carthage Ct.	5	82	....	....	1	4	1	1500	1	400	50	....	760	25	20	...	20	20	1	1	1	2	....	2	....
Cassville	15	182	9	2	1	2	1	2500	1	400	1070	60	240	40	35	....	35	10	2	2	6	3	1	1	1
Galena	20	107	1	1	....	1	....	.....	..	.....	.....	....	....	....	10	....	10	3	1	1	1	....	....	....	....
Golden City	18	170	4	3	1	4	2	2000	1	900	100	....	266	60	24	5	29	26	2	2	4	....	....	12	....
Greenfield	4	150	....	2	1	12	2	3800	1	600	.....	....	....	50	30	....	30	5	1	1	....	1	....	....	....
Jasper and Mt Moriah	25	75	....	1	4	14	2	3600	1	45	10	190	....	50	5	....	5	2	....	....	1	1	....	....	....
Joplin	9	116	1	4	4	10	1	16000	...	.....	.....	3100	150	162	26	4	30	8	1	1	5	7	....	9	....
Lamar	15	133	1	2	...	5	1	4500	1	200	65	25	....	100	50	5	55	56	2	3	1	8	....	1	....
Marionville and Aurora	27	89	4	2	12	18	1	1600	1	800	1165	91	1000	85	32	13	45	9	3	3	6	2	2	26	....
Moundville	12	126	3	2	9	14	3	4000	1	500	.....	46	135	45	30	....	30	8	2	2	5	10	...	....	....
Mt. Vernon	16	155	4	3	...	6	3	2600	...	400	17	265	....	15	16	....	16	1	1	....	....	1	....	35	....
Nashville	5	112	2	....	....	....	1	1700	....	.....	.....	....	310	25	18	....	18	7	....	....	2	2	....	....	....
Oronogo	15	81	1	1	....	....	2	3000	1	300	41	300	450	....	40	....	40	20	2	2	5	2	....	....	....
Pierce City	24	105	2	1	:	8	1	4500	....	.....	55	87	....	90	31	3	35	6	2	2	6	3	1	1	1
Sarcoxie	40	184	3	5	....	6	4	45 0	1	500	130	....	....	50	43	15	5	2	2	3	7	6	....	2	....
Seneca and Neosho	18	126	2	2	7	12	2	1400	1	400	125	4	125	18	10	....	10	...	..	....	4	2	....	....	....
Sheldon	13	105	2	1	....	2	1	1200	1	.....	.....	30	70	40	6	....	6	2	....	....	1	....	1	....	....
Stockton	....	15	....	....	....	....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....
Totals include fractions	466	2945	50	41	58	2 4 35¾		68000	14	8370	3766	5545	6136	1376	582	76	658	248	41	41	173	106	7	187	2

Lone Dove and Erie made no report.

NAMES OF CHARGES	AMES OF PASTORS.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. Pastors. Salaries, including House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Receipts, including House Rent or Rent (Value of Parsonages	Deficiencies	Pre. Eld Apportioned	Pre. Eld Paid	Bish Apportioned	Bish Paid	Ps Con. Clts Apportioned	Ps Con. Clts Paid	For Pastor, Presiding Eld. and Bish.	Other Collections	SUNDAY SCHOOLS. No. of Schools	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars of all ages
CARTHAGE DISTRICT	W. V. HAMEL, P. E.	$1513	$1253	$260											
Airilla	C. D. Fry	440	317	123	$70	$50	$5	$3	$3	$3	$370	$ 4	1	8	35
Billings	Supplied	245	130	115	50	17	5	....	3	3	147	.....	1	10	85
Carterville and Webb City	T. H. Hawkins	620	572	48	68	68	7	7	4	4	647	.....	1	20	175
Carthage	G. W. Hughey	1440	1440	..	167	167	24	25	21	41	1632	.....	1	52	500
Carthage Ct.	I. Entwisle	350	310	40	50	35	4	3	3	3	348	.....	1	10	40
Cassville	W. J. Simmons	560	527	33	62	59	7	7	4	4	592	19	1	9	42
Galena	Supply	315	168	147	50	8	4	1	3	3	177	4	....	....	....
Golden City	M. Bell	700	555	145	77	60	11	5	5	5	620	2	2	22	141
Greenfield	Wm. Buck	510	500	10	56	54	6	4	5	4	578	20	2	25	160
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	Supply	† 250	206	44	50	29	8	1	4	....	236	.....	1	8	60
Joplin	T. M. Durham	800	760	40	88	80	6	4	4	4	844	.....	1	20	200
Lamar	C. V. Criss	770	770	...	79	79	8	8	5	16	857	53	1	14	153
Lone Dove and Erie	J. G. Mohrweis	100	42	58	50	9	....	....	....	....	51	.....	....	....	....
Marionville and Aurora	J. J. Martin	700	700	....	77	77	9	9	4	4	786	153	1	21	200
Moundville	Supply	560	506	54	62	55	6	6	4	4	567	4	3	27	170
Mt. Vernon	T. H. Knease	450	232	218	50	36	5	2	4	3	270	1	2	10	62
Nashville	G. R. Anderson	435	273	162	50	43	5	....	4	2	316	2	2	17	115
Oronogo	A. M. Hammond	470	470	....	51	51	5	5	3	4	526	.....	....	....	....
Pierce City	R. T. Smith	720	720	....	79	79	7	7	4	4	806	150	1	16	100
Sarcoxie	F. Exly	700	590	110	77	65	11	11	5	15	666	4	3	32	148
Seneca and Neosho	W. T. Wright	437	450	....	50	50	6	....	3	2	500	.....	2	14	80
Sheldon	J. W. Finley	400	325	75	50	32	5	2	3	6	379	4	....	....	....
Stockton	Supply	200	200	....	50	50	....	....	....	....	250	.....	....	....	....
Totals include fractions		13685	12016	1682	1513	1253	154	110	98	134	1215	420	27	337	2466

† For six months.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

DISTRICTS.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		CHURCH PROPERTY.								BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.										
	No. of Probationers	No. of full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children baptized	No. of Adults baptized	No. of Churches	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Ch's and Pars.	Paid on old ind. on Ch. property.	Present indebt. on Church prop.	Cur't exp., sexton, light, etc.	For Mission: From Churches	For Mission: From Sunday Schools	For Mission: Total	For Board of Church Exten.	For Sunday School Union.	For Tract Society	For Freedmen's Aid Society	For Education	For American Bible Society	For Woman's F. Miss'y Society.	For Woman's H. M. Society
St. Louis	448	2737	20	32	195	151	42	147350	7	12917	5934	6002	4065	8287	1631	1143	2774	419	43	43	132	203	69	$410	1083
Sedalia	504	3136	15	37	64	171	42	83825	17	17785	5066	1367	12965	1822	674	283	957	218	50	46	167	139	....	174	3
Kansas City	711	3311	16	31	65	286	35	259750	10	21250	69807	9885	7868	7885	2611	1537	3948	1386	96	87	376	91	100	879	43
Springfield	613	4243	39	54	100	241	42	72750	16	9000	4189	741	4455	1127	506	150	656	189	40	38	80	83	5	19	7
Carthage	466	2945	50	41	58	204	35	68000	14	8350	3266	554	6139	1308	582	76	658	248	41	41	173	106	7	187	2
Collections and fractions	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7	....	7	6	....	1	1	1	1	17	....
Total	2742	16372	140	195	482	1053	199	631675	64	69302	88280	23540	35489	20429	6011	2989	9000	2466	269	256	928	1447	182	1716	1138
Last year	2783	16204	138	185	383	1248	194	580805	60	5823	35367	16791	34847	17500	534	1849	7190	2485	216	204	1437	807	142	1493	440
Increase	....	168	2	10	99	....	....	50870	4	11072	52913	6749	642	2929	670	1140	1810	....	53	52	...	640	40	223	698
Decrease	41	....	....	....	....	195	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	19	....	....	509	....	....	....	..

Rev. T. H. Hagerty and wife contributed (as a special donation for a frontier church) $250 of the amount credited to Union Church for Church Extension.

Mrs. T. H. Hagerty reports $55 from other sources, not reported by churches, for Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, to the credit of St. Louis District, and not included in the above figures.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	NAMES OF PRESIDING ELDERS.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT. Pastors. Claims, including House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Pastors. Receipts, including House Rent, or Rental Value of Parsonages	Pastors. Deficiencies	Pres. Elds. Apportioned	Pres. Elds. Paid	Bishops. Apportioned	Bishops. Paid	Conf. Cl'mts Apportioned	Conf. Cl'mts Paid	Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops	Other collections	SUNDAY SCHOOLS. No. of Schools	Officers and Teachers	Scholars of all ages
St. Louis	J. F. Corrington	$15508	$14510	$1023	$1530	$1381	$190	$186	$299	$295	$14696	$16852	28	304	2611
Sedalia	W. K. Collins	14036	13311	725	1395	1323	182	172	143	131	13483	115	35	404	2618
Kansas City	O. M. Stewart	21500	20931	569	1790	1750	239	209	282	274	21140	1895	32	460	3993
Springfield	F. S. Beggs	13763	11551	2312	1490	1290	155	110	105	79	11661	198	31	367	2239
Carthage	W. V. Hagel	13685	12016	1682	1513	1253	154	110	98	134	12126	420	27	335	2466
	Total	78492	72319	6311	7718	6997	920	787	927	913	73106	19430	153	1870	13927
	Last year	75527	65713	9814	7213	6073	1013	694	965	1185	66404	9910	156	1769	13770
	Increase	2965	6606	.....	505	924	.....	93	....	.	6702	9520	....	101	157
	Decrease	.....	.....	3503	.....	.....	93	....	38	272	....	.....	3	....	.....

LOCAL PREACHERS AND POSTOFFICES.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

L, denotes Licentiate. | D, Deacon. | E, Elder.

Official Relation.	NAME.	POST OFFICE.
L	Brown, G. F.	4275 Garfield Ave., St. Louis
E	Borland, J.	Mt. Vernon, Ill.
E	Bond, B. N	4151 Olive St., Louis
E	Denman, J H.	Marquand, Madison Co
D	Doan, F. M	3912 N. 11th St., St. Louis
L	Eaker, C. J	Lutesville, Bollinger Co
D	Goodman, R. J.	Piketon, Stoddard Co
L	Hopkins, W. W.	Courtois, Washington Co
E	Koenig, G	2006 Grand Ave., St. Louis
D	Loomis, A. E.	St. Louis
E	Moore, D	2328 Warren St., St. Louis
L	Morris, T.	Graniteville, Iron Co
L	McMullen, T	De Soto, Jefferson Co
L	Poe, J. H	Bloomfield, Stoddard Co
E	Rucker, A.	Farmington, St. Francois Co
E	Speek, F	Dry Branch, Franklin Co
L	Shedron, J	Festus, Jefferson Co
E	Stover, E.	2945 Thomas St., St. Louis
L	Walker, D. L.	De Soto, Jefferson Co
L	Yount, J	Palmer, Washington Co

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

L	Anderson, L.	Ash Grove, Greene Co
L	Cook, Elijah	Dunksburg, Pettis Co.
L	Chapman, T. C	Warsaw, Benton Co
L	McNeil, D. C.	Osceola, St. Clair Co
E	McCaskill, A	Warrensburg, Johnson Co
L	Richardson. D	Rockville, Bates Co
L	Shepherd, B. L	Sedalia, Pettis Co
D	Stratton, S. C	Lincoln, Benton Co
L	Taylor, C. L.	Lowry City, St. Clair Co
L	Tullock, A	Iconium, " "
L	Tyson, J	Clinton, Henry Co

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

D	Dewey, V. M	Kansas City, Jackson Co
L	DeWitt, J	Kansas City, Jackson Co
L	Everett, M. L	Adrian. Bates Co
L	Green, M. D	Kansas City, Jackson Co
E	Huston, J. W	Austin, Cass Co
D	Lucas, J. O	Butler, Bates Co
L	Millington, S. C	Kansas City, Jackson Co
L	Pearson, P	Shobetown, Bates Co
L	Stolbert, J	Rosedale, Wyandotte Co., Kas.
E	Vanzandt, L. D	Austin, Cass Co
L	Weaver, H. C	Kansas City, Jackson Co
L	Welch, J. G	Kansas City, Jackson Co
L	Wilson, A. M	Kansas City, Jackson Co
D	Winner, J. A	Odessa, Lafayette Co

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

L	Affleck, R. G	Bolivar, Polk Co
E	Allen, M	Hartville, Wright Co
L	Beach, J. C	Romance, Ozark Co
D	Brown, N	Elk Creek, Texas Co
E	Collins, J. B	Willow Springs, Howell Co
L	Collins, J	Linn Creek, Camden Co
D	Darby, J	Springfield, Greene Co
L	Davis, J. J	Lebanon, Laclede Co
L	Dean, S. V	Wheatland, Hickory Co
L	Dunnaway, E. H	Gainesville, Ozark Co
L	Green, P	Willow Springs, Howell Co
D	Hulse, W. A	Urbana, Dallas Co
L	Hoff, J. H	Eminence, Shannon Co
D	Lawson, A. A	Brookline, Greene Co
L	Lawson, H. W	Brookline, Greene Co
L	Merchant, Jno. P	Rolla, Phelps Co
E	Millikan, B. M	Quincy, Hickory Co
L	McIntosh, J. A	Bear Creek, Cedar Co
L	McClanahan, Wm	Conway, Laclede Co
L	McGinty, A. C	Stafford, Greene Co
E	McClintock, E	West Plains, Howell Co
D	McMurtry, O. D	Dora, Ozark Co
L	Nall, W	Houston, Texas Co
D	Paterson, W	Hazel Green, Laclede Co
L	Pennel, P. B	Brighton, Polk Co
L	Phipps, J. F	Forsyth, Taney Co
E	Reser, J. M	Urbana, Dallas Co
D	Rule, H	Rondo, Polk Co

Springfield District — Continued.

D	Slavens, J. H	Urbana, Dallas Co
D	Swift, Willis	Buffalo, Dallas Co
L	Sewill, O. E	Walnut Grove, Greene Co
L	Seaton, B.	St. Thomas, Osage Co
L	Scott, W. F	Lebanon, Laclede Co
L	Sinclair, Joseph	Bolivar, Polk Co
E	Tippin, C. F	Thorp, Webster Co
L	Tressner, E	Conway, Laclede Co
L	Wallace, J. W	Huggins, Texas Co
L	Weeks, H. F	Buffalo, Dallas Co
L	Winkler, S. Z	Sligo, Crawford Co
L	Worthington, O.	Humansville, Polk Co

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

E	Ames, Jno. L	Wodell, McDonald Co
L	Adcock, M. W	Exeter, Barry Co
D	Burris, A	Lamar, Barton Co
L	Burkholder, W. T	Sarcoxie, Jasper Co
D	Babb, Samuel	Cassville, Barry Co
L	Claypool, W. S	Sheldon, Barton Co
L	Campbell, A. J	Carterville, Jasper Co
D	Chester, J	Carthage, Jasper Co
D	Cavener, C. C	Curran, Stone Co
L	Coats, James	Mt. Vernon, Lawrence Co
L	Duncan, Wm	Sarcoxie, Jasper Co
E	Estep, J. S	Mt. Vernon, Lawrence Co
L	Fenton, J. E	Mt. Vernon, Lawrence Co
L	Foster, I. N	Carterville, Jasper Co
L	Gaither, C. W	Marionville, Lawrence Co.
L	Grubaugh, G. R	Marionville, Lawrence Co
L	Hatcher, G. S	Rocky Comfort, McDonald Co.
L	Hopkins, David	Zincite, Jasper Co
E	Henry, G. H	Cassville, Barry Co
L	Hall, A. M	Exeter, Barry Co
D	Jones, J. M	Marionville, Lawrence Co
E	King, E. J	Marionville, Lawrence Co
L	Manes, J. N	Billings, Christian Co
L	Medsker, J. L	Moundville, Vernon Co
E	Moore, T. J	Neosho, Newton Co
L	Moore, R. W	Seneca, Newton Co
L	McBrine, John	Newtonia, Newton Co
L	Nightingale, W. O	Golden City, Barton Co
E	Nance, B. F	Carthage, Jasper Co
L	Page, D. M	Joplin, Jasper Co
L	Pierce, E. C	Marionville, Lawrence Co

Carthage District—Continued.

L	Rawlins, C. M.	Carthage, Jasper Co.
L	Renfro, J. N.	Sarcoxie, Jasper Co
L	Rideout, Stephen	Golden City, Barton Co.
E	Rose, D.	Carthage, Jasper Co
L	Robertson, W. J	Cassville, Barry Co
E	Selby, J. B	Marionville, Lawrence Co.
L	Sackett, H	Liberal, Barton Co.
L	Stephens, S.	Irwin, Barton Co.
L	Sluther, G	Milford, Barton Co
L	Scott, J. K	Golden City, Barton Co.
E	Smith, J. W.	Cassville, Barry Co
L	Tallmann, D. H	Nashville, Barton Co
E	Turrentine, J. J	Billings, Christian Co.
L	Walker, Wm	Chesapeake, Lawrence Co.
D	Washam, M. T	Billings, Christian Co.
L	Williams, J. P	Lamar, Barton Co
D	Warden, E. M.	Carthage, Jasper Co
L	Wren, D. L	Carthage, Jasper Co

CORRECTIONS AND ADDITIONS.

Omitted from Appointments.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT—Carthage ct.....Isaac Entwisle.

Supplies Named Since Conference.

SEDALIA DISTRICT—Huntingdale..... .....T. S. Johnson.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT—Holden ct.....J. A. Winner.

P. O. of Supplies not Indicated by Appointment.

J. F. Phipps, Forsyth; G. W. White, Exeter; Wm. McClanahan, Conway.

Errors in Apportionment Table.

SEDALIA DISTRICT—For Missions, $1,400, instead of $14.

FOR CONFERENCE—For S. S. Union, $300, instead of $1,000.

The name of N. H. Buck should be in the list of Supernumeraries.

☞ The full and correct address of members of the Conference is found in the "Conference Roll and Record."

CONFERENCE ROLL AND RECORD.

NAMES. *Non-effective †Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST-OFFICES. All in Missouri, unless otherwise noted.
Armstrong, Wm. P.	1859	1882	Clinton
Ashley, John	1872	1884	Sedalia, 4th & Montgomery
Baird, Edward H.*	1859	1860	Marionville
Baker, Wm. F.	1880	1880	Butler
Ballaine, Francis.*	1880	1880	De Soto
Barber, Alanson*	1865	1868	Morantown, Kas.
Beggs, Francis S.	1859	1859	Springfield
Bell, Mordecai	1887	1887	Golden City
Benefiel, Theo. S.*	1866	1866	Bross, Kingman Co., Kas.
Brewington, Jas. B.	1880	1880	Marshfield
Brough, Cyrus	1878	1878	Festus
Buck, H. Noble.*	1870	1870	Aurora
Buck, Wm.	1880	1883	Tipton
Carpenter, Lewis R.*	1874	1874	Independence
Collins, Wm. K.	1876	1883	Clinton
Corrington, Jas. F.	1873	1873	Springfield
Cowden, Jas. W.	1866	1866	Humansville
Creamer, Wesley M.	1874	1886	Farmington
Criss, Curtis V.	1877	1877	Lamar
Crow, David W.	1881	1881	De Soto
Daniel, Jas. B.	1867	1867	Windsor
Darby, Elijah F. S.†	1886	1886	Mountain Grove
Demotte, Wm*	1857	1863	Humansville
Durham, Thos. M.	1872	1885	Appleton City
Entwisle, Isaac	1866	1866	Carthage
Exly, Frank	1872	1872	Oak Grove
Felton, Cyrus E.	1853	1886	613 Garrison Ave., St. Louis
Finley, John W.	1869	1869	Green Ridge
Fry, Benj. St. James	1847	1866	1101 Olive St., St. Louis
Fry, Chas. D.	1875	1887	Billings
Gaither, Anderson J.*	1855	1855	Independence
Galbraith, Isaac M.	1881	1881	Rockville
Gillespie, Jno H.	1873	1873	Pleasant Hill
Glens, Geo. A.†	1886	1886	Salem

Graves, Albert J.†	1885	1885	Buffalo
Gray, Wm. D	1882	1888	Sedalia
Hackney, Harry M	1875	1884	Joplin
Hagerty, Thos. H	1855	1863	1909 Grand Ave., St. Louis
Hallock, Leander	1853	1877	1101 Olive St., St. Louis
Hamel, Wm. V	1878	1878	Carthage
Hammond, Armor M.†	1886	1886	Oronogo
Hanson, Rich H.*	1873	1873	Hartville
Harris, Joseph		1888	1101 Olive St., St. Louis
Heaton, Clarence E	1882	1885	Farmington
Heinlein, Aaron H	1866	1866	Clinton
Hughey, Geo. W	1853	1879	Carthage
Hunt, Enoch J	1878	1878	Holden
Ing, Stanford	1858	1858	Salt Springs
January, Benj. F	1880	1880	West Plains
Jones, Caleb J. W	1872	1872	502 E. Springfield Ave., K. C
Jones, Olin B	1878	1878	Independence
Jones, Samuel*	1873	1873	Clinton
Jones, William	1863	1884	1624 Summit St., K. C
Jump, Albert	1877	1877	Lebanon
Knease, Thos. H	1872	1884	Urbana
Lenig, Frank	1881	1881	4412 Garfield Ave., St. Louis
Lewis, Wm. T	1874	1887	Warrensburg
Lunbeck, Isaac J. K	1870	1870	Rolla
Lunbeck, Oscar	1880	1880	Vichy Springs
Martin, Oliver M	1869	1882	2952 Montg'y St., St. Louis
Martin, Jno. J	1880	1878	Marionville
Markham, Lewis A	1863	1886	Butler
Marlatt, Jos. P	1883	1883	3534 Ohio Ave., St. Louis
Miller, Jacob		1878	Norwood
Moffatt, Rolan*	1851	1872	Washburn
Morgan, Russell M.*	1847	1766	West Plains
Munsell, L. W.*		1881	Hartville
Neff, Wm. T	1882	1882	Ironton
Pierce, Jno. N.*	1859	1865	Clinton
Piles, Wm. T.†	1884	1886	Knob Noster
Pine, Jas	1879	1879	Carterville
Pingry, Thos	1883	1883	Belton
Poole, Benj. F	1875	1875	Springfield
Porter, Jas. S	1873	1873	East Lynne
Porter, Erastus A.*	1875	1875	Rich Hill
Powell, Wm. W.*	1868	1868	
Reese, Wm. H	1874	1887	Cor. 5th and Troost, K. C.
Revelle, Chas. S	1874	1874	Hume
Sallaway, Arthur P	1867	1867	Austin
Sappenfield, Lewis C	1876	1876	Rolla
Simmons, Wm. J	1875	1887	Greenfield
Smith, Robt. T	1883	1886	Peirce City
Sparkman, Temple, C		1888	Jasper

Stewart, Oliver M	1864	1869	801 Park Ave., Kansas City
Stephens, Wm	1866	1866	1422 Ohio St., Sedalia
Stickney, Francis M	1872	1872	Iberia
Stiles, Darwin F.†	1885	1888	801 Park Ave., Kansas City
Thomas, Benj. F	1881	1881	Carondelet
Threlfall, Henry	1866	1866	Dadeville
Toland, Henry A.†	1885	1885	Montrose
Tuttle, Joseph K.*	1838	1871	Sedalia
Van Petten, J. B		1880	Claverac, N. Y
Vaughn, James H.*	1859	1859	Lebeck
Walker, Alex. L	1876	1879	Eldorado Springs
Warner, Samuel	1881	1881	4201 Norfolk Ave., St. Louis
Welsh, John*	1858	1866	Siloam Springs, Kansas
Wood, Milton. B.*	1867	1883	Tipton
Wright, Wm. T.†	1886	1886	Seneca
Yeager, Wilbur F	1880	1880	Republic
Young, Jesse B		1888	816 Oak St., Kansas City

PROBATIONERS.

Class.	Names. *Deacons.	Admitted on Trial	Post-Offices.
2	Anderson, Geo. R	1887	Nashville
2	Beatty, Wm. M	1887	Hartville
2	Campbell, Stephen B	1887	Osceola
2	Crow, Price A	1887	Bolivar
2	Jones, Wm. F	1887	Malta Bend
2	Mohrweis, Jno. G	1886	Thayer
2	Pare, Wm. T	1886	Conway
2	Price, Fred B	1887	1822 Chestnut St., K. C
2	Smith, Hervey	1887	Mt. Vernon
2	Wade, Chas. R	1887	Cuba
2	Windbigler, Jasper	1887	Sarcoxie
1	Anderson, Eli P	1888	Marshall
1	Anderson, Moses	1888	Haigler, Neb
1	Babbitt, Homer A.*	1888	Eldon
1	Borts, Isaac	1888	Willow Springs
1	Bradshaw, Jas A	1888	Richland
1	Courtney, Wm. S	1887	Cor. Joy & Lib'ty Sts., K C
1	Harwood, Jno. W	1888	Fredericktown
1	Hartrick, H. Julius	1888	Fair Play
1	Hawkins, Thos. H	1886	Monett
1	King, Geo. W.*	1886	Bloomfield
1	Pimlott, Jno. R	1888	Pacific

100 Full Members, 22 Probationers.

Lay Electoral Conference Proceedings.

Ohio St. M. E. Church, Sedalia, Mo., March 23, 1888.

The Lay Electoral Conference convened at 10 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by temporary chairman, Wm. Bray, and Fletch M. Doan was appointed as temporary secretary: After devotional exercises, it was moved and adopted that a committee be appointed of "one from each district on permanent organization and order of business" as follows:

St. Louis District, T. J. Bryan; Sedalia District, J. J. Lamm; Kansas City District, L. C. Slavens; Springfield District, J. M. Resor; Carthage District, R. H. Rose.

The following committee was appointed on credentials, viz: G. W. Price, A. J. Blackford, J. P. Orr, R. M. Bell and David Hopkins.

While awaiting the action of the Committees, the Conference engaged in a season of prayer and praise.

The Committee on permanent organization presented their report, action on which was deferred until after the report of the Committee on credentials.

By request A. B. Logan read his paper on "Church Stewards." J. A. Field followed with some remarks on the same subject.

The Committee on credentials presented their report. On motion of R. G. Hartwell, the report was accepted and adopted, except in the case of Wm. Putnam, and that name was again referred to the Committee. The report is as follows: "The Committee on credentials report the following as having credentials," to wit:

Sedalia District—Wm. Paul, S. B. Phifer, J. J. Lamm, J. B. Jones, E. M. Graham, W. L. Slagle, A. B. Logan, J. H. Lucas, Leander Robinson, J. M. Long, A. J. Blackford, H. C. Boyd, J. W. Ruble, J. F. Gunther, J. P. Carlin, F. A. Tavenner, W. Flemming, Sam'l Workman, G. W. Houk.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT—T. J. Langston, J. A. Pease, W. J. Pyland, E. G. Evans, J. M. Resor, J. H. Hartrick, J. G. Lingsweiler, G. H. Worthington, R. M. Bell, Wm. Bray.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT—N. C. Scoval, J. W. Park, J. J. Warner, L. M. Cox, W. H. H. Gustin, A. Zartman, J. W. L. Slavens, R. G. Hartwell, J. P. Orr, L. C. Slavens, Mrs. W. Lattin, G. S. Graham, A. M. Sills, S. Elliott, Jno. Sullivan.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT—G. W. Price, B. R. Bonner, J. A. Field, R. H. Newberry, Fletch M. Doan, T. J. Bryan.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT — David Hopkins, R. H. Rose, S. W. Wharton, W. S. Resor, W. P. Owen, J. H. Wilson, Wesley Richhart, W. T. Burkholder, Sam'l Stevens, L. S. Wright, W. P. Robinson. T. Rimby, Rebecca Entwisle, E. T. Bruester, M. L. Murphy.

The report of the Committee on permanent organization was presented, as follows:

St. Louis Lay Electoral Conference:

Your Committee on permanent organization recommend the election of A. B. Logan, of Warrensburg, Mo., for permanent Chairman, and Fletch, M. Doan, of St. Louis, Mo., for permanent Secretary, and suggest the following order of business:

1st. Proceed to elect two delegates to the General Conference. Candidates to be placed in nomination in addresses not to exceed five minutes.

2nd. Election to be by ballot. Each ballot to contain two names until one delegate is elected. A majority vote shall elect.

3rd. Five tellers, one from each district, shall be appointed, who shall collect and count the ballots.

An amendment was offered by J. A. Field, to insert the programme suggested by the Committee of last Conference, before the order of business. It was adopted. The report as a whole was adopted, and A. B. Logan elected permanent Chairman, and Fletch M. Doan was elected permanent Secretary. The Chairman, A. B. Logan, addressed the Conference, after which, all united in singing, "Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

Dr. Curl, President of Lewis College, was introduced and addressed the Conference in behalf of that institution.

The Committee on credentials reported approving W. Putman's credentials, and the report was adopted. Dr. N. Shumate, of the Missouri Conference, was introduced. On motion, a committee on resolutions was appointed, consisting of J. A. Field, St. Louis District; S. B. Phifer, Sedalia District; J. G. Lingsweiler,

Springfield District; M. L. Murphy, Carthage District; A. Zartman, Kansas City District.

The Conference adjourned to 1:30 o'clock p. m.

The afternoon session was opened by devotional services at half past 1 o'clock. On motion, the order of business was suspended, and the nomination for delegates to General Conference was taken up. J. W. L. Slavens, of Grand Avenue Church, Kansas City, nominated W. H. Reed, of Kansas City; A. J. Blackford, of Clinton, nominated J. H. Lucas, of Osceola, seconded by J. B. Jones; A. Zartman, of Kansas City, nominated W. H. Craig, of Independence Avenue Church, of Kansas City, seconded by J. J. Lamm, of Sedalia; A. M. Sills, of Summit Street Church, Kansas City, and J. P. Orr, of Holden.

R. H. Rose, of Carthage, nominated H. C. Cowgill, of Carthage, seconded by S. W. Wharton, of Nashville.

J. A. Field, of Goode Avenue, St. Louis, nominated Seneca N. Taylor, of Union Church, St. Louis, seconded by B. R. Bonner, of Union, and F. M. Doan, of Water Tower Church, St. Louis.

On motion of R. G. Hartwell, of Butler, nominations closed.

Tellers were appointed as follows:

T. J. Bryan, J. B. Jones, R. G. Hartwell, L. S. Wright and J. G. Lingsweiler.

The ballot resulted: Seneca N, Taylor, 45; W. H. Craig, 32; H. C. Cowgill, 27; J. H. Lucas, 17; W. H. Reed, 10; E. G. Evans, 1.

Necessary to a choice, 34. On motion, Seneca N. Taylor was declared unanimously elected as delegate to the General Conference.

The second ballot resulted: W. H. Craig, 35; H. C. Cowgill 23; J. H. Lucas, 7. Necessary to a choice, 31. On motion, the election of W. H. Craig as delegate to the General Conference, was made unanimous. On motion, H. C. Cowgill, A. J. Blackford, were elected alternates.

Papers were then presented by S. N. Taylor, of St. Louis, and W. H. Craig, of Kansas City, on "the duty of the M. E. Church to provide for the support of her Conference Claimants."

On motion of J. H. Lucas, a committee was appointed to inform the Ministerial Conference that the Lay Conference has completed its business and ask what hour will suit their convenience to receive the Lay Conference, viz: J. H. Lucas, Wm. Bray and J. J.

Lamm. It was decided that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet here at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning to proceed to the Cumberland Presbyterian Church to meet with the Ministerial Conference.

On motion, the order of business was so suspended that the memorial services be deferred until to-morrow and be united with those of the Ministerial Conference.

Dr. Hartzell, of the Freedmen's Aid Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference. J. H. Lucas, of Osceola, addressed the Conference on "the importance of our own literature in our homes, Sunday schools and societies.

The Commiteee on resolutions reported, having examined and approved the following resolutions:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Lay Electoral Conference of the St. Louis Conference that we heartily approve of the ability and worth of the Central Christian Advocate, as conducted by Rev. Benj. St. James Fry, and that it is our earnest request that the next General Conference shall re-elect Dr. Fry, as the editor of said paper, for the next four years.

Whereas, Lewis College is centrally located and should be patronized as an institution of the higher class of education, and whereas, there is a debt of $2,400 that seriously embarrasses its progress;

Resolved, That we recommend a joint effort on the part of St. Louis and Missouri Conferences for the payment of this date.

Whereas, Carleton Institute, located at Farmington, Mo., founded by Miss E. A. Carleton, A. M., was presented to the St. Louis Conference, the entire property amounting to $25,000, encumbered by a debt of $3,300 and accrued interest, and a prospective endowment of about $4,000, and whereas, said College is an important adjunct to our Church work, especially in Southeast Missouri, being attended by about 100 pupils;

Resolved, That in view of the worthiness of the claims of this Institution, we urgently recommend that measures be immediately adopted to raise the means by which this debt may be paid.

Whereas, Marionville Collegiate Institute is the only Methodist Episcopal School in Southwest Missouri, and its work is known for thoroughness throughout its patronizing territory; therefore,

Resolved, That we, as Methodist Laymen, do encourage our people to educate their sons and daughters at Marionville, and especially to free the Institute from its debt of $850 incurred in purchasing necessary furniture.

Resolved, That we heartily approve the proposition to establish an Institute of learning in this State by the Freedmen's

Aid Society for the education of men and women, and we will gladly co-operate with thePastors in raising the full amount asked for this cause in the various charges.

Resolved, That we, as Lay members of the M. E. Church, heartily approve the strong temperance resolutions adopted by our Ministerial Conference, held at Lamar last March, and that we will co-operate with our Pastors in every endeavor to bring about temperance legislation in State and Nation.

(Signed) J. A. Field, A. Zartman, J. G. Lingsweiler, S. B. Phifer, Mell C. Murphy. } Committee.

On motion, the report was accepted and the foregoing resolutions adopted.

On motion of S. N. Taylor, a subscription was taken up to aid in the publication of the Conference minutes, and the amount of $100 was realized. and placed in the hands of Jas. A. Field, of St. Louis, who was appointed Treasurer by the Chair.

On motion, adjourned.

Saturday, March 24, 1888.

The Conference convened at 9 o'clock a. m., at Ohio Street Church. The Devotional services were conducted by A. B. Logan. The minutes were read and approved. A resolution to memorialize the General Conference in behalf of a plan to insure our Churches was presented, discussed and adopted, viz:

Whereas, The Wesleyan Methodist Assurance Company, of Manchester, England, has insured the Wesleyan Churches for fifteen years, and the losses of said Company have not exceeded 21½ per cent. of the total income for the said period; thus saving to the Church 78½ per cent., or the total sum of $225,775.00; and,

Whereas, Our Church Extension and Conference Claimant Fund or other benevolences, as the Church may direct, can be thus greatly increased; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of St. Louis Lay Electoral Conference, memorialize the next General Conference to provide for this necessary and beneficent purpose.

On motion, the Conference by rising vote, expressed their appreciation of the courtesy and kindness of the Citizens of Sedalia in so hospitably opening their homes for the entertainment of our delegates. The Conference proceeded in a body to the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, and on arrival, adjourned to meet with the Ministerial Conference.

A. B. Logan, President.

Fletch M. Doan, Secretary.

MEMORIAL ADDRESS

ON THE

Deceased Laymen of the St. Louis Conference,

BY HON. E. G. EVANS, OF CUBA, MISSOURI.

I appreciate the great honor of being called upon by your committee to speak of the departed Laymen of our Conference. I also feel the magnitude of the subject, and my incapacity to do justice to the grand theme. Yet I propose to respond by grasping and condensing material the best I can.

The laity of a church is supposed to be composed of souls redeemed. Hence they form the church, benefit society, and are therefore good citizens, if loyal to the civil government under which they live. When departed, they ought to have a place in history and in memory. The grave is silent; but while we view it, the acts of the departed crowd upon our memory, and we find that the results of the labor of an industrious Christian are not buried with him. The Psalmist said: "The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance."

It is always understood that the itinerant minister soon finds the new settlements; but let him be ever so early on the ground, he generally finds the laymen there ready to greet him, take care of him and his horse, and to encourage him in his mission of grace. The average layman of any church is hospitable and his influence among his neighbors is good; but I do not claim that he is a saint. He is subject to the worry of privations and misfortunes. His journey is a perilous one, and is beset by the usual snares set for the feet of the believer. Considering these things, and the fact that each man carries elements of destruction in his own bosom, it seems to require much repenting and much forgiving to save a soul.

On a grave stone of a deceased Methodist, at Farmington, St. Francois county, are the words "Organized and taught the first Sunday School west of the Mississippi river." It ought not to surprise any of you to be told that this person was a woman. In all times, woman has been foremost in all good works. Hence, it is proper that I first mention Mrs. Sarah Barton Murphy, aunt of David Barton, one of Missouri's first United States Senators. In

1799, Reverend William Murphy, a Baptist minister, came to the locality mentioned, and bought land of the Spanish government with the intention of removing to it from the far eastern part of Tennessee. He soon afterwards died, which caused his family to delay the move. After settling up the business of the estate, his widow, in the spring of 1802, purchased a keel-boat, in which she and the younger part of the family came—first down the Holston river, thence taking the great circle of the Tennessee river through Alabama, again through Tennessee, and across Kentucky; traveling more than one thousand miles before reaching the Ohio. Next, this little immigrant boat, commanded by a woman, descended the Ohio river and then came up the Mississippi river to Ste. Genevieve. There the boat was left and the remaining thirty miles was traveled in French carts. They arrived in "Murphy Settlement" on the 12th day of June, 1802. Within a year thereafter, many settlers came to that little community. To my friend, Sam'l S. Boyce, of Farmington, I am indebted for many of the historical facts that I am giving of that locality. The settlement was protestant, and the inhabitants keenly felt the loss of the religious privileges they had enjoyed in the States; but Mrs. Murphy frequently gathered neighbors at her house and held prayer meetings, and she also organized and kept up a Sunday School. When differences arose among the people, they were generally referred to this litttle woman, and her decisions were accepted as final. After the country passed to the control of the United States in 1803, and as soon as the fact was known by the settlers, they all met at the house of Mrs. Murphy for the purpose of giving vent to their political and religious enthusiasm. To Mrs. Murphy they conceded the honor of offering up the first Protestant prayer in public west of the Mississippi river. The Methodist itinerant was the first preacher to come, and although a majority of the people there at the time were Baptists, it was decided to organize a Methodist church, as advised by Mrs. Murphy, she being regarded with the greatest affection for her piety, practical sense and sound judgment. She died in 1817.

In 1815 the Georges and McFarlands arrived in this Methodist settlement. Thomas George was a very enthusiastic shouting Christian and Methodist, originally from Virginia to North Carolina, thence to Missouri. He purchased a farm adjoining Mrs. Murphy's, and his two Methodist daughters married two Methodist grand-sons of said Mrs. Murphy. Rhoda married Wm. Murphy and Mahala married William Evans. The other Georges went to the "Boon's Lick Country," now Howard and Cooper counties. Thomas died March 11th, 1840.

About this time there was a Methodist organization near Jackson, in Cape Girardeau county, the leading members of which were the Williams families. In 1819 they built the old McKendree church, which is said to be the first Protestant church building erected in the State. It was in 1818 that Bishop McKendree traveled through that part of Missouri.

In about 1820 the first Belleview Camp meeting was held. It was a Methodist institution and was held annually for about twenty years. Belleview is a fertile region in the southwestern part of Washington county. Families came to those grounds and camped for a week at a time from a distance as far as twenty miles. Hence the Methodist people were personally acquainted who lived forty miles apart. At first there was also a fortification in the same neighborhood, where the families of the entire settlement were placed for safety in times of Indian raids, and when the men were out to drive back the savages.

Among the Methodists who patronized those Camp meetings, I remember George Wallis, Hon. John S. Brickey and the Edgars, from Potosi; Hon. James H. Relf, Dr. Rob't Bruffee, "Billy' Woods and the Goodycoontz brothers of Belleview; Rob't Hughes and his son Zack Hughes, of Concord; Thomas George and Wm. Evans, of St. Francois county; the Springers of Washington county, and the Harrisons, Johnsons and Adkinsons, of Crawford county.

Other prominent Methodists of south Missouri, whom I will mention, were G. W. Davis of Cape Girardeau, Eliazer Clay, David Murphy and his son William and Henry Poston, of St. Francois county; James S. Evans of Caledonia, Hon. Benj. Harrison, Judge Jonathan Clinton and John Poor, of Crawford county; James E. Callahan, Hon. David Henderson and John Sample, of Dent county; James Bradford, Dickerson Crow and the Wade brothers, of Texas county; Lyman Chapman, Wilson McEwin and Austin Clark, Sr., of Franklin county, and John Copeland of Maries county. Some of these lived to bear part of the pro-slavery persecutions of our church that began in 1845; but I believe all are of the departed of whom we are required to speak.

Cape Girardeau Circuit was organized in Missouri in 1809 and was traveled by Jesse Walker. Some of his successors were John Scripps, A. McAllister, Joseph Edmundson, Andrew Lopp, Jesse Green and L. Waugh. The house of William Evans, of Big River Mills, was a home and headquarters for these early preachers. Wm. Evans was son-in-law of Thomas George and grand child of Sarah B. Murphy, who brought him up from infancy, his mother having died. He made the grand round with her in the keel boat when he was nine years of age As an other proof the good influence of that woman, William never drank intoxicating liquors or used tobacco, and two of his sons imitated him in these particulars. Wm. Evans died July 31, 1851.

The most noted and most exciting epoch in the history of the M. E. church, in South Missouri, was from 1845 to 1860. This was during the prime of my life, and, living on disputed ground, I learned much of the history of secession and rebellion.

In 1844 some of the ministers began to advocate a division of the church because of the anti-Slavery sentiments contained in the discipline. The laymen were universally opposed to the scheme of division. Many owned slaves; but I never saw a layman in favor

of organizing a Southern church, until after the deed was done. They were much attached to our church principles, as recorded in the discipline, and were independent enough to be controlled by their ideas of right, and were not like some candidates for place, subject to being swayed by an anxiety to accommodate all opinions and classes of people.

The first change made by the new organization was striking out of the General Rules the clause prohibiting "buying or selling spirituous liquors," which action was generally condemned by Missouri Methodists. They were as much opposed to "buying or selling spirituous liquors," as they were against the "buying and selling of men, women and children," which clause was not stricken out until some years afterward. These changes, compromising with the two great evils, slavery and the liquor business, proved that our laymen were right.

Slavery having been abolished, it cannot now benefit any church, and all churches now unite against the liquor business. We can now treat the past agitation as a mistake, welcome the return of those who see it, and rejoice together that there is no more whisky or slavery in the Church. But the deceased, for whom we speak to-day, are not here to rejoice with us. For their piety and patriotism they were made to feel the cheerless blasts of the slavery power. They learned to wish that there was no vassalage in this lovely country, and left us before the glad time came. In the early history of this state slavery was not so intolerant; but about the time I passed from youth to manhood I found myself confronted by the first geographical secession ever known to the history of this republic. Suddenly slavery became insolent and undertook to slay our church—to demolish the home of my youth. It is not reasonable to expect the young man to patiently see the savage foe enter his parents' enclosure to erect upon his green play-grounds a relic of barbarism modeled after a southern slave pen, and patiently see the walls of the grand old mansion torn down, or probably spattered with human blood, and not put in a protest. We had to resist the tyrant or run away from our much-loved native Missouri.

If those from free states, who are in Missouri, could only appreciate the sinfulness and the tyranny of the slave spirit, as Missourians had to do, there would be a better state of affairs to-day. Our church here was not interrupted by violence until a church was organized upon the agitation of slavery, and then it was some years before politicians got down to an unjust oppression. To the average laymen it seemed inconsistent for men who had voluntarily remained in the church up to 1845, to suddenly enter upon a career of persecution of those who remained where they had been, and to them it seemed strange that those who were contented with their old church would be called "malcontents." The action was open to the suspicion that the new organization desired to be the church of the land. Indeed, some did contend that by some kind of a

dicker we were turned out of the church we had joined, or that our church had snuffed herself out, and sold us to a church of later organization, and with principles differing from those we entertained. The poor laymen were again puzzled to see those who abused our church contend that theirs was the same church, and that we rightfully belong to their church. At one time we were bad enough to be mobbed, and yet always acceptable in their church without trial. How forgetful of the American character, and of the nature of a society, those who believed a society could be divided geographically and upon principles or opinions at the same time. How ridiculous the idea that a man's opinions and conscience could change as he crossed the surveyor's lines.

It was found easier, however, to make plans and promises of trade, than it was to deliver the goods. Independent American citizens did not propose to belong to a society that they did not voluntarily join.

I was a member of the old Fourth Street Church, St. Louis, at the time an attempt was made to transfer laymen without their consent. On the night of July 24, 1845, at a meeting of the members in said Church, it was resolved that they would not go into the Church South. On the following Tuesday night Rev. Joseph Boyle made a speech, in which he urged members to go into the new organization, and there was the first place that I ever heard promulgated the grand idea that it was necessary for God to compromise a little with slaveholders to get His gospel to their slaves. At the close of his speech he announced that a vote would be taken on the following night. I attended this election, and it was the first unfair one I ever saw. The preacher who assumed to be chairman was of the new church. He appointed the officers without taking a vote of the meeting. He then announced that the roll of members would be slowly read, and those present would answer to their names by saying the word "South" or the word "North" —according to whether they desired to go north or south. No opportunity was given those to vote who desired to remain in the M. E. Church, and so only one side voted. I was among those who did not vote. Two leading laymen of our Church there, who were active in opposition to leaving the M. E. Church, were brothers George Bushey and Hare. Rev. Joseph Tabor, a local Elder, also took an active part in defense of the liberty of laymen to remain in the Church they joined.

I will give one sample of how the question of division was settled in the country — the Steelville Circuit, which then covered territory where I now reside. When a southern preacher was sent there the official members would not recognize him as their minister. He then announced that he would take the vote at his appointments as he traveled around the circuit. Dr. David Henderson, a layman of the same circuit, traveled with him to represent the side of the M. E. Church. The vote resulted in a majority against the Church South, and the report was accordingly made

to the Southern Conference, which body disregarded it because it was an inland circuit, there being a circuit between it and the Mississippi river.

Power gained by opposition always provokes oppression, and in this case it was a continued conflict between the members of these two organizations for fifteen years, or more. As our Church was weakened it became the subject of attack from the slavery power. The members and ministers suffered more than can ever be known by those who have had no experience. It is easy to understand the published accounts of violence — such as breaking up meetings, riding members on rails, shooting them, or murdering them in some other way; but the thousands of jeers heard, and poisonous breath drawn from pro-slaveryism, cannot be described. We used to know it by the name of "slave spirit." There is nothing like it, and although there is no more authorized slavery in this country, that spirit still lives in Missouri.

Some compare the evils of the liquor power with the "slave spirit." The liquor business is a greater evil than slavery was; but nobody advocates it except paid attorneys, while slavery had its able defenders and powerful mobs.

Many of our people who desired to live in Missouri concluded not to endure the threatening storm, and left. Many good ministers came to help our little company, and, after making good resistance for awhile, withdrew from the battlefield. But there were a few brave disciples of God, who stood their ground gloriously. Some died on the field, and others are yet living witnesses of what it was to be a preacher in the M. E. Church in Missouri from 1845 to 1861. By very adroit practices the enemy succeeded in getting up meetings in a few localities to adopt resolutions notifying our preachers that they would not be tolerated in Missouri; but it was not until 1855 that the oppression against our Church enlisted the law-makers. Our members and other friends of education established a seminary at Jackson, under the patronage of the Missouri Conference. Many of us contributed to the repair of the buildings, and to starting the school; but the charter was rejected by a vote of 60 to 36.

The same kind of persecution was enacted by the Missouri Legislature two years thereafter in the case of the proposed Jefferson City University. Thus the money contributed to the Church for educational purposes was destroyed by these law-makers. As a native Missouri sufferer I protest against forgetting these wrongs as long as the perpetrators are boasting of the act and being put in places of trust. Missouri Laymen did not consider such treatment just. They shook their heads when seeing Old Methodism, which so early crossed the Mississippi river to the Missouri shore, must be driven out by later immigrants. But they had learned to attribute it to slavery, the corner stone of some of the most oppressive associations. In some counties the issue was discussed in subsequent

canvasses as to whether the M. E. Church ought to have educational privileges in Missouri.

At the time the pro-slavery politicians were passing resolutions prohibiting our Ministers visiting and preaching among us, our laymen in my part of the State were resolving: "We regard it our duty to ourselves, our families and our country to take firm and positive ground against all such attempts to destroy our liberty."

A few of our laymen were killed, but generally from ambush, so that the criminals were not known. Swiftly there was a growth of this insolent tyranny, but it was not long until slavery struck our Government Eagle, which was compelled to run out its claws. When the war came, every member of the Methodist Episcopal Church was found to be loyal. This was natural, as it was slavery intolerance that made war on the government in 1861 — just the same that had made war on our church for fifteen years before. No other denomination in South Missouri was solidly loyal at the beginning of the war for disunion. Members of the M. E. Church were all law-abiding and patriotic lovers of the Union. They could take the oath to support the Government, which every citizen ought to be willing to do, to claim protection under its flag.

After being in a war for fifteen years, for our own freedom and equal justice in South Missouri, laymen were much relieved when they saw the gleam of the muskets of our glorious republic coming to their relief.

Although there were occasional raids of robbery and burning in our part of the state, I heard gray-haired Methodists say that they felt more contented than they had for fifteen years before. Men of faith believed that the intolerance begun by the votaries of slavery could not succeed finally in a country like ours. Hence, they nobly stood their ground geographically, politically and religiously.

We cannot do otherwise than mourn over the horrors of war, and weep with those who weep over lost friends, on both sides. Our church now receives, by law, equal protection with the other churches. This is all that the Methodist citizen contended for. We never wanted any political power as an organization; but as citizens we claimed the same rights given to citizens who were not members of the church. The present revolution is fast revealing the fact that Christians have equal rights in a Republic with those who are not Christians. The time was, in this State, when, if a man reformed, obtained pardon for past sins, quit lying, swearing and drinking whisky, and went so far as to go out and persuade others to reform, the law said he was disqualified as a member of the Legislature. I had the honor of being a member of the Constitutional convention of 1865, that plucked out this provision.

The war of 1861 is over, and we have progressed rapidly in the direction of justice, freedom, toleration, and happiness; still the revolutions of the nineteenth century are not ended. Slavery

is dead, but the foe to freedom still lives and rules localities when it can.

This must be so for awhile. In this connection I could mention a Methodist lady, recently deceased. During the darkest days to our preachers, her house was always a home to them, whence many left more cheerful than before entering that pleasant abode and receiving encouragement from that brave little woman. She was also an officer of the W. C. T. U., and dared to attack the greatest evil in our country. She never had an acquaintance who was not her friend. She was given a small postoffice, that assisted her to provide for her family; but because she was not a voter and because of her opinions and sympathies, she was removed, although a majority of both parties, of the locality, protested against the action, she having given universal satisfaction. She was thus sent to the kitchen to work, where she caught on fire and was burned to death, December 27, 1886. Thus passed away Emily M. Evans, *nee* Treece, niece of Rev. James T. Bail, of the Cincinnati Conference.

Thus the past runs into the present. This is an answer to the time-server's request not to revive memories of the past. The patriotic dead Methodists will lose nothing by being remembered. No shame will rest upon their living brothers by a rehearsal of their acts. They endured the cross, and as to the shame, they despised it. They believed right, did about right, and died. They made their offering for truth, for Heaven, for freedom and for country. Their deep thoughts and lonely progress were not known by the world. Even many of their enemies now acknowledge their principles correct. So far as concerns slavery, their principles are incorporated in the organic law of the greatest nation on earth. Hence, the position taken and kept by the Methodist Episcopal Church was and is correct. The fact is this was stubbornly denied only from 1845 to the close of the civil war, which is a short time in the life of the Church. We see that strife does not change principles. Those entertained and suffered for by our departed brethren are the same. It is just as wrong to buy and sell liquor now as it ever was. An attempt to compromise with such evils is an unprincipled action. Right and wrong cannot be blended, or compromised, like financial or property claims. Right ought to be upheld and wrong antagonized. Life is too short and too precious to be spent in the stagnant pool of conservatism, and we have no right to attempt to compromise the correct principles of the founders of our Church organization. They have withstood the test of ages. They have been good enough to die for. They have been sealed by time, by war and by the blood of the righteous. The noble dead have left them high up on the majestic temple of fame. Why should we not want to hear of these dead patriots, who gloried in the cross and the flag, and aided gospel light and National liberty in the darkest days of our State's history?

"For lo! that life is deemed most blest
That serves its God and country best."

Those who fell by he mob, fell unfettered and free, and wear martyrs' crowns. They leave us a church and a nation without slavery, and it is not now defined "a providential relation." Providence is against that relation. To God be the glory, that the spirit of the pro-slavery dragon is weakening, and that the liquor dragon is alarmed and will go next.

The slavery "horse and the rider hath He thrown into the sea." Now, "the waters are returning and covering the chariots and horsemen and all the host" of the Rum Pharaoh. This is "burying the past" approvingly. Bury its evils as well as those of the present. God will always help if called upon. Our departed brothers were right to stand firmly against slavery, and against "buying and selling liquor," as well as against drinking it. Their cry was from the Bible: "I will trust and not be afraid: for the Lord Jehovah is my strength and my song. He, also, is become my salvation." Their voice of prayer and song is fled. They sleep in silence, awaiting the resurrection morn. Many have no marble slabs to mark their tombs.

"They sleep in secret, but their sod
Unknown to man, is marked of God."

It is our duty to remember them, and we do remember them—when we see others die; when we see tears falling on graves made to-day. We remember them when we see a vacancy in society they properly filled. We remember them when our grief journeys back to their day. We think of them when we hear the winds sobbing around the corners and key-holes of our house. We remember them when we hear a shout of glory as they used to shout. We are reminded of those pure souls' flight to their heavenly home, when we upward look into the fathomless blue by day, and at the twinkling stars at night, that seem to be lamps of heaven set out for their use. They have gone never to return. They did not linger by the way nor turn back. They did not shrink from the battles of this world. The procession is still moving. Soon our time will be out, and we will be asked, "What have you done for right and righteousness during your time of probation?" So let us not dodge, nor bolt, nor sulk nor skulk, nor whittle, nor smoke, for we have no time for idleness. A man has no more right to decline aggression, and float with the current, than he has to cause his blood to cease its rounds. Life is the time for action, unceasing action.

EXPLANATION.

As some changes were made in the appointments since Conference adjourned, I endeavor to make the published minutes correspond to these changes. My information was that

W. T. NEFF would remain at IRONTON.

I now learn at this late date, that he will take the appointment as made at Conference, viz:

WATER TOWER.

His address will be 1101 Olive St., St. Louis.

WM. STEPHENS, Secretary.

Sedalia, Mo,. April 26th, 1888.

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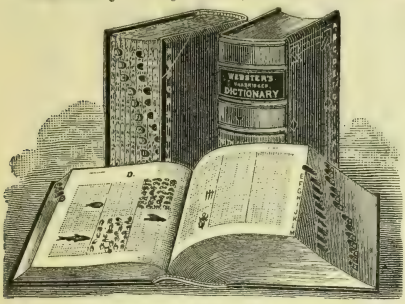

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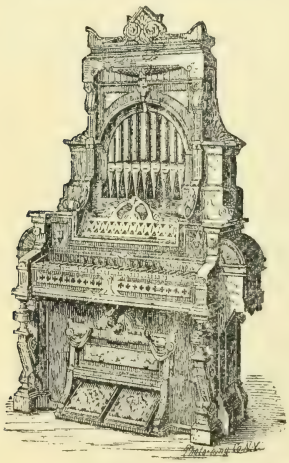

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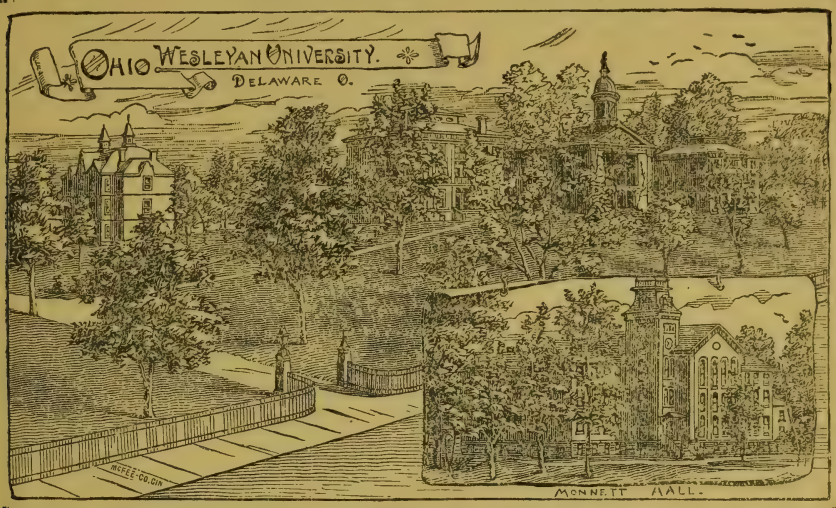

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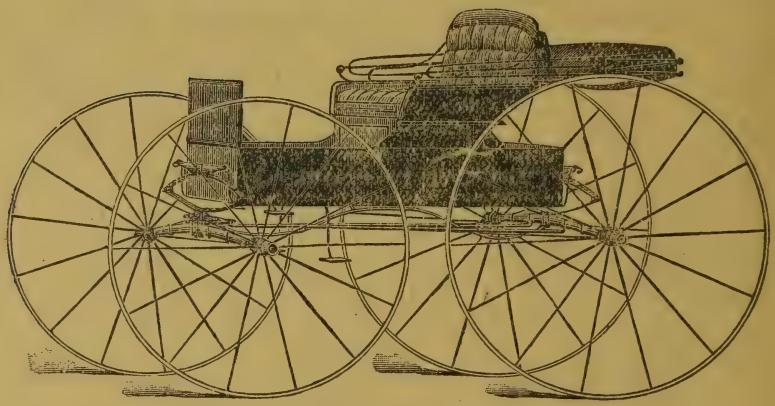

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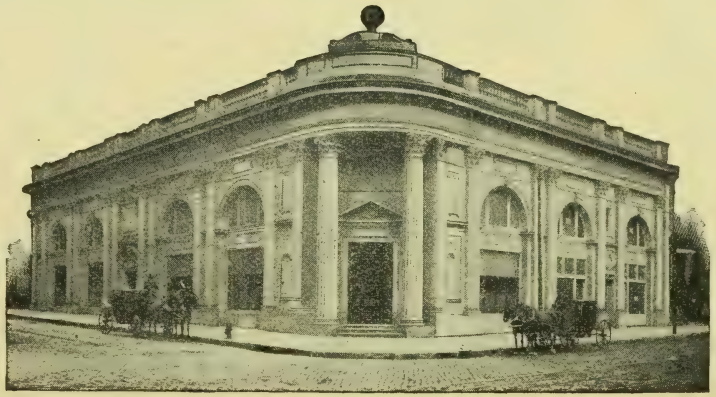

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II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate (except that the president may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

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VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene, namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till every one desiring to speak shall have spoken.

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XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of Charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer; and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of the Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instructions? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

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XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

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FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, March 26, 1902.

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The Conference was called to order at 9 A. M.

The hymn No. 798 beginning

"And are we yet alive
And see each other's face"

was announced and sung.

The Bishop read the 53rd chapter of Isaiah, and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by the Bishop, assisted by the Presiding Elders.

The Secretary of the last session of the Conference, Wm. Stephens, called the roll and 116 members and probationers were present, viz.:

Lewis G. Adams, Eli P. Anderson, H. A. Babbitt, Wm. F. Baker, Clarke Baker, L. E. Baldwin, A. D. Ball, J. A. Barker, F. S. Beggs, Jas. C. Bell, T. S. Benefiel, G. H. Bradford, J. B. Brewington, N. H. Buck, A. D. Burress, C. R. Carlos, L. R. Carpenter, W. C. Coleman, W. K. Collins, J. F. Corrington, G. H. Cosper, C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, M. L. Curl, H. A. Dougherty, Daniel Dorchester, Jr., E. M. Dugger, E. W. Elayer, W. T. Ferguson, J. W. Finley, G. M. Foster, H. B. Foster, I. M. Galbraith, G. H. Gideon, T. J. Gideon, G. A. Glens, T. H. Hagerty, W. V. Hamel, R. P. Hammons, S. J. Heaton, Matt. S. Hughes, G. W. Hughey, E. J. Hunt, G. J. Hunt, J. H. Hurley, C. C. James, B. F. January, Samuel Jones, Wm. F. Jones, Harvey A. Jones, Burrell D. Jones, Geo. W. King, E. D.

C. Koeth, Wm. Leatherman, F. P. Leckliter, A. M. Lehr, Wm. R. Leigh, Frank Lenig, Naphtali Luccock, I. J. K. Lunbeck, J. N. Moore, H. G. Mais, W. F. Martin, J. J. Martin, S. W. McClure, W. R. McCormack, Chas. McCoard, J. S. Meracle, C. A. Mitchell, H. C. Mullen, J. W. Needham, B. E. Niblack, P. E. Pierce, J. S. Porter, T. E. Prall, W. T. Pyles, W. A. Quayle, F. P. Reno, C. I. Rose, W. T. Scott, W. D. Sidman, D. T. Simmons, W. J. Simmons, F. W. Simpson, R. T. Smith, Wm. Stephens, O. M. Stewart, J. W. Stewart, H. L. Steves, F. M. Stickney, E. A. Squier, B. F. Thomas, L. M. Thompson, Jno. E. Thackrey, Samuel Warner, S. B. Warner, John Welch, Harry White, W. T. Wright, W. F. Yeager, W. H. Yount.

PROBATIONERS.

W. T. Gatley, A. T. Maxwell, C. F. Tippen, Everett Simpson, E. H. Sapp, T. P. Shaffer, G. Z. Moore, W. O. Turrentine, H. A. Mitchell, J. E. Hall, Edward Turrentine, Frank Neff, Zed Wright and L. L. Brannon.

On nomination of T. H. Hagerty, Wm. Stephens was reelected Secretary by acclamation, and on his nomination C. C. James, L. M. Thompson and E. W. Elayer were elected Assistant Secretaries.

On nomination of I. J. K. Lunbeck, P. E. Pierce was elected Statistical Secretary, and on his nomination Clarke Baker, J. W. Needham, W. D. Sidman, W. H. Yount, F. P. Leckliter, J. E. Hall, T. P. Shaffer and A. D. Burress were elected as assistants.

On nomination of Wm. Stephens, I. J. K. Lunbeck was reelected Treasurer, and on his nomination H. G. Mais and J. S. Meracle were chosen as his assistants.

The rules of the last session of the Conference were readopted.

The following standing committees, nominated by the Presiding Elders, were duly appointed, viz:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Auditing Committee.—W. T. Pyles, J. F. Corrington, C. I. Rose.

Benevolences.—B. F. Thomas, D. W. Crow, G. H. Brad-

ford, C. R. Carlos, W. C. Coleman, H. A. Jones, F. S. Beggs.

Education.—M. S. Hughes, J. J. Martin, N. Luccock, M. L. Curl, L. G. Reser, J. W. Stewart, W. A. Quayle, Harry White, D. Dorchester, Jr., L. M. Thompson, Frank Neff, R. T. Smith, S. J. Heaton, G. J. Hunt, C. F. Tippen.

Publication of Minutes.—The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, and Treasurer.

Publishing Interests.—J. A. Barker, C. C. James, W. J. Simmons, G. H. Cosper, J. L. Nations, B. F. Crissman, E. W. Elayer.

Conference Relations.—E. J. Hunt, B. D. Jones, Wm. Leatherman, Jno. Ashley, S. Warner, W. J. Pyle, B. F. January.

Memoirs.—G. A. Glens, W. A. Quayle, F. S. Beggs.

Personal Finance.—J. W. Needham, G. H. Gideon, A. D. Burress, J. B. Brewington, E. D. C. Koeth, Wm. H. Yount, Jno. E. Thackrey.

Postmaster.--H. A. Dougherty.

Young People's Work.—W. R. McCormack, Chas. McCoard, H. L. Steves, F. W. Simpson, G. W. King, W. D. Sidman, E. Simpson.

Public Worship.—Presiding Elder and Pastor of Butler.

Reforms.—R. P. Hammons, W. K. Collins, T. E. Prall, C. R. Carlos, S. A. French, J. J. Martin.

Resolutions.—O. M. Stewart, D. W. Crow, T. H. Hagerty, G. W. Hughey, J. W. Finley, F. S. Beggs, C. F. Tippen, Clarke Baker.

Stewards.—W. V. Hamel, S. Warner, I. M. Galbraith, H. G. Mais, W. F. Jones, F. S. Beggs, D. W. Crow.

Woman's Work.—E. M. Dugger, H. White, E. H. Sapp, L. G. Adams, W. R. Leigh, S. W. McClure, J. H. Hurley.

The following committee on the equalization of the travel-

ing expenses of the members of the conference in attending the annual conference was appointed, viz:

O. M. Stewart, H. A. Jones, J. W. Stewart.

W. F. Jones was elected Railroad Secretary.

Dr. C. B. Spencer, editor of the Central Christian Advocate and Dr. M. C. B. Mason, secretary of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Society, were introduced.

Dr. Spencer addressed the conference.

The roll of the charges was called and the statistics were handed in.

Question XIII. The Thirteenth Question was called, viz: *Was the character of each preacher examined?*

The character of W. T. Wright, Presiding Elder of Kansas City District, passed, and he made his report of the District.

The character of Frank Lenig, Presiding Elder of Sedalia District, passed, and he read the report.

At the close of the report, W. C. Coleman, on behalf of the Sedalia district, presented to Dr. Lenig a token of regard, to which Dr. Lenig happily responded.

T. E. Prall was appointed to collect for the "Conference Examiner," and W. T. Gatley to canvass for the "Methodist Review."

The character of C. V. Criss, Presiding Elder of the Springfield District, passed, and he reported the condition of the District.

Dr. M. C. B. Mason addressed the Conference.

Harry White was appointed to collect for The Gospel in All Lands.

The following drafts were ordered:

On the Book Concern, for $450, and on the Chartered Fund, for $22, and placed in the hands of the chairman of the Board of Stewards.

The Journal was read and approved. Notices were given and the session closed with the benediction.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference met at 8:30 A. M., Bishop Warren presiding.

The devotional services were conducted by E. J. Hunt.

The roll of absentees was called, and W. M. Creamer, S. A. French, G. S. Hatcher, J. J. Janssen, W. T. Pare, W. O. Turrentine, D. K. Burnham, A. G. Keast and B. F. Crissman were present.

M. L. Curl, W. T. Pyles and T. P. Shaffer were appointed a committee on Church Insurance.

Question The Thirteenth Question was resumed.

XIII. The characters of A. D. Ball, Presiding Elder of Farmington District; E. P. Anderson, Presiding Elder of Carthage District; H. B. Foster, Presiding Elder of Lebanon District; and S. B. Warner, Presiding Elder of St. Louis District, were passed, and they read reports of their several Districts.

The following brethren were introduced to the Conference: C. B. Lotspeich, of the Christian Church; S. D. Jewell, of the Presbyterian Church; W. M. Barcafer, of the Baptist Church; J. W. McGee, of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church; T. E. Puckett, of the M. E. Church, South, all of the city of Butler; S. B. Campbell, Mo. Conference; J. J. Bentley, P. E. Mo. Conf.; G. H. Bradford, recently transferred A. P. George and H. M. Gordon, of the S. Kans. Conf.; Miss Nellie Snyder, of W. H. M. Soc'y.; Miss Fanny Perkins, of the W. F. M. S.; J. E. Thackrey, recently transferred to this Conference, and Tillman Hobson, of the Friends Society.

Dr. Little, of Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston, Ill., was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Dr. T. B. Neeley was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of the Tract Society, Sunday School Union and Sunday School Literature.

Dr. Hagerty, in his usual happy style, presented to Dr. Neeley and Bishop Warren each a penholder made from wood taken from the first church west of the Mississippi river. The recipients felicitiously responded.

The committee on Church Insurance presented their report. Pending its adoption, Rev. F. L. Hart, of the Church Insurance Society, addressed the Conference in its interests. The report was adopted. (See Report).

After full representation and consideration Albert J. Mc-

Culloch was received, by unanimous vote, into full connection on credentials as an elder from the M. E. Church, South.

The Bishop then announced his transfer to the Colorado Conference.

Question The Thirteenth Question was resumed.

XIII. The following effective elders were called, their characters passed, and all present reported.

Farmington District: J. L. Nations, John Ashley, D. W. Crow, J. J. Martin, W. R. McCormack, Harry White, A. J. Bruner.

Kansas City District: W. F. Baker, Chas. McCoard, S. J. Heaton, S. Warner, B. F. Crissman, J. N. Moore, E.M. Dugger, M. S. Hughes, O. M. Stewart, W. T. Scott, I. J. K. Lunbeck, H. A. Dougherty, W. K. Collins, W. A. Quayle, G. H. Bradford, J. E. Thackrey, J. S. Meracle and C. E. Heaton.

Carthage District: T. J. Gideon, W. F. Jones, B E. Niblack, J. W. Stewart, C. D. Fry, G. H. Gideon, P. E. Pierce, Wm. Leatherman, R. P. Hammons, J. J. Janssen, G. H. Cosper, Clarke Baker, B. F. Thomas, W. T. Pyles and R. T. Smith.

St. Louis District: J. B. Brewington, J. A. Barker, H. G. Mais, H. L. Steves, S. W. McClure, W. J. Pyle, Daniel Dorchester, Jr., A. M. Billingsley, C. R. Carlos, Naphtali Luccock, J. F. Corrington and T. H. Hagerty.

Sedalia District: L. M. Thompson, M. L. Curl, I. M. Galbraith, G. M. Foster, W. H. Hormel, F. P. Reno, W. R. Leigh, C. C. James, J. H. Adams, Wm. Stephens, C. Burns, T. E. Prall, H. A. Babbitt, F. W. Simpson, E. J. Hunt, G. A. Glens, E. D. C. Koeth, W. C. Coleman, Hervey Smith, J. H. Gillespie and C. E. Coons.

Springfield District: Jas. Lokey, D. T. Simmons, W. F. Yeager, W. D. Sidman, W. J. Simmons, J. W. Needham, B. D. Jones, L. E. Gower, S. A. French, J. D. Faulk, W. V. Hamel, C. I. Rose, H. A. Jones and L. G. Reser.

Dr. A. P. George, representing the State Sunday School Association, was introduced and addressed the conference.

H. A. Jones in a few happy remarks presented Dr. T. H. Hagerty with a penholder made from the altar of the first church

built at Butler, while he was presiding elder of this District. Dr. Hagerty responded in a few well chosen words.

The Minutes were read and approved. The usual notices were given, and the session closed with the doxology and benediction.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference convened at 8:30 A. M., Bishop Warren presiding. W. A. Quayle conducted the devotional services.

A letter from F. B. Price and his wife, who are missionaries in Burma, India, was read to the Conference. E. P. Anderson was appointed to convey the greetings of the Conference to F. B. Price and his wife.

The report of the Board of Deaconesses was presented and adopted.

Bishop FitzGerald was introduced to the Conference.

S. B. Warner presented the work of the committee appointed last year, to draft a paper stating explicitly the requirements of the law of Missouri regarding church incorporation, forms of deeds, etc.

The Conference returned thanks to Judge J. E. Withrow and Hon. Seneca Taylor for their valuable services.

The committee on the equalization of the fare expenses of the pastors in attending Conference was presented and adopted. (See report).

O. M. Stewart, H. A. Jones and J. W. Stewart were elected as Standing committee.

Question VII. The Seventh Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been admitted into full membership?*

The class of the second year was called forward. After singing and prayer the class was addressed by the Bishop.

After having answered the usual disciplinary questions, the characters of Everett Simpson, Electious H. Sapp, Alfred G. Keast, Guy Z. Moore, DeKalb Burnham, Wm. T. Gatley and Wm. A. Brown passed; they were admitted in full membership and elected to Deacon's Orders.

Wm. A. Brown was also elected to Elder's Orders under the Missionary Rule.

Albert T. Maxwell was continued on trial in the class of the Second Year.

Question V. The Fifth Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been continued on trial?*

H. A. Mitchell and L. L. Brannon passed in character and were advanced to the class and studies of the Second Year.

The characters of P. A. Sample, W. O. Turrentine, C. F. Tippen passed and they were continued in the class and studies of the Second Year.

W. S. Bundy passed in character and was continued in the class of the First Year.

T. A. White passed in character and was discontinued at his own request.

Bro. S. H. Pye, Publisher of the Western Book Concern, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

The Stewards presented their report, and it was adopted. (See report).

Guy Z. Moore, just elected to Deacon's orders, being unexpectedly called home because of sickness, was ordained by Bishop FitzGerald, and the certificate of ordination was presented.

Question IX. The Ninth Question was taken up, viz: *Who are in studies of the Fourth Year?*

F. P. Leckliter, W. F. Martin, J. C. Bell and W. T. Ferguson passed in character and were advanced to the studies and class of the Fourth Year.

L. G. Adams, T. E. Prall, A. D. Burress. J. H. Porter, C. A. Mitchell and H. M. Gowan passed in character and they were continued in the class and studies of the Third Year.

Question X. The Tenth Question was taken up, viz: *What members have completed the Conference course of study?*

Wm. H. Yount, Lew E. Baldwin and H. G. Mullen passed in character and studies and were elected to Elder's orders.

A. M. Lehr, H. A. King and H. M. Risley were continued in the class and studies of the Fourth Year.

H. M. Risley was given the supernumerary relation.

Question XIII. The Thirteenth Question was resumed.

The following effective elders were called, their characters were passed and they reported, viz: J. H. Hurley, W. M. Creamer, G. J. Hunt, G. W. King, E. W. Elayer, W. T. Pare, B. F. January, F. S. Beggs.

The following committee on the Twentieth Century Thank Offering was appointed: T. E. Prall, D. W. Crow, G. H. Bradford, D. T. Simmons, G. H. Cosper, W. T. Gatley, H. L. Steves.

Notices were given, the journal was read and approved and the session closed with the doxology and benediction.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference assembled at 8:30 A. M., Bishop Warren presiding.

The devotional services were conducted by H. G. Mais.

The Statistical Secretary presented the Statistics, and the report was adopted. (See Statistics).

The Stewards presented additional report, which was adopted. (See report).

The following resolution was adopted:

Whereas: Our beloved and venerable brother, Geo. W. Hughey, D. D., has served the Church as an itinerant preacher for more than fifty years;

Resolved: That we request him to preach a semi-Centennial sermon at the next meeting of our Conference.

S. J. HEATON,
SAM'L WARNER,
G. J. HUNT,
J. W. STEWART.

Appointments of the Board of Church Extension, and to preach the Missionary Sermon, were made by the Bishop. (See miscellaneous appointments).

Reports on "Education," "Publishing Interests," "Benevolences," "Young People's Organizations," and "Woman's Work," were presented and adopted.

Miss Kemp, of the Fisk Training School, was introduced and spoke in reference to the school.

The following resolution from the Board of Examiners was presented and adopted:

Resolved: That we favor a course of lectures under the direction of the Board of Examiners at the annual sessions of our Conference, and that the hour from 2 to 3 P. M., daily, be set apart for this work; and the Board is authorized to have one pay lecture to assist in defraying the expense of such lecture course.

S. J. HEATON,
O. M. STEWART.

The officers of the Conference Educational Society were nominated and elected. (See miscellaneous appointments).

The report of Treasurer of Permanent Fund was presented and adopted. (See report).

Trustees of Permanent Fund, to serve three years, were chosen, viz: O. M. Stewart, E. J. Hunt, H. G. Mais.

F. P. Leckliter was elected to Elder's Orders under the Missionary rule.

Question XXX. The Thirtieth Question was taken up, viz: *Where shall the Next Conference be held?*

Marshall and Lamar were placed in nomination. After due representation, Marshall was selected.

Question XXII. The Twenty-second Question was taken up, viz: *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

A. C. Wright, A. H. Miller, G. S. Hatcher, J. S. Bitler, M. E. Coen, D. B. Jones and E. A. Squier passed in character and were continued in the Supernumerary relation.

L. E. Gower, Hervey Smith and I. M. Galbraith passed in character and were granted the Supernumerary relation.

J. W. Finley was granted the Effective relation.

It was requested of the Bishop that J. F. Corrington be appointed Financial Agent Twentieth Century Thank Offering, and T. H. Hagerty Chaplain to St. Louis City Institutions. Also, that D. C. Dorchester, A. D. Burress and James Potter be left without appointment to attend one of our schools.

Question. V. The Fifth Question was resumed.

J. E. Hall, Ed Turrentine, Zed Wright and Frank Neff passed in character, were continued on trial and advanced to the Second Year.

D. C. Dorchester passed, was continued on trial in the class and studies of the First Year.

Maurice F. Murphy passed in character and was announced as transferred.

L. H. Murlin, President Baker University, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Question XI. The Eleventh Question was taken up, viz: *What others have been elected and ordained Deacons?*

J. C. Kirk was elected to Deacon's Orders as a Local Preacher.

The Bishop read a letter of cordial greeting to the Conference from Bishop J. H. Vincent, and the Secretary was directed to make a suitable response.

Robert S. Rutledge was, on due recommendation, received on trial from the M. E. Church, South, and his election to Deacon's Orders by that Church was recognized. He was placed in the class and studies of the First Year.

Question XXIII. The Twenty-third Question was taken up, viz: *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

The characters of J. B. Van Petten, E. H. Baird, Isaac Entwisle, L. R. Carpenter, Stanford Ing, H. A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Joseph Harris, J. S. Harris, John Welch, T. S. Benefiel, M. B. Wood, L. W. Munsell, Alanson Barber, J. S. Porter, Henry Threfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, N. H. Buck, J. N. Pierce, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, C. B. Beaty and D. C. Ridgway passed and they were continued in this relation. Several of these brethren spoke encouragingly and feelingly to the Conference.

The minutes were read and approved. Notices were given and the session closed with the Benediction.

FIFTH DAY.

SUNDAY, 9:00 A. M.

Love Feast.—The Love Feast services began at 9 A. M., E. J. Hunt presiding. After the opening devotions one hundred and twenty-four persons gave testimony for Christ.

Ordination.—At 10:15 there were eight young men consecrated to the office of Deacon in the church.

Sermon.—At 10:30 Bishop H. W. Warren preached from Heb. 2:17. The sermon was fresh, fervid, inspiring and adapted to the Easter Sabbath.

Ordination.—The ordination of four young men as Elders took place at 2:30 p. m.

Memorial Service.—The memorial service followed the ordination of Elders, G. A. Glens presiding.

The memoirs of Mrs. Temple Foster and Mrs. A. J. Gaither were read, and the services closed with prayer.

Anniversary.—At 7:30 the Educational Society held its Anniversary, S. J. Heaton presiding. Bishop Warren and President L. H. Murlin addressed the meeting.

SIXTH DAY.

MONDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference met at 8:30 A. M., Bishop Warren presiding.

The devotional services were conducted by the Bishop.

The Triers of Appeals were appointed.

(See miscellaneous appointments).

The following Reports were adopted, viz: "Reforms," "Auditing," "20th Century Thank Offering."

Bro. Gamble, by invitation, spoke in reference to his publications.

J. J. Martin, by invitation, represented Carlton College.

L. G. Reser represented Marionville Collegiate Institute.

C. C. James was appointed on the Board of Examiners in place of A. M. Billingsley, transferred.

Question IV. The Fourth Question was taken up, viz: *Who are admitted on trial?*

Harry G. Humphrey, Thomas H. Temple, Harry C. Leonard, Geo. E. Tuttle, Wm. L. Requa, Adelbert M. Crippen, Lewis L. Thomas and Robt. S. Rutledge.

It was ordered to request, through the Secretary, the restoration of the credentials of Lewis L. Thomas from the Michigan Conference.

A. M. Lehr was granted the Supernumerary relation. E. A. Squier was granted the Effective relation.

The subscription for the publication of the minutes was taken.

The Secretary was directed to send letters of greeting and

cheer to all Missionaries who have been connected with our Conference, whether in foreign or home fields.

The orders of the following were duly recognized, viz:

David E. Barrett and Nathan Akins as Deacons from the M. E. Church South, Jos. Willard as Deacon from the Meth. Prot. Ch., David L. Walker, as Deacon from the Baptist Ch., and Wm. Semple as Elder from the Presbyterian Church.

The Bishop was requested to re-appoint R. T. Smith as Conference Evangelist.

The Boards of "Church Extension," "Deaconesses" and "Church Location," and the District Missionary Secretaries were appointed (See Miscellaneous app't's).

The report on Domestic Missions was read and approved (See Reports).

A collection for the Janitor was taken amounting to $17.07.

The Treasurer presented his report, which was approved.

The Bishop announced transfers from and into the Conference (See Disciplinary Questions).

H. L. Steves, on behalf of the St. Louis District, in a few well chosen words presented S. B. Warner, the retiring Presiding Elder, by transfer, with a suitable golden memento of their mutual happy relations, and Brother Warner responded in the spirit of true friendship.

The following resolutions were presented and adopted by a rising vote:

1. We greatly admire the tenderness, courtesy, wisdom and dignified manliness with which Bishop Warren has presided over our Conference and Cabinet sessions. The responsive heart of this Conference says of Bishop Warren, we honor the office, we love the man, we exalt the tact and tenderness, the spirit, and inspiration of his character and administration, and with one voice and heart we desire his return and assure him a most hearty and universal welcome.

2. To the Secretaries we are greatly indebted. We appreciate their labor and sacrifices, and promise them more and more abundantly our personal and careful co-operation.

3. We record also our appreciations and our great obligations for the excellencies and completeness of every provision made for our welcome and comfort during the delightful session of this Conference.

4. We return to the pastor of this church, Rev. Wm. F. Jones, and his official board and also the kind families who have so generously entertained

us, our sincere gratitude for these unspeakable blessings we have so richly enjoyed.

5. We assure these friends that we carry away not only a continuous picture of this architectural and beautiful church in our memories, but also sincere gratitude in our hearts prompting us to better labors and prayer that God's blessing may abide upon all the pastors, churches, families and kind people of Butler.

The Journal was read and approved. After the reading of the scriptures the hymn beginning:

"And let our bodies part,
To different climes repair,"

was sung and the Bishop offered prayer and made a brief address.

The appointments were read and the Annual Session of the Conference closed, adjourning *sine die* with the Benediction.

Henry W. Warren

President.

William Stephens.

Secretary.

THE APPOINTMENTS.

(*Supplies in Italics.*)

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

ELI P. ANDERSON, P. E., 3. Carthage, Mo., 515 W. Macon St.

Avilla..... *Carlton Cotton* 1
Butler.....Wm. F. Jones 5
Butler Ct.....Basil E. Niblack 2
Carl Junction....Geo. H. Gideon 1
Carterville.....Henry C. Mullen 1
Carthage.....John W. Stewart 6
Carthage Ct.... *Walter F. Grigg* 1
Golden City..... *E. T. Rice* 1
Hume and Foster.... Jas. C. Bell 2
Iantha..... ....*Wm. Caskey* 2
Jasper and Mt. Moriah
Wm. T. Ferguson 1
JOPLIN:
Byers Av.....Perry E. Pierce 3
Central Av.....To be supplied
First Church..Robt. P. Hammons 2
Mission.....To be supplied
Lamar ... .Geo. H. Cosper 2
Liberal.....Edward D. C. Koeth 1
Moundville.... DeKalb Burnham 2
Neosho.... .... Wm. Leatherman 2
Nashville..... Guy Z. Moore 2
Nevada .....Scott F. Stevens 1
Oronogo.....*J. C. Kirk* 3
Pineville.....*C. L. Oswald* 1
Rich Hill.....Wm. T. Pyles 2
Sarcoxie ..... Everett Simpson 2
Seneca .....Jno. J. Janssen 2
Sheldon .....To be supplied
Webb City .....Electious H. Sapp 4

Robt. T. Smith, Conference Evangelist—member of Carthage Quarterly Conference.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

A. D. BALL, P. E., 3. De Soto, Mo.

Advance.....*D. L. Walker* 1
Belgrade and Palmer ..*D. P. Cole* 1
Birch Tree and Fishertown
H. J. Barney 1
Bismark.....*A. J. May* 1
Bloomfield.... ..... John Ashley 4
Bloomfield Ct.....*J. H. Poe* 1
Bonne Terre.....*T. F. Soule* 1
Cross Roads .....*F. M. Sides* 1
De Soto.....David W. Crow 3
De Soto Ct .....*R. H. Shute* 1
Dexter..... *Everett Maynard* 1
Doe Run.....*R. J. Brewer* 1
Farmington.....John S. Meracle 1
Festus.....*J. T. Maynard* 2
Flat River..... *J. W. Stover* 1
Fruitland....Wm. R. McCormack 2
Ironton..... *J. O. Peterson* 1
Koshkonong.....Jno. L. Nations 1
Leemon.....To be supplied
Lutesville.....*T. G. Peterson* 1
Mt. View.....To be supplied
Puxico.....Rob't. S. Rutledge 1
Perryville.....*Edwin Ward* 2
West Plains.....Harry White 2
West Plains Ct....*J. M. Willard* 1
Willow Springs....*J. L. Medsker* 1
Winona.....To be supplied

A. D. Burress left without appointment to attend one of our schools. Member of Farmington Quarterly Conference.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

W. T. WRIGHT, P. E., 4. 511 E. 31st St., Kansas City, Mo.

Adrian.....John E. Hall 2
Austin.....To be supplied
Belton.....George E. Glens 1
Centreview.....*Wm. F. Baker* 1
Cleveland.....To be supplied
Drexel.....Thos. H. Temple 2
East Lynne... *D. Wesley Britton* 1
Harrisonville.....To be supplied
Holden..... ...Jno. J. Martin 1
Independence..Lewis L. Thomas 1
KANSAS CITY:
Arlington.....Sam'l. J. Heaton 4
Bennington Heights
Samuel Warner 2
Dundee Place..Benj. F. Crissman 2
Grace Church.John E. Thackrey 2
KANSAS CITY (continued):
Grand Avenue...Wm. A. Quayle 2
Hammond Place..Jno. N. Moore 2
Howard Memorial
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H. A. King and P. A. Sample left without appointments to attend one of our schools and members of Oakley and Independence Quarterly Confs., respectively.

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J. F. Corrington, Agent Twentieth Century Thank Offering; D. C. Dorchester left without appointment to attend school; members of Lindell Avenue Quarterly Conference.

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Jno. H. Gillespie, Missionary to Wyoming, 13th year.

Chas. E. Coons, Missionary in Kalispell Mission California.

Jas. Potter left without appointment to attend one of our schools; member of First Church, Quarterly Conference, Sedalia.

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Frank P. Leckliter, Missionary to Montana.

CERTIFICATES OF ORDINATION.

THIS certifies that in Butler, Mo., on Sunday, March 30, 1902, I ordained J. Caleb Kirk, Robert S. Rutledge, Alfred G. Keast, Everett Simpson, Thos. P. Shaffer, Electious H. Sapp, Wm. Gatley and DeKalb Burnham, *Deacons*; and on the same day and in the same place, by aid of Elders present, Henry C. Mullen, Lewis E. Baldwin, Wm. H. Yount and Frank P. Leckliter, *Elders*; according to the ritual of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Henry W. Warren.

Butler, Mo., March 31, 1902.

This is to certify that at Butler, Missouri, on the 28th day of March, in the year of our Lord 1902, I ordained as deacon Guy Z. Moore. JAMES N. FITZGERALD.

Butler, Mo., March 28, 1902.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

1—*Who have been received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*

Jno. E. Thackrey, from Kansas Conference; Geo. H. Bradford, Mo.; Wm. A. Quayle, Indiana; Harrison M. Gowan, Col. River; Frank W. Luce, U. Iowa; S. F. Stevens and S. S. Martin, S. Kan.

2—*Who have been Readmitted?*

None.

3—*Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?*

Albert J. McCulloch from M. E. Church, South; Rob't. S. Rutledge, M. E. Church, South; (Prob. 1st year).

4—*Who have been Received on Trial?*

(*a*) *In Studies of First Year.*

Rob't. S. Rutledge, Harry G. Humphrey, Thos. H. Temple, Harry C. Leonard, Geo. E. Tuttle, Wm. L. Requa, Adelbert M. Crippen, *Lewis L. Thomas.

(*b*) *In Studies of Third Year.*

None.

5—*Who have been Continued on Trial?*

(*a*) *In Studies of First Year.*

W. S. Bundy, D. C. Dorchester.

(*b*) *In the Studies of Second Year.*

H. A. Mitchell, L. L. Brannon. P. A. Sample, W. O. Turrentine, C. F. Tippen, Albert T. Maxwell, J. E. Hall, Edward Turrentine, Zed Wright, Frank Neff.

(*c*) *In Studies of Third Year.*

None.

(*d*) *In Studies of Fourth Year.*

None.

6—*Who have been Discontinued?*

T. A. White at his request.

7—*Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*

(*a*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.*

Everett Simpson, Electious H. Sapp, A. G. Keast, Thos. P. Shaffer, Guy Z. Moore, DeKalb Burnham, Wm. T. Gatley, Wm. A. Brown, (not ordained).

*Excused from Studies.

(*b*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.*

None.

8—*What Members are in Studies for Third Year?*

(*a*) *Admitted into Full Membership this year.*

Everett Simpson, Electious H. Sapp, A. G. Keast, Thos. P. Shaffer, Guy Z. Moore, DeKalb Burnham, Wm. T. Gatley, Wm. A. Brown.

(*b*) *Admitted into Full Membership previously.*

L. G. Adams, T. E. Prall, A. D. Burress, J. H. Porter, C. A. Mitchell, H. M. Gowan.

9—*What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?*

Francis P. Leckliter, Wm. F. Martin, Jas. C. Bell, Wm. T. Ferguson, A. M. Lehr, H. A. King, H. M. Risley.

10—*What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

(*a*) *Elected and Ordained Elders this year.*

W. H. Yount, L. E. Baldwin, H. C. Mullen.

(*b*) *Elected and Ordained Elders previously.*

None.

11—*What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*

(*a*) *As Local Preachers.*

J. C. Kirk, Rob't. S. Rutledge.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule.*

None.

12—*What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?*

(*a*) *As Local Deacons.*

None.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule.*

Wm. A. Brown (not ordained), Francis P. Leckliter.

13—*Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?*

This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open conference.

14—*Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?*

J. F. Rainer (4th year) to N. W. Ind. Conf.; J. T. Keenan, W. H. Hormel, S. Ill.; C. E. Heaton, Okla.; Chas. Burns, Neb.; J. D. Faulk, B. F. Thomas, Frank Lenig and A. T. Maxwell (2nd year) S. Kan.; A. J. Bruner, N. W. Iowa; A. M. Billingsley, U. Iowa;

W. J. Pyle, Iowa; J. H. Adams, S. B Warner, A. J. McCulloch, Colo.; Wm. A. Brown (3rd year), Malaysia Miss. Conf.; M. F. Murphy (1st year), Detroit.

15—*Who have Died?*

None.

16—*Who have been Located at their own Request?*

None.

17—*Who have been Located?*

None.

18—*Who have Withdrawn?*

None.

19—*Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*

None.

20—*Who have been Expelled?*

None.

21—*What other personal Notation should be made?*

The orders as Deacons of David E. Barrett and Nathan Akins from the M. E. Church South; Joseph Willard from the Meth. Prot. Church; David Walker from the Baptist Church and of Wm. Semple as Elder from the Pres. Church, were duly recognized.

22—*Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

A. C. Wright, A. H. Miller, G. S. Hatcher, J. S. Bitler, M. E. Coen, D. B. Jones, H. M. Risley, I. M. Galbraith, Hervey Smith, L. E. Gower.

23—*Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

J. V. Van Petten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, Stanford Ing, Isaac Entwisle, H. A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Joseph Harris, J. S. Harris, John Welch, T. S. Benefiel, M. B. Wood, L. W. Munsell, Alanson Barber, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, T. H. Knease, Sam'l Jones, J. N. Pierce, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, C. B. Beaty, D. C. Ridgway, N. H. Buck.

24—*Who are the Triers of Appeals?*

J. W. Stewart, L. M. Thompson, W. V. Hamel, W. R. McCormack, G. J. Hunt, Sam'l Warner, F. W. Luce.

25—*What is the Statistical Report for this year?*

See Statistical Tables.

26—*What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?*

$17,902.

27—*What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*

$8,575.

28—*What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?*

$3,188.58. See Steward's Report.

29—*Where are the Preachers Stationed?*

See Appointments.

30—*Where shall the Next Conference be held?*

Marshall, Mo.

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McKee, Mrs. Rachel	51 Hendricks St., Ft. Wayne, Ind	60
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Morris, Mrs. Jane	Rolla, Mo	30
Mortland, Mrs. R. B	2404 Brooklyn Ave, Kansas City, Mo	65
Munsell, L. W	Winona, Mo	100
Oechsli, Frank	Baldwin, Kans	52
Porter, J. S	Knobnoster, Mo	102
Porter, Mrs. L. A	Rich Hill, Mo	50
Ridgway, D. C	Troy, Ohio	100
Sallaway, Mrs. M. E.	Smithton, Mo	95
Stickney, F. M	Eldon, Mo	50
Threlfall, Henry	Galena, Mo	90
Toland, H. A	Sheridan, Wyo	40
Walker, Mrs. C. B	Marionville, Mo	60
Welch, John	Eldorado Springs, Mo	75
Wood, M. B	Sheldon, Ill	60
Beatty, Mrs. W. M	Marshall, Mo	77

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J. W. Stewart, L. M. Thompson, W. V. Hamel, W. R. McCormack, G. J. Hunt, F. W. Luce, Sam'l. Warner.

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ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE.

Scheme of Studies for Undergraduates.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the studies of the four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference for undergraduates, and all examinations in the course *must* be taken in the months June, September, December, February.

Any candidate for admission on trial will be granted examination at any time at the request of his P. E.

MONTH	FIRST YEAR.	SECOND YEAR.	THIRD YEAR.	FOURTH YEAR
April. May. JUNE.	Harmon's Introduction, O. T. pp. 1-447. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Ritual of the M. E Church, — The Governing Conference. — Meth. Review.	Harmon, N. T., pp. 448-770—Essay. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Methodism, Vol. I.—The Modern S. S — Methodist Review	Hermeneutics.—Descriptive Psychology, TO BE READ, etc.—History of Methodism, Vol. II,—Historic Episcopate, — Methodist Review.	Christian Ethics,—Essay. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Methodism, Vol, III,—Butler's Analogy—Methodist Review.
July. August. SEPT.	Christian Purity,—Dicipline 1900, Parts I-V. TO BE READ, etc.—From the Himalayas to the Equator,—Christian Science and other Superstitions—Methodist Review.	One Thousand Questions on Methodism,—Discipline (1900) Part VI to end. TO BE READ, etc.—Future Retribution, — Digest of Methodist Law, —Methodist Review.	The Land of Israel TO BE READ, etc.—Supernatural Book,--Hymn Studies. — Methodist Review.	Sociology. TO BE READ, etc.—Son of Man,—Life and Epistles of St. Paul.— Methodist Review.
October. November. DEC.	Rhetoric--Preparation and Delivery of a Sermon, Parts I-II,--Miley Vol I. TO BE READ etc.—History M. E. Church Vol. II—Eccl. Architecture Asbury's Journals, Vol. I,—Methodist Review.	Logic,--Outlines of Gen'l History,—Miley, Vol. II. TO BE READ, etc.—Christian Archaeology, — History Meth. Ep. Ch., Vol. III,—Introduction to N. T., —Asbury's Journals, Vol. II,—Methodist Review.	Exegetical Studies in the Pentateuch, -Extemporaneous Oratory, —History of the Christion Church, Vol. I TO BE READ, etc.—History of the M. E. Ch.. Vol. IV, Asbury's Journals Vol. III.—Methodist Review.	Exegetical Studies in Isaiah-Foundation of the Christian Faith—History of the Christian Ch., Vol. II. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Rationalism (Rev. Ed.) —Methodist Review.
January. FEB.	Sermon (Written). TO BE READ, etc.—Problem of Rel. Progress,—Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I, Ser. 1-33,—Methodist Review.	Preparation and delivery of a Sermon, Parts III-V. TO BE READ, etc.—Wesley's Ser. Vol. I, Ser. 34-58,—Methodist Review.	Written Sermon. TO BE READ, etc.—Political Economy, — Methodist Review.	TO BE READ, etc.—For. Missions of Protestant Ch.,—Supplementary History of Meth—Methodist Review.

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I. The Essays prescribed by the Discipline are to be prepared during the earlier half of the year; the sermons during the latter half.

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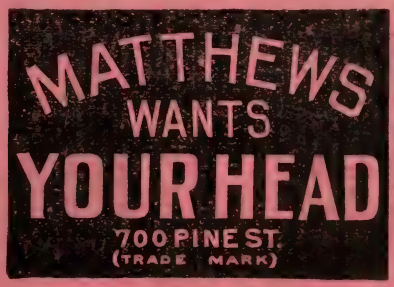

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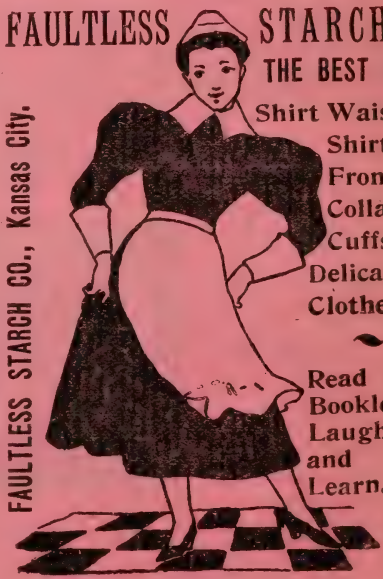

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IV. We urge with all possible earnestness upon our young men, by the diligent use of their books, the formation and cultivation of habits of reflection, reading and faithful study. We are voicing the sentiments of the Conference when we say that no excuse whatever will hereafter be taken for failure in this direction. We recognize the fact that no amount of book-knowledge will make a minister; but at the same time it must be remembered that a great deal of book-knowledge is necessary for large success and that in this age, and in view of the intellectual opportunities and appliances of our time, no man can justify the claim that he is "called to preach" unless he makes constant effort to obey the directions given by St. Paul to Timothy, and through him to all ministers of every age: "Give heed to reading, to exhortation, to teaching. Neglect not the gift that is in thee—meditate upon these things—take heed unto thyself and unto the doctrine—give diligence to present thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not be ashamed, handling aright the worth of truth. Do the work of an evangelist; *make full proof of thy ministry.*"

WILLIAM T. SCOTT, Chairman.
WILLIAM STEPHENS, Registrar.
Board of Examiners.

N. B. Examiners and their work will be found elsewhere. See Page 118.

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons.*	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevolences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av.K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

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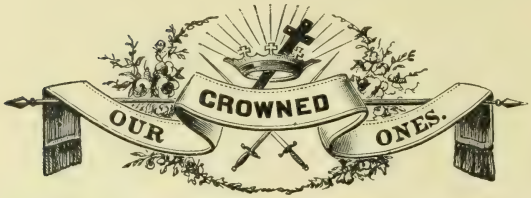
33	1901, March 20	Bolivar	Andrews ...	Wm. Stephens...	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	6	3	11	3	6	3	....	20	2	3	32,338	18,815
34	1902, March 26	Butler	Warren.....	Wm. Stephens...	P. E. Pierce	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	8	8	9	7	4	....	....	17	1	....	32,573	22,189

Apportionment of Benevolences to Districts for Ensuing Year.

The following is the distribution for the benevolent and other collections apportioned to St. Louis Conference to be raised this year, as directed and made by the Presiding Elders.

DISTRICTS.	Missions.	Church Ext'n.	Conference Claimants.	S. S. Union.	Tract Society.	Freedman's Aid & S. E. S.	Education.	Episcopal Fund.
Carthage	$1900	$324	$ 420	$ 54	$ 54	$300	$230	$152
Farmington	600	108	140	18	18	100	85	51
Kansas City	4300	810	1050	135	135	750	580	378
Lebanon	975	188	245	31	31	175	150	88
Sedalia	1700	297	385	50	50	275	225	138
Springfield	1400	270	350	45	45	250	190	126
St. Louis	3900	703	910	117	117	650	540	327
Conference	$14775	$2700	$3500	$450	$450	$2500	$2000	$1260

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Travelling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	1832	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj. F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark.	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

In Memoriam.—Continued.

Robert J. Fleming..	1886	Aug. 28, '94	Seattle, Wash....	34	Effective	8
Benj. F. Poole.....	1875	Nov. 25, '94	St. Louis, Mo....	43	Effective	19
Thos. M. Durham..	1872	July 30, '95	Irwin, Mo.....	49	Supernumerary..	23
Rolan Moffat.....	1851	Aug. 27, '95	Washburn, Mo ..	80	Superannuated ..	44
Erastus A. Porter....	1872	Oct. 21, '95	Rich Hill, Mo....	50	Superannuated ..	23
James W. Cowden..	1866	Aug. 23, '96	Lebanon, Mo....	72	Superannuated ..	39
Wilbur G. Williams..	1876	Apr. 16, '97	St. Louis, Mo....	44	Effective..	20
William Jones.....	1863	Jan. 1, '98	Kansas City, Mo	64	Effective..	34
Francis Ballaine....	1880	Aug. 15. '98	Horine, Mo.....	65	Superannuated..	18
Jacob Miller....	1859	Apr. 16, '99	Kelleyville, I. T.	73	Superannuated ..	40
Cyrus Brough..	1878	May 8, '99	St. Louis. Mo...	52	Superannuated ..	21
William M. Beatty..	1887	Sept. 17, '99	Marshall, Mo....	51	Effective	12
Harry M. Hackney..	1875	Dec. 3, '99	Ashland, Neb....	50	Superannuated ..	24
James H. Vaughn..	1859	Apr. 15, 1900	St. Clair Co., Mo.	80	Superannuated ..	41
James B. Daniel...	1867	Aug. 28, 1900	Sedalia, Mo.....	65	Superannuated ..	33
Albert Jump.....	1877	Jan. 5, 1901	Holden, Mo.....	60	Effective	24

MEMOIRS.

Mrs. M. J. Gaither.

Mrs. M. J. Gaither, widow of the Rev. A. J. Gaither, an old time member of the St. Louis Conference, died at the home of her daughter in Kansas City, Mo., at the age of sixty-five.

Several months ago she was stricken with paralysis, which culminated March 25th, 1902, in her death.

Sister Gaither was a good woman and looked forward with vigorous faith to the life beyond. The funeral services were conducted by the pastor of Grand Avenue Church.

The body was placed in the beautiful Elmwood Cemetery.

W. A. QUAYLE.

Mrs. Tempie Foster.

Tempie Sallaway, daughter of the late Rev. A. P. Sallaway, was born in Suttersville, Md., Oct. 13th, 1865, and died at Green Ridge, Mo., Nov. 1st, 1901.

Born in a Methodist parsonage, reared under godly influence, she early gave her life to the Lord and her services to the church. While she was yet a babe her parents removed to Missouri and here she grew to womanhood.

Jan. 26th, 1890, she was married to Rev. Geo. M. Foster, of the St. Louis Conference. As the wife of an itinerant preacher, she moved from one parsonage to another, always gentle, helpful and patient. Where opportunity afforded she served in that important and trying position—superintendent of the Junior Epworth League; she also worked in the Sunday School, endearing herself to her class.

Sister Foster was a woman of forceful character with the courage of

her convictions; but she had been frail in body for several years and the grim visitor that must come to all came to her when typhoid attacked her weakened body.

In the early stages of the fever she said to a friend, "I know it will be all right, it does not matter what happens." Soon unconciousness came and with aching hearts the friends watched by her bedside. Just before the end came she revived and asked them to sing "Jesus Lover of My Soul," joining with the singers until speech was gone; and then, with a lingering look at husband and daughter, the eyes closed to open in glory. A father and brother had preceded her to the eternal home and now she waits with them, while the aged mother lifts her sightless eyes to the hills whence cometh her help, and the husband and daughter are left to labor on for a season in the earthly vineyard.

GEO. A. GLENS.

EXAMINERS AND THEIR WORK FOR 1902.

SUBJECT FOR ESSAY, "The Elements in the Christian Religion not found in other Religions"

THEME FOR SERMONS—The "Parable of the Unjust Steward."

G. J. HUNT—English Branches; Larger Catechism; Doctrinal Aspects.

H. A. JONES—Christian Perfection; Land of Israel.

F. S. BEGGS—Christian Purity; English and American Literature.

C. C. JAMES—History of M. E. Church, Vol. 1, Smaller Scripture History.

L. M. THOMPSON—Harmon's Introduction, FIRST and SECOND years.

J. W. STEWART—Systematic Theology, Vol. 1.

W. K. COLLINS—Life of Wesley; Hermeneutics.

D. W. CROW—Discipline 1900, FIRST and SECOND years.

M. S. HUGHES—Rhetoric; Christian Ethics.

M. L. CURL—Preparation and Delivery of a Sermon, FIRST and SECOND years.

S. J. HEATON—Systematic Theology, Vol. II.

J. S. MERACLE—Logic; Introduction to Sociology.

R. T. SMITH—Outlines of Universal History.

B. D. JONES—One Thousand Questions on Methodism; Student American History.

SAMUEL WARNER—Exegetical Studies, THIRD and FOURTH years; Extemporaneous Oratory.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK—Descriptive Psychology.

J. J. MARTIN—History of the Christian Church, THIRD and FOURTH years.

O. M. STEWART—Foundations of the Christian Faith.

W. T. SCOTT—Essays, ADMISSION, SECOND and FOURTH years.

WM. STEPHENS—All Syllabi (portions of each book will be assigned by him) and all Sermons.

N. B. At the earliest possible moment let each EXAMINER send to the chairman the needed number of sets of questions for the books assigned him.

Students will apply ONLY to the CHAIRMAN for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months. Let claims for college credits be presented at once to the chairman.

W. T. SCOTT, Chairman.
WM. STEPHENS, Registrar.

REPORTS.

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE at its session in March, 1902.

William Stephens.

Secretary.

Auditing.

We report that the accounts of the Conference Secretary, Treasurer, Stewards and Presiding Elders have been carefully examined, and approved.

W. T. PYLES, Chairman.

Benevolences.

We desire to emphasize the importance of the benevolent enterprises of our church. Every one of them appeals to our highest endeavor in its behalf. Loyalty demands their faithful presentation to all our people in compliance with the terms of our discipline. Success waits upon the hearty co-operation of everyone who has said "I will" at the portal of our beloved church. Blessings will surely follow from Him that sat and still sits over against the treasury.

MISSIONS.

As to the sons of God, we believe in the conversion of the world; as the sons of Wesley we are moving into our parish. With profound gratitude we record a substantial increase in the Missionary Collection this year. In the spirit of consecration we offer another—the fourth in recent years—of our beloved sons to the noble band that represents us in the distant fields. We deplore the necessity that compelled our General Missionary Committee to make a reduction in the Missionary appropriations, and implore the Great Head of the church to bestow upon us the spirit of greater sacrifice. We recommend the use of the plans and literature devised by our General officers and pledge ourselves loyally to stand behind those in the front.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

We rejoice in the continued prosperity of this strong arm of the church. With persistent vigor it is reaching out to the mountains, the plains, and the cities, laying the foundations from which are springing into form and life forces that will endure and work forever. We congratulate the church at large on the great success of this work in all its history. As a Confer-

ence we are able to report an advance in the collections for this cause. We appreciate the substantial aid we have received from this society in the past, and confidently expect to be remembered in the future. *Christianity in Earnest* with its quarterly visits still leads our publications in the reliable information it imparts and the inspiration it arouses.

FREEDMAN'S AID AND SOUTHERN EDUCATION.

We recognize the stupendous task that confronts us in this society. The ten millions of destitute black people form cloud-portending danger to the Republic. We hail with joy every beam of intellectual and spiritual light directed into it. We cannot doubt the ultimate result when led by Him, who "hath made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth." We urge that the full apportionment to our conference for this society be surely raised. We recommend the wisdom of retrenchment in the expenses in the administration of the affairs of this cause, and the foresight that speaks through the *Christian Educator* and the establishment of the Lincoln Birthday Offering.

TRACTS.

Believing that the efficiency of the religious tract is not fully estimated at its full value, we ask that it be tested during the coming Conference year. We recommend that the pastors avail themselves of the liberal offer of the Tract society and send the white-winged messengers on their errand of education and salvation.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

Too much stress cannot be laid upon the importance of organizing more Sunday Schools and building up numerically those already existing. Methodism was the first and has led in this great movement. We must not grow weary in well doing. No other church is so well equipped with appliances and literature for this work. No other people can command a more devoted spirit. We sincerely and earnestly implore our pastors and people to bring all to the Sunday School, or where this is personally impracticable, to take the Sunday School to them,—through the Home Department.

B. F. THOMAS, Chairman.
C. R. CARLOS, Secretary.

Board of Deaconesses.

We report that Miss Winnie L. Freeman was recommended for consecration, and was duly consecrated in Grand Avenue church, Kansas City, Mo., by Bishop Henry W. Warren, March 18, 1902.

We rejoice in the prospect of the location of a National Deaconess Training School in Kansas City, Mo., and if the management shall deem it wise to do so, we recommend its authorization by the General Board.

We rejoice also in the growing interest in the Deaconess work, and

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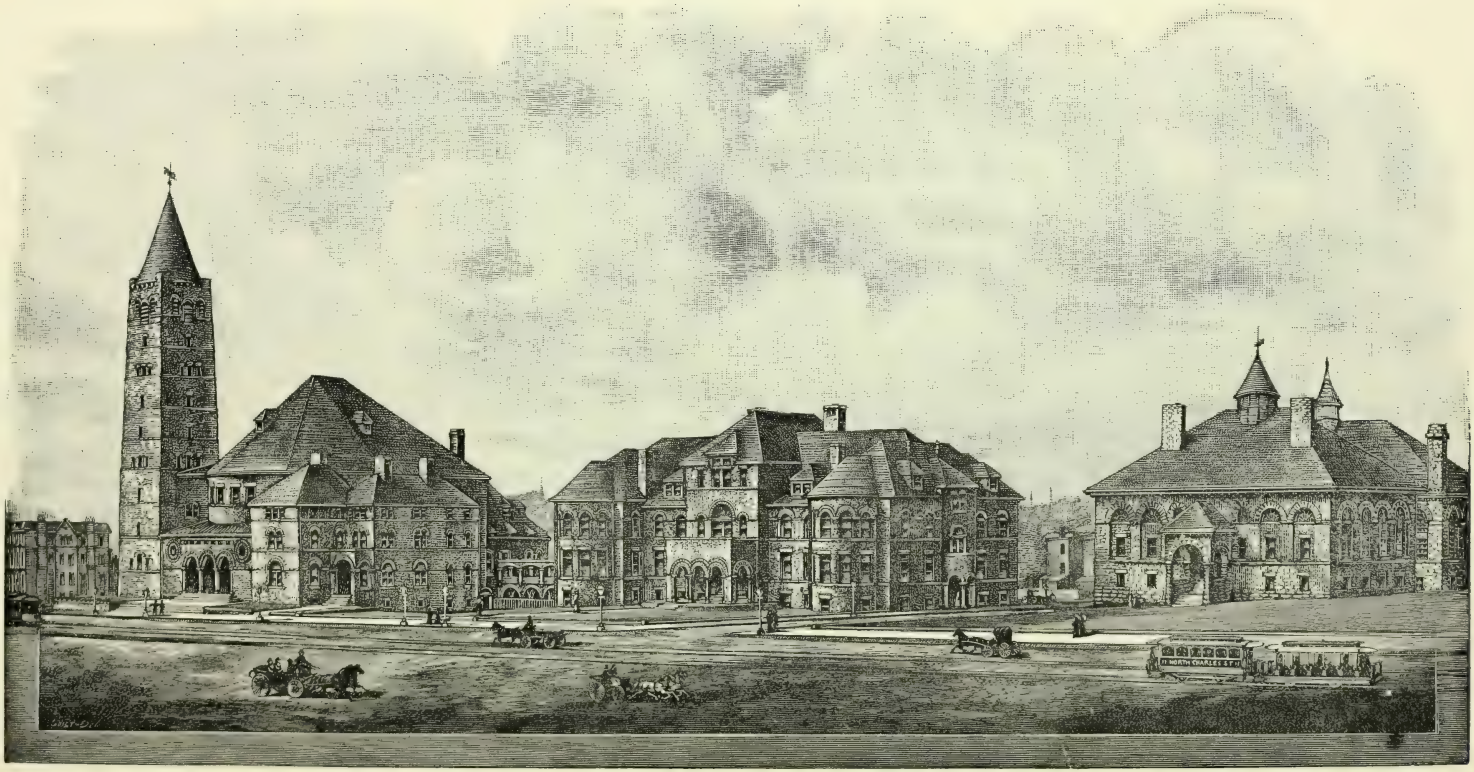

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THE WOMAN'S COLLEGE OF BALTIMORE.

SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF CAMPUS.

request the General Board to authorize the location of a Deaconess Institution in St. Louis, Mo.

W. T. WRIGHT, President.

SAMUEL WARNER Secretary.

Church Insurance.

We are very much gratified with the success achieved by our Board of Church Insurance during the past year, as the business has increased 40 per cent and now aggregates over fourteen and a half million dollars. Of the 117 losses every dollar has been paid, and at the same time has paid a dividend of 10 per cent. Of the 12,000 policy holders about 6000 were without protection until our company came to their relief—not being able to meet the terms of stock companies. Still many churches and parsonages remain uninsured.

We would therefore insist upon a compliance with the discipline and common sense, and see to it that every dollars' worth of our church property is properly protected without delay. Write H. P. Magee, 57 Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

M. L. CURL,
W. T. PYLES,
T. P. SHAFFER.

Domestic Missions.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Butler Circuit, $32; Central Ave., Joplin, $60; Missions, Joplin, $40; Liberal, $42; Neosho, $200; Oronogo, $40; Pineville, $32; Seneca, $44; Total $490.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

To the District, $100; Advance, $20; Belgrade and Palmer, $20; Birch Tree and Fishertown, $32; Bismark, $40; Bonne Terre; $50; Bloomfield Circuit, $20; Cross Roads, $20; Dexter, $20; Festus, 60; Flat River, $50; Fruitland, $100; Ironton, $50; Koshkonong, $30; Lutesville, $50; Mt. View, $30; Perryville, $50; West Plains Circuit, $30; Willow Springs, $50; Winona, $25. Total $847.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Belton, $80; Centreview, $40; Harrisonville, $78; Bennington Heights, $80; Hammond Place, $80; Linwood Avenue, $80; Pleasant Hill, $60. Total $498.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

To the District, $120; Ava, $20; California, $50; Buffalo Circuit, $20; Iberia, $36; Licking, $40; Newburg and Dixon, $30; Phillipsburg, $50; Richland, $40; Seymour, $50; Wheatland, $72. Total $528.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Goode ave., $75; St. Luke's, $75; Pacific, $50; Cuba $50; Sullivan, $50; Jennings and Baden, $50; Tuxedo and Shrewsbury, $75; Harlem Place, $68; Total $493.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

El Dorado Springs, $80; Higginsville, $40; La Monte, $40; Lincoln and Warsaw, $40; Lowry City, $38; Marshall, $100; Odessa, $40; Rockville, $50; Sedalia, Epworth, $80; Windsor and Warsaw, $40. Total $548.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $28; Aurora, $40; Billings, $44; Bolivar ct., $28; Cassville, $24; Dadeville, $20; Galena, $30; Greenfield, $52; Humansville, $20; Marionville ct., $36; Peirce City and Purdy, $25; Daily, $50; Mt. Carmel, $100; Taneyville, $56; Springfield ct., $20. Total $573.

I approve the above missions and appropriations.

Henry W. Warren

E. P. ANDERSON, Secretary.

Equalization.

Your committee on the equalization of traveling expenses present the following:

Resolved: That this Conference appoint a standing committee whose duty shall be to arrange for the equalization of railroad fare of pastors and members of this Conference in coming and returning from Conference sessions; that such equalization be made effective by this committee, beginning at our next Conference session.

O. M. STEWART, President.

H. A. JONES, Secretary.

Education.

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY.

The continued and increasing success of our great national University enterprise is a source of gratification to Christian patriots of all denominations.

OUR THEOLOGICAL SCHOOLS.

We welcomed the presence and words of President Charles J. Little, of Garrett Biblical Institute, and Prof. S. F. Upham, of Drew Theological Seminary. We recognize the increasing importance of these institutions and rejoice in the quality of their work and number of their students. It is a matter of rejoicing that our Church maintains a full supply of ministers for its pulpits.

THE WOMANS' COLLEGE OF BALTIMORE.

The attention of parents is called to the splendid facilities and high standing of this institution. We commend it without qualification as a school for young women who desire the best advantages for a finished education.

CENTRAL WESLEYAN COLLEGE.

This college continues its excellent work of past years. With an attendance approximating 300, and a productive endowment of $75,000 its work and prospects entitle it to the confidence and patronage of the people of our territory. This College is no longer a German but an English College, as all departments save the Theological employ the English language.

CARLETON COLLEGE.

Carleton College, under the able and faithful leadership of Dr. J. J. Martin, has had a year of prosperity. The attendance has been sufficient to meet the expenses and the endowment fund increased.

We recommend that the Board of Trustees employ Prof. Gresham and Mr. H. C. Denman to increase the endowment of this college, provided the St. Louis Conference shall not be held responsible for their salaries, nor shall any conference funds be appropriated for such purpose.

We also recommend that $1,000 be apportioned to the St. Louis, Sedalia, Farmington and Lebanon Dists., for this school.

BAKER UNIVERSITY,

Located at Baldwin, Kansas, is one of the oldest and best educational institutions of Methodism in the Central West. The enrollment is above 700. We congratulate President Murlin on the success of this school and commend it to the young men and women of our Church seeking a higher education.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

This school does thorough academic work, articulating with the State University, Northwestern, and institutions of like grade.

We are pleased to note the addition of an Industrial Home, Turrentine Hall, where students are given opportunities of self-support, twenty-five receiving help last year.

We recommend that $1000 be apportioned the Carthage, Kansas City and Springfield districts, one-half of the receipts, to be applied on the present indebtedness. We also recommend that L. G. Reser be re-appointed president, C. A. Mitchell financial agent; and further recommend as trustees, E. W. Elayer and Frank Neff, W. J. Simmons, C. V. Criss, W. L. Collier, J. P. Andrews, J. P. Boyd.

COLLEGE CO-OPERATION.

The committee, consisting of O. M. Stewart, M. L. Curl and N. Luccock, appointed at the last session to study a basis of co-operation for our colleges and academies, report a meeting at which the subject was discussed. The meeting was adjourned to February, 1903.

We recommend the continuance of the committee.

M. S. HUGHES, Chairman.
G. J. HUNT, Secretary.

Publishing Interests.

We hail with increasing delight and satisfaction the work being done by our Methodist Book Concern.

We emphasize and note with pleasure the quality of our Sunday School literature; the merit and prosperity of our Church papers, and the many valuable books issued from our presses annually.

We especially commend the Central Christian Advocate to our people as one of the best papers of the Church, and pledge Dr. Spencer, its editor, our co-operation and support in increasing its circulation.

J. A. BARKER, Chairman.
G. H. COSPER, Secretary.

Permanent Fund.

Kansas City, Mo., March 25th, 1902.

I herewith submit my annual report as treasurer of the Permanent Fund for Conference claimants of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

April 1, 1901, by amount of fund as per last annual report	$2,337 35
April 14, 1901, by cash from I. J. K. Lunbeck, Conference Treasurer,	139 00
May 3, 1901, by cash from I. J. K. Lunbeck, Conference Treasurer, (20th Century)	6 00
Feb. 18, 1902 by cash from I. J. K. Lunbeck, Conference Treasurer, from M. Seckler	25 00
Total amount of fund	$2,507 35
April 1, 1902, income of funds for year	148 74
Total amount of money in treasury	$2,656 09
March 25, 1902, to draft, being amount of income for year	148.74
Balance amount of Permanent Fund	$2,507 35

Affectionately submitted,
WM. W. KENDALL, Treasurer.

Reforms.

1. We view with alarm the tendency toward the desecration of the Holy Sabbath. Believing that the proper observance of the Sabbath is not only essential to the best developement of true morality, but is necessary to the liberty and uplifting of the common people, we urge our pastors to preach on the subject of Sabbath Observance, and to entreat our people to abstain from all forms of Sabbath desecration.

2. We commend the work of Rev. S. W. Gamble, of Ottawa, Kansas, and recommend him and his literature to our pastors and people.

3. We re-affirm the doctrine so generally promulgated by our Church, that "The liquor traffic cannot be legalized without sin." We approve the plan and aims of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League.

4. We deprecate the apparent tendency toward the spread of social impurity among the American people. We favor all efforts for the advancement of social purity among our own people.

5. We consider the use of the cigarette dangerous to health, demoralizing to character, and to be discouraged in every possible way.

6. We urge the pastors of our church to put forth every effort to teach and to lead our people in right paths on all social questions.

7. We believe that the solution of the Race Problem lies in the education and Christianization of all people to the point of right thinking and holy living.

J. J. MARTIN, President.
THOS. E. PRALL, Secretary.

Stewards.

Received from

Balance from last year	$ 5.64
Chartered Fund	22.00
Interest on Permanent Fund and Notes	171.04
Book Concern Dividend	450.00
Collections from Churches	2539.00
	$3188.58

Disbursed as follows: (See Conference claimant's list).

We rejoice greatly to report an increase in the collections from churches of $373.75, from interest on notes of $31.70, over last year, making a total increase from these sources of $405.45. The total claim is $8575, of which we have paid 37 per cent. We request the 31 pastors who took no collection for this cause this year to present this cause to their people during the ensuing year. We recommend that $3500 be apportioned to the charges, and that the committee on public worship arrange for a night service in the interest of our permanent fund at the next session of our Conference.

SAMUEL WARNER, Sec. and Treas.

Twentieth Century Thank Offering.

1. We have had before us the work of the financial agent (Rev. J. F. Corrington) and are gratified to find that the following amounts have been collected: On old church debts, $13,963.50. Subscriptions unpaid for the year 1901, $873.60; for 1902, $96.94. Total unpaid subscription, $970.54.

2. We heartily commend the work of our financial agent and regret the fact that many of his engagements during the year were compelled to be cancelled because of the drouth; and we shall be pleased to welcome him to our charges whenever possible during this conference year.

3. We recommend that Dr. Corrington be authorized to receive any bequests of land, or other property, to be applied on the Permanent Fund for superannuates; and request the preachers to call the attention of their laity to this fund.

4. We recommend that this conference take such action as will lead to a unification of the Deaconess work.

H. L. STEVES, Chairman. D. T. SIMMONS, Sec'y.

Woman's Work.

We recognize the providential leadership and blessing of Almighty God in all departments of our woman's work in greater measure than ever before in its history.

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W. H. M. S.

We sincerely approve the magnanimous work of the W. H. M. S., and by reason of their gracious and efficient service rendered in our drouth-stricken districts during the past year, we are under renewed obligations to encourage them by every possible means.

DEACONESS WORK.

We give the Deaconess movement our unqualified approval. We heartily endorse the work done by the "Fisk Training School" for Deaconesses located at Kansas City, Kansas.

W. C. T. U.

We recognize the splendid work of the W. C. T. U, as the handmaiden of the church in promoting the great cause of temperance to its full measure of power in the land.

HARRY WHITE, Sec'y. E. M. DUGGER, Chairman.

Young People's Organizations.

We rejoice in the growth and strength of our Young People's Organizations and pray God to pour upon them that grace without which their work must be in vain.

We express our thanksgiving to Almighty God for the recovery to health of Dr. J. F. Berry.

We urge the importance of the dissemination of Epworth League literature among our young people and especially commend the Epworth Herald. We recommend that the Conference organization of the Epworth League be discontinued and that provision for the League anniversary be left in the hands of the program committee of the annual Conference.

We recommend further that any moneys left in the treasury of the present organization be put into the hands of the Conference Treasurer subject to the order of the committee on Young People's Organizations.

CHAS. MCCOARD, Sec. W. R. MCCORMACK, Pres.

Treasurer's Report 1900-1901.

I. J. K. Lunbeck, Treasurer, in account with St. Louis Conference, Benevolence Funds.

Dr. To Benevolence Moneys Received, as follows:

Total Collections of the churches for 1900.	$38,370 76
Less vouchers for money forwarded by pastors	23,846 54
Received in cash by Conference Treasurer	$14,524 22
Mission Appropriation returned by E. P. Anderson	12 00

Interest of permanent fund from W. W. Kendall, Tr.		140 24	
Interest on notes to permanent fund		9 20	
Fractional cash and small sums not designated		5 54	
Cash carried over from last year		2 17	
Total receipts of cash			$14,693 37

Contra.

Cr. By Disbursements, (vouchers for which are presented):

Paid S. Warner, Tr., Conference Stewards		$2,322 69	
Paid through Jennings & Pye, Kansas City, Mo.:			
For Missionary Society, current work	$7,839 60		
For Missionary Society, for R. Clancey	30 00		
For Missionary Society, money returned	12 00		
For Board of Church Extension	1,099 00		
For Sunday School Union	172 00		
For Tract Society	158 00		
For American Bible Society	98 00		
For Expenses General Conference	64 00		
For Episcopal Fund	824 00		
For Freedmen's Aid and So. Education Society	1,043 00		
		$11,340 10	
Paid J. H. Dameron, Tr. Marionville College	366 55		
Paid J. J. Martin, Pres. Carleton College	285 40		
Paid W. F. McDowell, Sec. Children's Fund	198 42		
Total for Educational Objects		850 38	
Paid Mrs. E. P. Fritz, Branch Tr. W. F. M. Society		24 50	
Paid Mrs. W. O. Miller, Conf. Tr. W. H. M. Society		5 00	
Paid W. W. Kendall, Tr. Per. Fund from 20th Century Offering		145 00	
Paid J. F. Corrington, Conf. Agent 20th Century Offering		2 00	
Paid Expenses of Treasurer, postage, rubber stamps, &c.		3 71	
Total Disbursements			$14,693 37

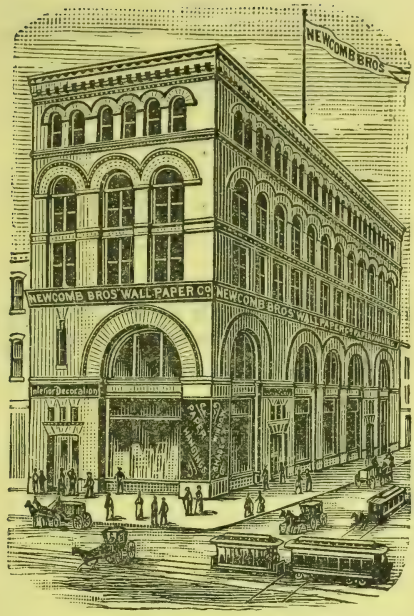
Respectfully submitted,

I. J. K. LUNBECK, *Treasurer.*

GENERAL STATSTICS.

STATISTICS Nos. I and IV. CARTHAGE DISTRICT. *I a*

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership. Probationers.	Membership. Full Members.	Membership. Local Preachers.	Membership. Deaths.	Baptisms. Children.	Baptisms. Adults.	Sunday Schools. No. of Schools.	Sunday Schools. No. Officers & Tchrs.	Sunday Schools. No. Scholars.	Church Property. No. of Churches.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. No. of Parsonages.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. Paid for Building and Improvements.	Church Property. Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Church Property. Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Benevolent Collections. Missions. From Churches.	Benevolent Collections. Missions. Fr'm Sunday School	Benevolent Collections. Missions. Total.	Benevolent Collections. Board of Church Extension.	Benevolent Collections. Sunday School Union.	Benevolent Collections. Tract Society.	Benevolent Collections. Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Benevolent Collections. Education. Public Educational Collect'n.	Benevolent Collections. Education. Children's Fund	Benevolent Collections. American Bible Society	Benevolent Collections. Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Benevolent Collections. Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Benevolent Collections. Total other Benevolent Collections.	Benevolent Collections. Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	Benevolent Collections. 20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Avilla	25	188	2	1	..	2	2	24	140	3	4400	1	405	1500	....	.....	32	....	32	5	1	1	2	5	...	1	...	....	....	..	....
Butler	10	200	..	2	3	....	1	18	150	1	10000	1	1000	6000	....	2000	15	25	38	13	1	1	6	3	5	1	....	....	....	..	....
Butler Circuit	6	151	1	1	..	7	1	10	88	3½	2900	1	500	20	....	.....	25	....	35	5	1	1	4	4	10	..	....	....	....	..	....
Carl Junction	54	153	..	..	10	19	3	49	260	3	2600	1	200	100	....	.....	15	5	20	3	..	..	5	3	...	..	6	....	....	..	5
Carterville	27	207	..	3	2	6	1	20	250	2	3500	1	1000	150	25	120	20	....	20	2	..	..	2	....	...	..	3	...	15	..	31
Carthage	17	800	1	14	7	22	2	63	700	2	25500	1	8000	280	....	2000	325	77	402	56	8	8	56	48	...	1	281	253	50	..	65
Carthage Circuit	1	120	1	..	..	4	3	16	100	3	3000	1	200	50	....	.....	11	....	11	3	1	1	4	4	3	1	....	....	....	..	....
Golden City	12	138	2	1	..	4	1	22	180	1	3000	1	700	200	....	.....	4	13	17	1	..	..	2	....	2	2	....	....	10	..	....
Hume and Foster	63	189	1	3	..	6	4	25	250	3	4900	1	450	306	55	40	84	18	102	24	4	4	20	16	20	2	15	...	12	..	5
Iantha	4	110	1	..	4	4	3	28	150	3	3000	..	.....	15	....	.....	31	4	35	6	1	1	5	....	5	1	....	....	....	..	10
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	28	181	..	..	2	7	2	31	165	2	2600	1	400	.....	94	.....	50	....	50	10	2	2	9	8	5	1	58	....	37	..	129
JOPLIN—																															
Byers Avenue	23	127	2	..	2	13	1	27	300	1	5000	1	1000	232	350	100	42	10	52	6	2	2	7	6	...	1	12	....	23	..	7
Central Av. and Neosho	18	124	1	1	1	54	2	23	220	2	4000	..	.....	36	....	36	14	14	28	3	1	3	3	....	2	1	....	..	4	..	30
First Church	26	333	1	3	4	6	1	30	325	1	11000	1	2500	100	....	.....	65	100	165	36	5	5	32	24	10	1	177	....	....	..	....
Smelter Hill and C	24	8	..	..	..	6	3	15	295	2	1200	..	.....	502	....	1350	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....
Lamar	15	288	2	2	5	6	1	23	227	1	10000	1	1000	75	....	.....	68	5	73	10	1	1	12	5	3	..	127	...	7	..	21
Liberal	32	125	..	3	..	5	2	20	160	3	3600	1	500	100	....	48	10	5	15	2	..	..	....	3	...	..	1	1	....	..	28
Moundville	20	114	..	1	..	4	3	31	160	2	2500	1	500	....	....	.....	17	....	17	1	..	..	1	1	...	..	....	.	5	..	18
Nashville	22	185	..	1	1	8	2	24	200	2	2700	1	350	10	....	.....	40	....	40	10	1	1	8	5	17	1	....	....	10	..	....
Nevada	43	348	1	1	4	6	3	35	250	1	7000	1	1200	....	....	.....	50	4	54	10	2	1	8	8	...	1	....	....	....	..	....
Oronogo	21	103	..	1	1	27	1	16	126	1	1400	..	.....	78	....	.....	10	....	10	....	1	..	3	....	3	..	....	....	....	..	....
Pineville and S. W. City	40	125	5	1	2	30	2	9	75	3	1000	..	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Rich Hill	5	184	2	..	..	4	1	18	170	1	7000	1	1200	42	671	400	11	4	15	3	2	2	....	8	5	1	....	.	13	..	671
Sarcoxie	46	171	1	3	2	20	3	37	210	4	4400	1	600	125	....	.....	45	10	55	12	2	2	10	8	...	1	1	...	5	..	85
Seneca	14	118	..	4	1	15	2	18	90	3	4000	1	150	630	....	299	7	....	7	....	....	....	....	....	3	..	....	....	....	..	....
Sheldon	16	118	..	..	..	2	1	9	40	2	2250	..	.....	300	....	.....	7	5	12	2	1	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	12	..	....
Webb City	26	126	..	1	1	10	1	16	125	1	3000	1	700	60	100	.....	10	14	24	5	1	..	6	5	4	..	....	....	10	..	39
	638	5034	24	47	52	297	52	647	5406	56	145450	21	22555	10901	1295	6393	1006	313	1329	228	38	36	206	165	97	17	681	254	213	..	1144



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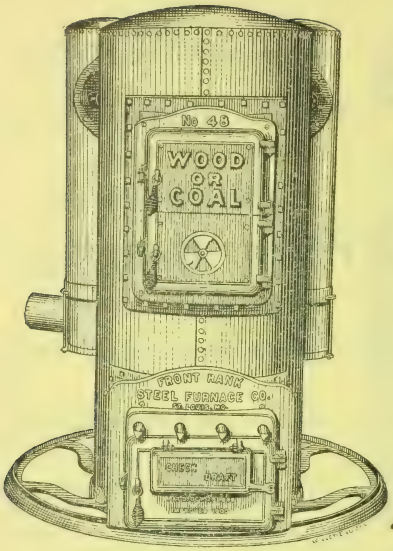

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NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary,	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors. Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Avilla	Thos. J. Gideon	421	45	466	331	45	376	90	46	37	3	....	413	5	....	5	50	25
Butler	Wm. F. Jones	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	90	90	9	8	998	14	....	14	200	60
Butler Circuit	Basil E. Niblack	425	75	500	410	75	485	15	50	40	5	3	528	7	....	7	30	29
Carl Junction	Wm. T. Ferguson	500	....	500	410	90	500	....	50	50	5	5	555	8	....	8	72	105
Carterville	Henry C. Mullen	550	100	650	560	100	660	....	65	65	5	5	730	5	....	5	115	100
Carthage	Jno. W. Stewart	1800	400	2200	1800	400	2200	....	220	180	30	30	2410	80	....	80	1200	400
Carthage Circuit	Chas. D. Fry	400	25	425	304	25	329	96	42	25	3	3	357	7	....	7	40	20
Golden City	Geo. H. Gideon	500	60	560	500	60	560	....	56	50	5	2	612	10	....	10	80	80
Hume and Foster	James C. Bell	550	50	600	528	50	578	22	60	58	5	10	646	32	....	32	80	75
Iantha	(Wm. Caskey)	400	....	400	293	50	343	57	40	39	3	3	385	10	....	10	48	53
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	DeKalb Burnham.	410	60	470	410	60	470	....	47	47	5	5	522	....	16	16	38	75
JOPLIN—																		
Byers Avenue	Perry E. Fierce	650	150	800	650	150	800	....	80	80	7	8	888	12	....	12	200	115
Central Av. and Neosho	Wm. Leatherman	600	....	600	600	....	600	....	60	51	7	1	652	5	....	5	143	69
First Church	Robt. P. Hammons	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	....	180	180	18	18	1998	50	....	50	300	200
Smelter Hill and C.	(L. H. Mears)	200	....	200	33	....	33	167	20	....	2	....	33	....	....	....	25	13
Lamar	Geo. H. Cosper	780	120	900	780	120	900	....	90	90	10	3	998	23	....	23	281	126
Liberal	Clarke Baker.	410	50	460	400	50	450	10	46	43	4	1	494	2	....	2	60	30
Moundville	(Rob't T. Smith)	255	25	280	225	5	230	50	28	23	5	1	254	1	....	1	60	45
Nashville	Guy Z. Moore	400	40	440	405	40	445	....	44	44	6	6	495	30	....	30	60	25
Nevada	Benj. F. Thomas	975	125	1100	825	125	950	150	110	100	10	8	1058	20	....	20	175	225
Oronogo	(J. C. Kirk)	450	....	450	453	....	453	....	45	45	4	4	502	5	....	5	70	35
Pineville and S. W. City	(Alvin J. Gearheard)	200	....	200	160	....	160	40	20	22	2	0	182	....	....	....	5	5
Rich Hill	Wm. T. Pyles	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	80	80	6	6	886	15	....	15	165	131
Sarcoxie	Everett Simpson	540	60	600	540	60	600	....	60	60	6	6	666	18	....	18	100	100
Seneca	Jno. J. Janssen	575	....	575	463	....	463	112	57	40	4	2	505	6	....	6	78	50
Sheldon	(Robt. T. Smith)	360	....	360	135	....	135	225	36	20	3	1	156	1	....	1	80	22
Webb City	Electious H. Sapp	500	100	600	500	100	600	....	60	60	6	5	665	10	....	10	71	70
		15851	1985	17836	14715	2105	16820	1034	1782	1619	178	149	18588	376	16	392	3816	2394

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS		SUNDAY SCHOOLS			CHURCH PROPERTY.							BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.														
																	MISSIONS.							EDUCATION.								
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. Officers & T'chrs.	No. Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	From Churches.	Fr'm Sunday School	Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Public Educational Collect'n.	Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Advance and Greenbriar	33	175	..	..	3	12	3	24	258	2	2600	1	250	120	....	.....	8	1	9	2	..	..	1	2	1	..	....	....	....	..	....
Alton	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....
Bakersfield	5	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....
Belgrade and Palmer	73	174	4	3	1	30	2	15	150	3	2100	1	200	6	....	....	7	....	7	2	1	2	1	....	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
Birch Tree and M'tn View	5	71	..	4	..	13	3	34	187	4	3000	..	....	....	35	200	1	....	1	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	....	1	....	..	....
Bismarck	25	130	1	..	7	10	2	14	150	2	2500	..	....	....	....	....	3	....	3	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	....	....	..	....
Bloomfield	....	30	..	..	1	..	1	10	120	1	700	1	300	200	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Bloomfield Circuit	30	322	3	..	6	25	5	30	300	4	3200	..	....	200	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Bonne Terre	7	41	2	..	1	....	1	6	60	1	3500	1	1500	25	....	147	15	....	15	2	..	..	....	2	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Cross Roads	..	175	2	2	8	8	4	25	250	7	4000	1	300	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
DeSoto	13	196	1	3	7	13	1	14	173	1	4000	1	1300	175	120	500	27	13	40	7	1	1	6	7	2	1	1	1	....	..	11
Doe Run	9	122	1	2	16	6	1	14	150	1	3600	..	....	150	..	....	8	17	25	5	1	1	4	4	4	..	....	..	32	..	....
Farmington	1	145	3	1	3	12	1	12	94	1	2000	1	1000	..	100	300	20	15	35	4	1	1	....	102	3	..	....	....	....	..	....
Festus and Fairview	87	190	3	6	3	59	4	27	150	4	4400	2	900	200	..	260	25	....	25	4	1	1	3	4	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Fishertown	33	169	2	2	4	20	4	40	250	2	1800	..	....	..	..	150	6	....	6	2	..	..	1	2	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Flat River	11	51	1	..	1	7	1	8	60	1	1500	1	390	50	....	..	24	..	24	4	1	1	....	7	3	..	....	....	5	..	50
Fruitland	16	108	1	1	6	4	1	12	75	1	2000	1	800	400	300	..	18	2	20	4	..	..	4	4	2	..	....	....	5	..	....
Ironton	13	41	..	..	..	1	1	10	50	1	1200	1	500	15	....	58	10	2	12	2	1	1	....	2	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Koshkonong	5	120	1	..	1	5	1	7	30	3	1800	..	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	2	..	..	....	1	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Leemon	4	67	3	..	1	1	2	19	66	2	1400	1	340	....	....	....	10	5	15	2	1	1	2	2	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Lutesville	9	126	1	2	1	5	4	25	225	5	3360	1	400	215	....	82	4	4	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	..	....	....	....	..	....
Perryville	7	53	..	..	6	....	1	7	55	4	4000	1	650	....	..	....	5	....	5	2	..	..	....	..	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Puxico	31	172	2	2	1	22	5	35	455	5	4700	1	700	88	....	..	15	....	15	2	1	1	2	2	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
West Plains	54	147	1	4	7	27	1	18	185	1	4000	1	1000	....	....	....	27	23	50	9	1	1	8	9	21	1	....	....	....	..	....
West Plains	11	74	5	..	....	....	3	23	60	1	600	..	....	....	....	....	4	....	4	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
Willow Springs	..	74	1	2	..	....	1	13	68	1	2500	1	400	250	....	250	8	2	10	....	..	..	....	..	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
	482	3003	37	34	81	280	53	442	3621	58	64510	18	10930	2094	555	1947	246	84	330	59	12	12	35	152	41	2	1	2	42	..	61

STATISTICS No. III. FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary,	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support. Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Advance and Greenbriar..	(A. J. May)...	250	24	274	150	24	174	100	32	30	3	2	206	2	....	2	30	20
Alton....	Jno. L. Nations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bakersfield	(Edwin M. Buck)	100	....	100	80	...	80	20	20	10	2	...	90	...	...	...	...	...
Belgrade and Palmer..	(D. P. Cole)...	280	30	310	162	22	184	126	50	46	4	...	230	1	...	1	...	4
Birch Tree and M'tn View	(R. S. Rutledge)	405	....	405	252	22	274	131	50	45	4	1	320	3	...	3	80	53
Bismarck	(W. T. Borden)	275	....	275	75	...	75	200	40	30	3	...	105	...	...	...	...	...
Bloomfield	John Ashley	260	60	260	62	50	112	148	32	26	3	...	138	...	...	...	50	30
Bloomfield Circuit	(M. J. Gulley)	200	....	200	100	...	100	100	40	32	2	...	132	...	...	...	...	15
Bonne Terre	(W. V. Miller)	300	100	400	120	75	195	205	40	40	3	1	236	1	...	1	20	25
Cross Roads	(J. H. Poe)...	310	30	340	180	30	210	130	40	34	3	...	244	...	...	...	25	15
DeSoto	David W. Crow..	700	120	820	700	100	800	120	85	85	6	6	891	10	...	10	60	57
Doe Run	Allen D. Burress	400	....	400	428	...	428	...	50	53	3	3	484	6	...	6	40	56
Farmington	Jno. J. Martin	525	75	600	550	75	625	...	55	55	4	4	684	7	...	7	55	79
Festus and Fairview...	(Jno. T. Maynard)	400	75	475	400	60	460	15	40	40	3	3	503	5	...	5	70	50
Fishertown	(D. E. Barrett).	400	....	400	147	...	147	253	50	50	4	1	198	1	...	1	20	30
Flat River	(G. B. Thomas)	330	120	450	240	110	350	100	45	40	3	3	393	5	...	5	15	18
Fruitland	Wm. R. McCormack..	500	100	600	500	100	600	..	40	40	4	3	643	5	...	5	30	27
Ironton.	(Jno. Peterson)	316	84	400	217	60	277	123	40	40	3	1	318	1	...	1	18	14
Koshkonong	(J. M. Willard)	150	...	150	60	...	60	90	24	12	2	..	72	...	...	...	5	12
Leemon.	(L. P. Baptist)	250	50	300	153	30	183	117	25	25	2	2	240	3	...	3	...	18
Lutesville	Albert T. Maxwell	307	50	357	235	50	285	72	45	45	3	2	332	3	...	3	50	21
Perryville	(Edward Ward)	378	72	450	95	50	145	305	40	30	3	...	175	...	...	...	65	37
Puxico	(T. G. Peterson)	430	72	502	225	72	297	205	40	40	3	2	339	2	...	2	75	40
West Plains	Harry White	780	120	900	800	100	900	...	85	85	8	8	993	12	...	12	110	60
West Plains Circuit...	(J. L. Medsker)	200	....	200	75	...	75	125	30	12	2	...	87	1	...	1	10	10
Willow Springs	(H. J. Barnes)	400	72	472	240	72	312	160	50	40	4	...	352	...	...	...	20	25
		8786	1254	10040	6243	1102	7348	2845	1108	985	86	42	8375	68	...	68	828	716

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership. Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Baptisms. Children.	Adults.	Sunday Schools. No. of Schools.	No. Officers & T'chrs.	No. Scholars.	Church Property. No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Benevolent Collections. Missions. From Churches.	Fr'm Sunday School	Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Education. Public Educational Collect'n.	Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Adrian	56	120	..	1	2	17	2	27	200	2	2400	1	650	....	138	.....	..	20	20	....	..	..	5	5	5	..	6	....	8	..	....
Austin	5	172	1	5	..	....	2	18	110	2	3000	1	500	..10	....	.....	30	5	35	6	2	2	6	5	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Belton	9	103	..	1	..	.. 4	1	10	60	1	1200	1	1000	..30	....	105	10	5	15	5	1	1	5	1	8	1	1	1	65	..	....
Centerview	11	127	..	1	..	....	2	23	100	2	3000	..	.....	..21	....	.....	10	8	18	....	..	..	3	3	14	..	....	....	67	..	....
Cleveland	30	75	..	..	..	.. 2	2	15	85	2	2000	..	.....	..80	....	.....	30	....	30	3	1	1	3	2	13	..	....	....	....	..	....
Courtney	5	25	..	3	..	....	..	....	....	1	600	..	.....	....	....	....	10	....	10	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	....	1	....	..	1
Drexel	24	111	..	..	..	.. 6	3	24	155	2	2600	..	.....	....	..66	200	14	6	20	5	..	..	....	5	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
East Lynne	1	190	1	3	..	....	2	29	154	2¼	3700	1	800	..20	....	.....	40	8	48	3	1	1	3	3	5	1	....	....	....	..	....
Harrisonville	7	102	..	1	..	.. 1	3	25	110	3	5400	..	.....	140	..92	750	7	3	10	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Holden	14	126	..	5	..	..10	1	10	75	1	3000	1	1500	197	....	..	12	3	15	3	2	1	1	2	3	1	13	2	24	..	5
Independence	10	140	1	3	1	3	1	15	100	1	5000	1	1000	94	....	79	24	16	40	3	1	1	2	4	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
KANSAS CITY—																															
Arlington	80	420	1	4	1	13	1	53	500	1	6000	1	3500	800	....	900	196	54	250	30	5	5	30	20	10	5	85	125	50	..	3
Centropolis and Shef'd	40	111	..	..	9	6	1	15	115	1	5000	..	.....	3863	....	894	15	15	30	8	1	1	1	1	..	1	....	....	6	..	....
Dundee Place	32	302	1	3	2	6	1	28	260	1	15000	1	5000	826	1000	6000	69	36	105	23	2	1	13	5	23	1	23	....	67	..	1000
East Fifteenth Street	65	116	2	..	..	25	1	15	165	1	3500	..	.....	2150	....	1358	36	14	50	5	1	1	2	2	..	..	....	....	65	..	....
Grace Church	39	168	..	33	4	....	1	24	221	1	2500	..	.....	....	....	....	36	20	56	9	3	1	9	....	5	..	....	1	12	..	....
Grand Avenue	49	536	2	8	1	6	1	30	300	1	125000	..	.....	124	....	.....	900	100	1000	182	31	31	172	134	6	3	402	354	350	..	....
Howard Memorial	22	343	3	4	1	8	1	25	240	1	6000	1	3000	229	100	1300	100	50	150	22	3	3	22	20	12	..	98	....	43	..	108
Independence Avenue	68	1225	2	9	14	54	1	54	700	1	10,000	1	10000	2700	6100	36500	860	200	1060	155	10	10	145	19	31	10	550	636	1290	..	6100
Kansas Avenue	11	110	..	1	5	1	1	12	125	1	600	..	.....	..30	....	..	28	18	46	2	1	1	2	1	2	..	9	....	12	..	....
Mt. Washington	2	19	..	..	..	....	1	4	35	1	500	..	.....	269	268	158	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Oakley	70	271	1	..	7	15	1	40	310	1	1500	..	.....	..50	....	.....	145	15	160	21	4	4	20	16	5	..	197	....	144	..	1000
Summit Street	43	190	..	1	2	6	1	33	225	1	8000	..	.....	125	....	.....	....	100	100	15	2	2	15	12	5	..	150	....	52	..	....
Lee's Summit	4	152	..	1	..	3	1	18	113	1	3400	1	1350	123	....	...	54	26	80	9	2	2	13	6	5	..	....	....	48	..	117
Oak Grove	23	194	..	2	1	7	3	35	175	3	3800	1	1200	800	....	....	44	5	50	8	1	1	8	6	..	..	....	....	....	..	3
Pleasant Hill	13	148	..	..	..	11	1	13	100	1	4500	..	.....	20	....	....	14	6	20	4	1	1	4	4	8	..	....	....	16	..	....
	733	5596	15	89	50	a204	36	596	4732	36¼	319200	12	29500	12682	7764	48296	2684	734	3418	522	15	71	485	277	160	23	1534	1120	2324	..	8329

CONTRIBUTED FOR CITY MISSIONS:—Arlington, $50; Centropolis, $6; Hammond Place, $5; Grace, $12.50; Howard Memorial, $38; Independence Ave. $440; Kansas Ave., $12; Grand Ave., $280; Summit St., $37.50; Oakley, $19. Total, $900.

CHURCHES RECEIVING FROM CITY MISSION FUND:—Bennington [Centropolis and S.] $327; Hammond Place [E. 15th St.] $225; Linwood Ave. [Kansas

BAKER UNIVERSITY

The First College in the Great Southwest.

1. **THIS YEAR.**—Our enrollment continues to amaze and gratify us. The enrollment of the fall term was 130 students more than the entire enrollment for the same term last year—an increase of 33⅓%. Beginning with '98 our total enrollment for each catalogue year, respectively, has been 512, 568, 586, 629; the present rate of increase will make this year's catalogue enrollment go far enough beyond 700 to make our net increase over 200 since '98. During that same time over $48,000 has been spent, over and above running expenses, for debt-paying (now out of debt), improvements, added equipment and the new building; and almost $8,000 are now in hand towards another new building, the Library which we hope to begin soon.

2. **EXPLANATION.**—"How do you account for this remarkable increase in enrollment?" is asked us frequently. Easily enough. (1.) The high standing of Baker University throughout this and adjoining states. (2.) The enlargement and consequently increased efficiency of the teaching force. (3.) The payment of the debt. (4.) The increased income from the Conference Apportionment for Education. (5.) The special gifts of Judge Case, Brother Rippey and others. (6.) The fine work done by the pastors and presiding elders. (7.) The constantly increased loyalty and affection of our people for the Church and her institutions. (8.) The enthusiastic work done for their college by our students. They are our best agents and advertisements. (9.) The growing conviction that the small towns where the college life and ideals control the community is the best place for a college. (10.) The increasing demand on the part of parents for a college that places chief stress on character building.

3. **FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES.**—It is of great importance in selecting a college to consider carefully those factors which relate to character, to decide on a school where the intellectual work will be strong and where the influences will be helpful, a school where the end is character, and which seeks to produce scholars who are also noble, conscientious Christian men.

"It may be said that there is no religion involved in instruction in Latin, or Greek, or philology, philosophy, or geology, but there is an immense difference between the religious tone and the religious influence of the instruction given in any of these branches by a professor who looks at the world from the standpoint of matter and force and the tone and influence of the instruction of the professor whose standpoint is an intelligent, superintending providence."

"We believe that the moral difference between the influence of the instruction of a man of deep religious convictions and the in-

struction of a skeptical man on the life and character of the pupil is immense, and the Christian character of the faculty is of the utmost importance."

4. **THE COLLEGE.**—Offers four courses looking to a liberal culture as follows: CLASSICAL, PHILOSOPHICAL, SCIENTIFIC, LITERATURE and ART. These are recognized in all the great educational institutions of the world. They are arranged according to the group-elective system, so that after the Freshman year, the student chooses most of his own studies according to his tastes and possible future occupation. There are more than 200 high schools in Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri whose graduates are admitted to the Freshman class without examination. Free scholarships are offered to graduates of highest ranking in these high schools. Graduates may have life state certificates to teach in Kansas.

5. **THE ACADEMY.**—The courses offered furnish a thorough Academic education equal to that offered by the best academies in the country and prepare for admission to the above collegiate courses in the University, or for any other university or high-grade college in the land. First class, thorough Academic work, with collegiate influences and advantages. A large number of county superintendents have arranged so that graduates from the common school may be admitted to the Academy without examination. Free scholarships in the Academy are offered to common school graduates of highest ranking.

6. **NORMAL COURSE.**—The completion of this course requires from one to four years, depending upon the student's attainments when beginning it. Its completion leads to a State Life Certificate to teach in any city, town, village or country school in Kansas.

7. **THE FINE ARTS.**—PIANOFORTE VOCAL MUSIC under the care of most thorough and accomplished musicians: PAINTING under the care of a true artist and successful teacher, who has just returned from a two years' residence in Europe; ELOCUTION and ORATORY directed by a graduate in oratory with several years' successful experience. Baker won the inter-state contest in oratory last year; ten states and fifty colleges were represented.

8. **COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT.**—Thorough-going, practical and scholarly. Expenses not more than one-half what they are in independent schools. Commercial students, as well as other departmental and special students, have all the advantages of the college, library, literary societies and social priveleges—features not found in independent business colleges. Located in its splendid new quarters with fine new equipment, this department is prepared to do work equal to the best.

9. **MILITARY DEPARTMENT.**—Under direction of a member of

the 20th Kansas, this department affords rare opportunity for valuable instruction in military affairs. It has all the merits of the military schools and academies, with none of their evils.

10. **FOR YOUNG MEN.**—The fine stone gymnasium is now almost completed at a total cost of more than $25,000. Physical training will thus be placed on a rational basis and conducted on strictly scientific methods. A director of physical training for young men has been employed. He will devote all his time to the gymnasium work; also a skillful and scientific physician has been employed to give special lectures to the young men on school hygiene or good health at college.

11. **SPECIAL FOR THE YOUNG WOMEN.**—But we are planning something of special interest to the young women: a separate gymnasium and equipment has been provided for them. We now have the services of a woman director of physical training for women, who will devote her time exclusively to the physical welfare of the young women of Baker University. Her work is based on modern scientific methods. A woman physician, Dr. Cora A. Moon, will give special lectures to the young women on "School Hygiene or Good Health for Young Women at College." There is also a preceptress, of thorough education, extensive travel, of the finest type of christian character, who will be glad to encourage by precept and example, all things that tend toward developing a sane, noble, cultivated womanhood.

12. **STUDIES IN THE ENGLISH BIBLE.**—As an element of culture, courses in the Bible cannot be surpassed. This department is under the control of Dr. Knudson, who has received his instruction from the best Bible scholars in America and Europe.

13. **PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT.**—The campus comprises sixteen acres in the center of the town. The grounds are rolling and covered with forest trees. Two buildings are located at the north end of the grounds on the top of an easy incline, while to the south is an artificial lily lake, on the north bank of which is located the fine new stone gymnasium. A LIBRARY rich in works needed in college life; a valuable and growing MUSEUM; constant additions to the BIOLOGICAL, CHEMICAL and PHYSICAL LABORATORIES; four LITERARY SOCIETIES of superior merit; unique and profitable CLASS ORGANIZATIONS. An Auditorium capable of seating 1,200 people. The buildings and grounds are lighted by our own electric light plant, and heated by steam and hot air.

14. **IDEALS, HISTORY, SPIRIT.**—"LET HIM FIRST BE A MAN." The first purpose of all educational effort is to prepare the student for LIFE; after that LIVELIHOOD. The building of character is the first concern. In this spirit the institution has lived through forty-three years of successful history, and continues to be scholarly, pro-

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gressive, offering new advantages each year. The fact that this year 700 students are in attendance and that, since 1898, $60,000 has been given to it for improvements is sufficient proof that the institution is in favor with the people. While founded and conducted by the Methodist Episcopal Church, it is not sectarian, but aims to gather about it a strong, healthy, vigorous Christian life.

15. **AS OTHERS SEE US.**—BISHOP BOWMAN: "I regard Baker University as ranking well with the colleges of the state and other states." JOSEPH COOK: "I have a very high opinion of Baker University." EX-GOVERNOR CUMBACK, of Indiana: "Baker University ranks, in course of study, in faculty, in students, with the best." SENATOR PLUMB: "Baker University stands in the front rank." DR. PAYNE; "I regard Baker university as one of the best colleges in the West." DR. GOBIN: "It is a noble and useful institution. I know of none of greater importance to future generations." BISHOP VINCENT: "You can do no better thing than to strengthen the hands of the noble men and women who are carrying forward the great educational enterprise at Baldwin."

16. **OUR GRADUATES.**—There are over 1,200 from the various departments, occupying useful and responsible positions in state and nation. Wherever found they are reliable, conscientious, scholarly, competent and successful.

17. **LOCATION, SURROUNDINGS.**—Baldwin is an ideal college town, unsurpassed for natural beauty and healthfulness. Situated on the Burlington branch of the Santa Fe railroad, half way between Lawrence and Ottawa, and but forty-five miles from Kansas City or Topeka, it is of easy access from all Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma points. No saloons, joints, gambling halls or theaters. Its population consists of earnest and cultivated men and women living in modest cottages nestled among thriftily growing trees; they are greatly interested in education and have large sympathy with young people. Its homes are imbued with the loftiest ideals of Christian life and service. In these homes our students live.

18. **EXPENSES.**—Expenses vary with the habits of the student. Students who board themselves have been known to spend but $75 for the whole year at college; and they earned a good share of the money while in college. Others spend $100 to $200 and more. There is no place in the land where aspiring young people can secure a thorough collegiate training for so small an outlay. For catalogue and further particulars, address the President,

REV. L. H. MURLIN, D. D., Baldwin, Kansas.

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Adrian	Jno. E. Hall	$350	$ 60	$410	$350	$ 60	$410	....	$ 41	$ 41	$ 7	$ 5	$456	$ 3	....	$ 3	$ 65	$ 50
Austin	(Jas. M. Hilbish)	600	48	648	444	48	492	$156	64	64	10	7	563	10	....	10	89	....
Belton	Wm. F. Baker	400	100	500	268	100	368	132	50	34	7	4	406	10	....	10	20	28
Centerview	Thos. A. White	360	....	360	320	....	320	40	36	36	5	2	358	2	....	2	30	30
Cleveland	(N. L. Hoopingarner)	300	....	300	311	....	311	....	30	31	4	4	346	9	....	9	50	35
Courtney	(Jas P. Dew)	100	....	100	100	....	100	....	10	10	3	1	111	5	....	5	5	....
Drexel	(T H. Temple)	450	....	450	420	....	420	30	45	45	7	4	469	5	....	5	62	33
East Lynne	(D. Wesley Britton)	500	60	560	525	60	585	....	56	56	9	5	646	16	....	16	100	75
Harrisonville	J. S. Meracle	300	....	300	248	....	248	52	30	25	4	....	273	2	....	2	60	....
Holden	Chas. McCoard	610	100	710	610	100	710	....	70	71	11	3	784	2	....	2	111	60
Independence	(H. G. Humphrey)	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	70	70	11	5	775	8	....	8	167	25
KANSAS CITY—																		
Arlington	Samuel J. Heaton	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	....	140	140	22	16	1556	47	....	47	325	200
Centropolis and Shef'd	Samuel Warner	300	....	300	300	....	300	....	30	30	5	4	334	10	....	10	60	40
Dundee Place	Benj. F. Crissman	1209	420	1620	1200	420	1620	....	162	162	26	5	1787	15	....	15	468	102
East Fifteenth Street	Jno. N. Moore	450	....	450	450	....	450	....	45	45	7	4	499	5	....	5	181	50
Grace Church	Jno. E. Thackrey	728	....	728	728	....	728	....	72	72	11	9	809	14	....	14	90	86
Grand Avenue	Wm. A. Quayle	3600	600	4200	3600	600	4200	....	420	420	66	64	4684	242	....	242	3575	160
Howard Memorial	Edwd. M. Dugger	1000	250	1250	1000	250	1250	....	125	125	19	19	1394	36	....	36	160	105
Independence Avenue	Matt. S. Hughes	3600	600	4200	3600	600	4200	....	420	420	66	40	4660	206	....	206	$220	360
Kansas Avenue	Oliver M. Stewart	700	....	700	582	....	582	118	70	56	11	2	640	8	....	8	43	43
Mt. Washington	(C. H. Chapman)	134	....	134	134	....	134	....	....	5	....	....	139	....	....	....	15	170
Oakley	Geo. H. Bradford	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	120	100	18	9	1309	25	....	25	215	100
Summit Street	Wm. T. Scott	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	120	120	18	9	1329	25	....	25	275	65
Lee's Summit	I. J. K. Lunbeck	580	120	700	451	120	571	129	70	57	11	8	636	13	....	13	144	85
Oak Grove	H. A. Dougherty	537	100	637	550	100	650	....	63	63	10	10	725	16	....	16	90	36
Pleasant Hill	Wm. K. Collins	500	....	500	444	....	444	56	50	43	8	5	492	5	....	5	150	7
		$21499	$2758	$24257	$20835	$2758	$23593	$713	$2409	$2341	$376	$244	$26178	$739	....	$739	$4820	$1945

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership: Probationers.	Membership: Full Members.	Membership: Local Preachers.	Membership: Deaths.	Baptisms: Children.	Baptisms: Adults.	Sunday Schools: No. of Schools.	Sunday Schools: No. Officers & T'chrs.	Sunday Schools: No. Scholars.	Church Property: No. of Churches.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: No. of Parsonages.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: Paid for Building and Improvements.	Church Property: Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Church Property: Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Benevolent Collections: Missions: From Churches.	Missions: Fr'm Sunday School	Missions: Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Education: Public Educational Collect'n.	Education: Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total of other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Ava	(20	201	1	)			(1	12	45	(3	3200	(1	800)																		
Buffalo	14	85	1				1	12	75	1	5000	1	1000	5		80	5	3	8			1			7	1					
Buffalo Circuit	25	125			1	14	4	32	168	5	3300			38				3	3	1				1	1						
California	2	80		1			1	6	45	1¼	1500	1	550	12	118	200	7	4	11										8		126
Eldon	14	137	1	4	1	6	3	25	130	3	4000	1	500	23	223	125	8	5	13	4	1	1	4	2	5	1					22
Gainesville	3	90	1	1	1	4	1	7	40	2	1400	1	250			150		1	1					1							
Hartville	16	123	2			2	3	22	250	3	2000	1	600	900			8		8	2			2		2				2		
Houston and Cabool	6	90		1		6	1	9	65	2	2000	2	800	5	18	122	3		3												5
Iberia	66	227	1	5		1	4	32	140	4	2000	1	300	100																	
Lebanon	6	128	1	1	2		1	14	98	1	5000	1	1500	85			30	20	50	8	2	1	7	6	5		13		10		13
Licking	1	159		3	1	12	3	24	165	2	1400	1	400	38			11		11	3				3							
Linn Creek	25	168	2	2	14	33	3	43	150	3	1500			78			3		3					1	2						
Macomb	6	136	1	2						4	1400						2		2												
Mountain Grove	12	180	1	2	1	46	1	23	208	1	3000	1	1200	40	22		18		18	4		1	3	5							243
Mountain Grove Ct.	45	85	2			12	4	20	125	2	750			45																	
Newburg and Dixon	4	83	1		2		2	19	170	2	2000	1	500	35	288		4		4	2			2	1	1			1			
Orla	19	135		4	15	19				1	900				80		2		2	1			1								
Phillipsburg	18	161		1		4	2	13	130	3	1900			140	11		3		3												
Richland	2	102	1		2	15	1	17	106	1	1500	1	500	75			20	11	34	6	5	1	10	6	5	1					
Richland Circuit	25	145		1		15	2	18	120	3	1900				20		10		10	1			1	1							
Rolla	12	132		4	1		1	14	165	1	7500	1	1000	50			55	25	80	12	2	1	8	10	2	2	21				
Seymour	7	160		3	3	12	1	10	100	3	3800			1000	95		2		2	1			1								
Tuscumbia	50	34					1	6	40	(¼	250)						2		2	1				1							
Urbana	(18	175)					(2	10	100	(5	6000	1	400)																		
Vichy	15	70			1		2	13	60	2	1800	1	240			45								4			4				
Wheatland	12	78		1	1	18	1	5	37	1¼	2300	1	200		35		2		2	1			1								
	443	3259	16	36	47	219	46	406	2732	59¾	67300	18	10740	2669	110	722	194	75	269	47	10	6	40	42	30	5	38	1	20		615

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Ava	(G. G. Maple)	350	50	400	....	....	....	....	48	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Buffalo	(C. B. Beaty)	425	75	500	295	75	370	130	60	60	5	1	431	2	....	2	50	25
Buffalo Circuit	(Elmer Wilton)	200	25	225	200	25	225	....	24	24	1	1	250	....	2	2	....	20
California	Thos P. Shaffer	425	75	500	362	75	437	63	60	54	5	1	492	....	....	....	45	18
Eldon	Chas. F. Tippen	450	50	500	390	50	440	60	60	60	5	2	502	6	....	6	70	45
Gainsville	(A. L. Simmons)	270	30	300	130	30	160	140	36	26	3	1	187	1	....	1	3	6
Hartville	John H. Hurley	450	50	500	430	50	480	20	60	60	5	....	540	5	....	5	40	50
Houston and Cabool	Edward Turrentine	250	....	250	200	....	200	50	30	28	3	....	228	....	....	....	30	20
Iberia	Wm. M. Creamer	300	30	330	166	36	202	128	40	31	3	....	233	....	....	....	30	25
Lebanon	Geo. J. Hunt	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	96	88	8	8	896	12	....	12	100	66
Liching	Geo. W. King	440	60	500	370	60	430	70	60	59	4	2	491	7	....	7	21	20
Linn Creek	(E. C. Ralls)	300	....	300	220	....	220	80	36	36	3	....	256	....	....	....	45	47
Macomb	(H. M. King)	200	....	200	62	....	62	138	24	10	2	....	72	....	....	....	....	....
Mountain Grove	E. W. Elayer	550	100	650	550	100	650	....	78	78	6	1	729	6	....	6	80	55
Mountain Grove Circuit	(John Haley)	200	....	200	....	....	....	....	24	18	2	....	18	....	....	....	....	....
Newburg and Dixon	Wm. T. Pare	250	50	300	236	44	280	20	36	36	3	2	318	2	....	2	91	67
Orla	(Wm. McClanahan)	110	....	110	90	....	90	20	20	20	1	1	111	1	....	1	....	....
Phillipsburg	(C. L. Wright)	200	....	200	223	....	223	....	24	20	2	....	243	....	....	....	10	15
Richland	B. F. January	350	50	400	350	50	400	....	48	48	4	3	451	15	....	15	78	63
Richland Circuit	(E. J. Dunnaway)	200	....	200	165	....	165	35	24	20	2	1	186	1	....	1	15	15
Rolla	Francis S. Beggs	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	96	96	8	8	904	10	....	10	75	80
Seymour	Wm. H. Yount	400	....	400	400	....	400	....	48	48	4	2	450	2	....	2	50	65
Tuscumbia	(F. M. Stickney)	100	....	100	87	....	87	13	12	12	1	1	100	1	....	1	....	....
Urbana	(B. Kitterman)	280	30	310	....	....	....	....	40	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Vichy	(F. D. Stickney)	200	40	240	136	40	176	64	28	28	2	1	205	1	....	1	19	4
Wheatland	Wm. T. Gatley	170	40	210	130	40	170	40	25	22	2	2	194	....	....	....	25	15
		8470	955	9425	6592	875	7467	1071	1137	982	92	38	8487	72	2	74	877	721

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																	Missions.							Education.							
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Cuba	16	121	1	7	16	26	3	22	236	3	3650	1	550	50	....	.....	10	....	10	...	1	..	1	....	1	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Pacific	5	31	..	..	..	..	1	7	30	2	4000	..	.....	12	....	775	4	....	4	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	.....
SAINT LOUIS—Bowman	10	211	1	3	16	2	1	31	259	1	9000	..	.....	1014	....	113	30	20	50	3	1	..	3	5	..	..	9	....	....	..	....
Carondelet	34	185	2	3	19	4	1	26	280	1	12000	..	....	242	3905	.....	27	18	45	4	1	1	4	4	7	1	20	....	27	..	793
Fry Memorial	28	135	1	..	4	1	1	21	125	1	14500	..	.....	275	240	4000	45	15	60	8	3	3	8	....	6	3	43	...	100	..	380
Goode Avenue	35	146	..	1	16	5	1	22	200	1	6000	..	.....	75	60	1800	14	...	14	1	1	1	1	...	2	..	3	....	....	..	....
Harlem Place	11	92	..	..	..	1	1	14	102	1	3500	..	....	..	...	1100	21	9	30	5	1	1	4	6	2	1	....	....	....	..	.....
Jennings	10	40	..	1	4	....	2	20	110	1	3100	..	.....	325	8	870	....	6	6	1	..	..	4	....	2	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Lindell Avenue	13	331	..	3	4	..	1	25	200	1	150000	1	15000	..	....	.....	1291	209	1500	175	10	10	175	100	15	15	456	492	1403	..	6160
Maple Avenue	4	241	1	2	5	1	1	22	188	1	18000	1	6000	40	250	6700	50	20	70	14	1	1	13	5	8	1	142	268	124	..	...
Old Orchard	3	25	..	..	2	...	1	14	47	1	1500	..	.....	..	....	....	....	16	16	1	1	..	1	....	4	..	....	....	....	..	....
Saint Luke's	5	40	1	..	..	....	1	8	60	1	9000	..	.....	..	....	....	5	..	5	1	1	..	1	3	..	..	1	1	....	..	...
Tower Grove	46	131	1	3	2	2	2	31	300	1	3500	..	.....	395	...	....	45	25	70	10	1	1	16	4	4	1	..	..	72	..	....
Trinity	35	245	..	4	21	6	2	50	550	1	20000	..	.....	2500	....	...	25	50	75	10	2	2	5	....	35	5	20	...	50	..	.....
Tuxedo Park	5	24	..	1	..	....	1	8	46	1	1200	..	....	..	....	.....	9	....	9	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	4	..	.....
Union	29	728	2	4	60	20	1	46	302	1	75000	1	5000	167	....	....	700	227	927	110	10	10	110	60	51	10	583	465	611	..	4930
Salem	...	50	..	..	..	....	1	6	25	2	2200	1	7000	..	....	.....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Sullivan	14	68	2	5	2	12	1	7	74	1	1500	..	.....	20	....	.....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	.....
	303	2814	12	37	171	80	23	380	3134	22	337670	..	27250	5115	4463	15358	2276	615	2891	343	34	30	346	187	137	37	1277	1244	2391	..	12263

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Total from the District for 20th Century Com. Expenses, $28.

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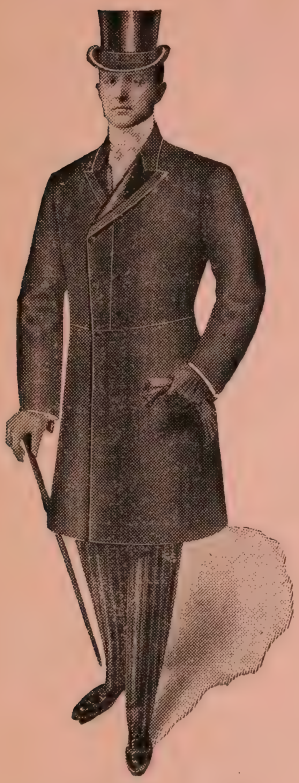

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Cuba	(H. N. Gowan)	450	50	500	356	50	406	94	25	18	5	1	425	2	....	2	75	40
Pacific	J. B Brewington	400	.....	400	92	.....	92	308	40	15	4	....	107	...	...	...	10	15
SAINT LOUIS — Bowman	Joel A Barker	1000	.....	1000	1000	.....	1000	....	90	90	18	4	1094	6	...	6	275	100
Carondelet	Henry G. Mais	750	.....	750	750	.....	750	....	60	60	10	5	815	15	....	15	255	87
Fry Memorial	Henry L. Steves	1300	.....	1300	1300	...	1300		120	120	20	9	1429	8	....	8	425	125
Goode Avenue	S. W. McClure	1000	...	1000	980	.....	980	20	50	50	8	2	1032	3	....	3	155	150
Harlem Place	Wm. J. Pyle	700	.....	700	522	.....	522	178	30	30	5	5	557	5	...	5	62	50
Jennings	Walter S. Bundy	550	.....	550	500	.....	500	50	25	25	4	2	527	4	....	4	50	75
Lindell Avenue	Dan'l Dorchester, Jr	4000	1000	5000	4000	1000	5000	....	500	500	100	100	5600	450	..	450	6800	250
Maple Avenue	A. M. Billingsley	1500	480	1980	1500	480	1980	.	198	198	20	4	2182	25	...	25	350	200
Old Orchard	(E. A. Squier)	300	.....	300	191	...	191	109	25	10	5	1	202	1	...	1	40	22
Saint Luke's	D. C. Dorchester	550	....	550	261	..	261	289	60	42	8	...	303	2	....	2	96	.....
Tower Grove	Wm. A. Brown	900	....	900	900	.....	900	....	40	40	8	8	948	25	....	25	125	158
Trinity	Chas. R. Carlos	1109	.....	1100	1100	...	1100	....	50	50	15	3	1153	20	....	20	275	300
Tuxedo Park	Jos. B. Brewington	150	.....	150	150	....	150	...	15	15	3	2	167	5		5	25	20
Union	Naphtali Luccock	3000	500	3500	3000	500	3500	....	450	400	80	70	3970	200	...	200	4339	370
Salem		....	.....		.....	..	.....	.	17	17	....	.	17	....	...	...	...	.....
Sullivan	(H. N. Gowan)	350	.....	350	185	...	185	165	20	15	2	...	200	....	....	..	35	20
		18000	2030	20030	16787	2030	18817	1213	1815	1695	315	216	20728	771	...	771	13402	1982

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership: Probationers.	Membership: Full Members.	Membership: Local Preachers.	Membership: Deaths.	Baptisms: Children.	Baptisms: Adults.	Sunday Schools: No. of Schools.	Sunday Schools: No. Officers & T'chrs.	Sunday Schools: No. Scholars.	Church Property: No. of Churches.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: No. of Parsonages.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: Paid for Building and Improvements.	Church Property: Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Church Property: Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Benevolent Collections: Missions: From Churches.	Missions: Fr'm Sunday School	Missions: Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Education: Public Educational Collect'n.	Education: Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Alberta	3	206	..	3	2	13	2	14	90	4	3600	1	550	600	....	....	2	....	2	2	..	..	3	2	....	..	....	....	....	..	5
Appleton City	68	176	1	1	3	56	2	27	198	2	3200	1	500	10	....	....	62	8	70	14	2	2	14	4	5	1	9	....	4	..	....
Clinton	50	310	3	7	6	5	1	29	285	1	15000	1	1200	634	1208	2400	33	53	86	11	2	2	10	5	....	1	32	....	....	..	....
Deepwater	13	184	1	4	2	15	2	21	110	2	1900	..	....	160	....	....	33	2	35	5	1	1	6	....	6	..	1	....	....	..	....
Eldorado Springs	24	120	2	..	..	3	1	16	80	1	1200	1	700	60	....	....	41	14	55	4	1	1	8	4	5	..	....	....	15	..	....
Eldorado Springs Circ't.	(12)	(187)	(2)	..	..	....	(2)	(17)	(100)	(2½)	(2000)	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Green Ridge	6	156	..	4	1	3	3	31	190	3	4300	1	500	15	....	....	20	6	26	7	2	2	1	2	7	1	....	....	....	..	....
Higginsville	8	45	..	1	..	4	1	8	40	2	3000	..	....	30	....	500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Huntingdale	25	180	..	3	4	9	3	30	135	3	3900	1	600	20	60	....	30	2	32	2	1	..	2	2	..	..	31	..	....	..	....
Knobnoster	2	104	..	4	2	1	1	12	63	4	6300	..	500	....	....	42	45	..	45	1	..	..	1	6	3	..	....	....	....	..	....
La Monte	50	163	..	3	14	28	3	31	200	3½	5200	..	500	10	5	....	32	..	32	1	1	1	1	1	..	1	....	....	....	..	1
Lincoln and Warsaw	17	114	1	1	..	5	2	21	62	2	1600	..	600	....	....	....	19	6	25	2	2	..	1	....	3	..	....	....	....	..	....
Lowry City	9	125	..	4	..	6	1	12	53	3	2500	..	....	....	....	....	12	2	14	1	..	..	1	2	5	..	....	....	....	..	11
Malta Bend	3	119	1	1	..	....	1	13	70	1	2000	1	600	425	....	....	20	..	20	4	2	2	4	3	6	1	....	....	....	..	14
Marshall	4	116	1	1	..	4	1	10	75	1	11000	..	....	60	710	3400	43	..	43	5	1	1	3	7	6	..	....	....	....	..	710
Marshall Circuit.	7	60	1	1	..	10	1	6	25	2	1200	..	....	55	200	....	18	....	18	3	1	..	1	1	..	1	....	....	....	..	....
Montrose	18	212	..	..	..	....	4	35	190	4	4400	1	500	27	....	....	24	1	25	2	1	1	1	1	3	..	....	....	....	..	....
Odessa	1	95	..	..	4	2	2	14	60	2	2800	1	1000	....	235	....	10	2	12	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	6	....	....	..	242
Pilot Grove	....	109	1	2	2	1	1	17	94	1¼	1700	1	500	4	....	....	35	5	40	3	1	1	4	6	4	1	....	....	....	..	....
Rockville	7	207	..	1	3	27	2	20	200	3	4500	1	700	75	....	100	20	10	30	6	1	1	1	4	..	1	....	....	....	..	....
Schell City	55	177	..	2	1	25	2	18	160	2	2500	1	400	45	123	....	25	35	60	10	2	2	9	7	7	1	27	....	....	..	127
SEDALIA—Epworth	59	235	..	1	4	20	2	20	220	2	12000	1	1200	....	1000	3300	67	6	73	13	1	1	14	5	5	1	15	....	....	..	1000
First Church	32	494	2	4	2	14	1	32	340	1	35000	..	....	....	3411	5300	60	100	160	30	5	5	30	20	6	2	53	....	9	..	....
Smithton	14	240	..	3	..	27	1	19	140	1¼	3300	1	1000	....	....	....	25	13	38	6	1	1	5	4	8	1	7	....	12	..	....
Tipton	16	94	1	2	3	....	1	17	61	1	2500	1	800	600	....	....	20	10	30	5	..	1	5	2	12	1	55	....	....	..	5
Warrensburg	90	395	1	2	2	15	1	26	150	1	17000	1	2500	35	....	....	47	37	84	9	1	1	8	9	..	1	36	....	....	..	....
Windsor and Leeton	11	106	..	3	4	1	1	9	71	2	4200	1	800	25	37	1225	10	2	12	2	1	1	2	1	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
	604	4729	18	58	59	294	45	525	3462	57½	157800	20	15750	2890	6989	16267	753	314	1067	150	30	27	137	100	93	15	272	...	40	..	115

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Total for the District on 20th Century Com. Expenses, $1.00.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Alberta	(A. M. Crippen)	300	30	330	300	30	330	....	35	35	3	2	367	3	..	3	25	16
Appleton City	Leon M. Thompson	640	60	700	640	60	700	....	74	74	7	7	781	18	..	18	83	39
Clinton	Martin L. Curl	1000	....	1000	990	....	990	10	105	104	10	10	1104	26	....	26	185	95
Deepwater	Zed Wright	450	....	450	450	....	450	....	50	50	5	4	504	9	...	9	75	68
Eldorado Springs	Isaac M. Galbraith	410	60	470	388	60	448	22	58	56	6	6	510	14	....	14	65	50
Eldorado Springs Circ't.	John H. Porter	325	....	325		....	....	325	34	23	3	....	23	....	...	....	....	40
Green Ridge	Geo. M. Foster	480	50	530	423	50	473	57	56	50	5	4	527	15	...	15	52	40
Higginsville	(S. C. Elwell)	400	....	400	212	..	212	188	46	38	4	...	250	...	....	....	45	25
Huntingdale	Landor L. Brannon	410	50	460	410	50	460	....	48	48	5	3	511	5	...	5	40	48
Knobnoster	(C. L. Oswald)	490	60	550	316	60	376	174	58	42	6	....	418	7	...	7	24	47
La Monte	Frank P. Reno	415	60	475	369	60	429	46	57	51	5	5	485	5	..	5	40	50
Lincoln and Warsaw	Henry A. Mitchell	295	72	367	250	72	322	45	39	39	4	....	361	8	....	8	....	48
Lowry City	Wm. R. Leigh	400	...	400	374	....	374	26	45	45	4	1	420	1	....	1	32	20
Malta Bend	Chas. C. James	525	50	575	525	50	575	....	60	60	6	4	639	6	....	6	105	35
Marshall	Albert M. Lehr	500	....	500	500	..	500	....	63	63	6	5	568	15	...	15	126	50
Marshall Circuit	(H. J. Steinheimer)	255	....	255	260	....	260		31	27	3	2	289	3	...	3	10	12
Montrose	John H. Adams	400	50	450	210	50	260	190	47	41	5	1	302	7	.	7	55	48
Odessa	William Stephens	325	100	425	240	100	340	85	49	40	5	4	384	5	....	5	40	20
Pilot Grove	Thos. E Prall	500	60	560	500	60	560	....	59	59	6	3	622	14		14	55	25
Rockville	Homer A. Babbitt	500	60	560	400	60	460	100	66	56	6	4	520	10	....	10	60	50
Schell City	Harry M. Risley	450	50	500	415	50	465	35	53	56	5	5	526	22	...	22	50	40
SEDALIA—Epworth	Fred. W Simpson	655	100	755	655	100	755	....	90	90	9	6	851	18	...	18	170	80
First Church	Enoch J. Hunt	1500	....	1500	1500	....	1500	....	158	158	15	15	1673	40	...	40	590	90
Smithton	Geo. A. Glens	525	100	625	525	100	625	....	66	66	6	6	697	12	...	12	112	60
Tipton	E. D. C. Koeth	480	55	535	422	55	477	58	56	47	5	1	525	9	....	9	44	35
Warrensburg	Wm. C. Coleman	850	150	1000	887	150	1037	....	105	105	10	5	1147	15	....	15	301	90
Windsor and Leeton	Hervey Smith	350	60	410	223	60	283	127	47	25	5	3	311	2	...	2	50	25
		13830	1277	15107	12384	1277	13661	1488	1355	1548	159	106	15315	289		289	2434	1246

NAMES OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS		SUNDAY SCHOOLS			CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. Officers & Tchrs.	No. Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
Ash Grove	12	135	..	..	1	5	3	13	90	4	1850	..	....	488	....	376
Aurora	13	101	..	..	..	13	1	17	150	1	1600	..	....	....	....	270
Billings	30	12[illegible]	..	2	1	1	1	13	70	1	1000	1	400	....	....	....
Boaz	(15)	(150)	1	..	..	..	..	..	....	4	(2800)	..	....	....	....	....
Bolivar	52	150	..	5	2	25	1	17	125	1	2500	1	1200	....	....	....
Bolivar Circuit	6	112	1	..	2	1	3	..	....	4	2600	..	....	....	....	....
Cassville	2	128	1	..	..	1	1	1[illegible]	91	1	1500	1	300	....	.	125
Conway	7	120	1	1	2	6	3	30	165	4	3500	1	300	....	....	90
Dadeville	9	198	2	1	..	5	1	5	24	5	3600	1	500	117	..	....
Fair Play and Stockton	76	225	4	3	2	27	3	35	225	5	5000	1	500	60	68	250
Galena	9	95	1	1	1	....	2	13	50	2	1800	..	..	....	....	..
Greenfield	22	172	1	2	..	14	1	19	178	1	1900	1	400	150	....	..
Humansville	45	210	1	3	..	31	2	20	120	3½	4000	1	400	....	.	....
Lockwood	112	216	3	1	3	85	3	45	204	3	4800	..	....	129	20	....
Marionville	24	190	5	1	..	12	1	18	225	1	2500	1	500	100	..	....
Marionville Circuit	(7)	(200)	2	..	....	.	2	16	(130)	4½	(4550)	..	....	.	....	..
Marshfield	7	163	..	..	2	5	1	18	110	1	3000	1	500	75	.	....
Monett	20	140	1	3	..	1	1	16	145	1	1500	1	1200	15	....	....
Mount Vernon	15	105	1	..	3	35	2	20	143	2	6000	1	500	102	. .	293
Osceola	10	140	1	..	2	....	2	20	150	2	4900	1	800	.	....	....
Peirce City and Purdy	73	141	..	3	8	2	2	24	250	2	4600	1	1000	70	....	130
Republic	16	115	..	1	..	10	1	16	135	1	3600	1	600	65	....	....
SPRINGFIELD—																
Benton Avenue	25	199	1	6	7	8	1	29	220	1	11000	..	....	2777	..	....
Daily	5	135	..	3	7	3	1	21	100	1	2000	1	1500	410	65	300
Grace	47	517	2	2	7	39	1	36	211	1	30000	1	2500	200	2810	2000
Mount Carmel	12	100	1	1	4	....	1	15	100	1	900	1	600	175	11	154
Tareyville	9	65	3	..	..	2	1	4	20	1	400	..	....	....	....	....
	680	4245	33	39	54	331	42	487	3461	58	111500	18	13700	4833	2974	3988

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																	
	MISSIONS.							EDUCATION.										
	From Churches.	Fr'm Sunday School	Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Public Educational Collect'n.	Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Ash Grove	25	....	25	3	1	1	4	4	..	1	.	....	....	..	10
Aurora	14	8	22	3	..	..	3	4	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Billings	24	6	30	6	1	1	6	4	..	1	...	8	....	..	20
Boaz	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	....
Bolivar	58	20	78	12	2	2	11	8	5	1	25	....	....	..	90
Bolivar Circuit	2	....	2	1	..	..	....	2	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
Cassville	6	....	6	....	1	1	...	..	..	..	....	....	....	..	15
Conway	10	....	10	3	1	1	3	3	..	1	....	....	....	..	....
Dadeville	9	.	9	2	1	1	2	2	..	..	..	....	....	..	....
Fair Play and Stockton	40	10	50	11	1	1	10	6	5	..	....	...	....	..	17
Galena	14	...	14	2	1	1	4	4	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
Greenfield	13	17	30	4	1	1	3	4	2	..	. .	....	4	..	20
Humansville	38	...	38	6	1	1	6	4	4	..	....	....	....	..	....
Lockwood	20	....	20	2	1	1	6	4	1	..	1	...	....	..	....
Marionville	30	30	60	10	2	2	8	12	..	..	21	...	....	..	230
Marionville Circuit	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	..	..	..	.	....	....	..	....
Marshfield	30	35	65	12	2	2	12	9	.	1	39	....	9	..	40
Monett	45	5	50	10	..	..	5	10	5	..	....	....	44	..	....
Mount Vernon	25	5	30	6	1	1	6	6	3	..	4	...	....	..	30
Osceola	61	11	72	13	2	2	12	9	5	1	21	....	49	..	50
Peirce City and Purdy	10	10	20	4	1	..	....	13	3	..	....	....	1	..	25
Republic	3	7	10	2	..	..	2	4	..	..	....	....	25	..	....
SPRINGFIELD—															
Benton Avenue	47	18	56	7	2	2	4	4	2	..	71	207	40	..	....
Daily	20	7	27	4	1	1	3	4	2	1	9	....	.	..	16
Grace	177	43	220	20	3	3	20	25	5	2	55	37	36	5	....
Mount Carmel	9	4	13	2	1	2	2	2	..	2	...	....	....	..	....
Tareyville	14	...	14	3	1	1	2	2	..	..	...	....	....	..	....
	744	236	980	148	30	28	134	149	46	11	246	252	208	5	530

Total for the District for 20th Century Com. Expenses, $4.

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NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Presiding Eiders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Ash Grove	(W. L. Requa)	332	.....	332	325	.....	325		40	36	3	3	364	7	....	7	30	22
Aurora	(L. G. Reser)	550	.....	550	440	.....	440	110	64	64	5	2	506	5	....	5	51	44
Billings	(G. E. Tuttle)	310	42	352	358	42	400	....	44	44	4	3	447	7	....	7	56	32
Boaz	James Lokey	300	.....	300	250	.....	250	50	33	17	3	....	267	....	....	....	.....	.....
Bolivar	Frank Neff	600	75	675	600	75	675	...	74	74	5	5	754	15	....	15	107	31
Bolivar Circuit	(A. M. Hall)	300	.....	300	106	.....	106	194	33	23	3	1	130	3	....	3	15	.....
Cassville	Lew E. Baldwin	351	50	401	300	50	350	51	46	33	3	2	385	5	....	5	40	53
Conway	Wm. O. Turrentine	356	44	400	335	44	379	21	44	44	3	3	426	4	....	4	60	60
Dadeville	(I. W. Parker)	295	50	345	100	50	150	195	40	37	3	1	188	2	....	2	50	8
Fair Play and Stockton	David T. Simmons	550	75	625	534	75	609	16	68	68	6	5	682	12	....	12	85	80
Galena	Wilbur F. Yeager	200	.....	200	153	.....	153	47	25	23	3	1	177	5	....	5	6	36
Greenfield	Wm D. Sidman	430	60	490	430	60	490	....	60	60	4	5	555	7	....	7	90	60
Humansville	Alfred G. Keast	365	20	385	380	20	400	....	44	44	3	3	447	8	....	8	60	40
Lockwood	(R. W. Moore)	425	48	473	405	38	443	30	47	44	3	4	491	2	....	2	92	60
Marionville	Wm. J. Simmons	600	40	640	600	40	640	....	70	70	5	5	715	15	....	15	121	80
Marionville Circuit	(Jones Ellis)	270	.....	270	200	.....	200	70	34	22	3	....	222	....	....	....	.....	.....
Marshfield	Jno. W. Needham	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	60	60	6	6	616	15	....	15	75	50
Monett	Burrell D. Jones	700	100	800	630	100	730	70	88	88	6	6	824	12	....	12	60	60
Mount Vernon	F. P. Leckliter	600	60	660	662	60	722	....	52	52	5	5	779	10	....	10	60	60
Osceola	Lewis E. Gower	500	120	620	500	120	620	...	68	68	6	6	694	20	....	20	70	60
Peirce City and Purdy	Silas A. French	525	60	585	500	60	560	25	67	60	5	4	624	6	....	6	140	101
Republic	(Carl Cotton)	400	60	460	310	60	370	90	51	37	4	3	410	3	....	3	65	30
SPRINGFIELD—																		
Benton Avenue	Wm. V. Hamel	1000	.....	1000	900	.....	900	100	110	99	9	8	1007	7	....	7	130	165
Dailey	Chas. I Rose	550	100	650	550	100	650	....	77	76	6	4	730	5	....	5	75	50
Grace	Harvey A. Jones	1200	250	1450	1200	300	1500	....	160	160	15	15	1675	26	....	26	540	150
Mount Carmel	Lewis G. Adams	350	.....	350	250	.....	250	100	50	27	3	1	278	2	....	2	40	50
Taneyville	(T. B. Griffin)	162	.....	162	90	.....	90	72	31	24	3	2	116	3	....	3	10	5
		12721	1304	14025	11608	1344	12952	1248	1580	1454	117	103	14509	206	....	205	2128	1387

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	Membership.				Baptisms.		Sunday Schools.			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																
																	Missions.							Education.								
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. Officers & T'chrs.	No. Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on old indebtedness of Church Propt'y.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	From Churches	Fr'm Sund'y Schools.	Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Public Educational Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'ng
Carthage	636	5034	24	47	52	297	52	647	5406	56	145450	21	22555	10901	1295	6393	1006	313	1319	228	38	36	206	165	97	17	681	254	213	..	1044
Farmington	482	3003	37	34	84	280	53	442	3621	58	64510	18	10930	2094	555	1947	246	84	330	59	12	12	35	152	41	2	1	2	42	..	61
Kansas City	733	5596	15	89	50	204	36	596	4732	36¼	319200	12	29500	12682	7764	48236	2684	734	3418	522	75	71	485	277	160	23	1534	1120	2324	..	8329
Lebanon	443	3259	16	36	47	219	46	406	2732	59¾	67300	18	10740	2669	1188	722	194	75	269	47	10	7	40	42	30	5	38	1	20	..	615
Saint Louis	303	2814	12	37	171	80	23	380	3134	22	337670	5	27250	5115	4463	15358	2276	615	2891	343	34	30	346	187	137	37	1277	1244	2391	..	12263
Sedalia	604	4729	18	58	59	294	45	525	3462	57½	157800	20	15750	2890	6989	16267	753	314	1067	150	30	27	137	100	93	15	272	..	40	..	2115
Springfield	680	4245	33	39	54	331	42	487	3461	58	111500	18	13700	4833	2974	3988	744	256	980	148	30	28	134	149	46	11	246	252	208	5	563
Totals	3883	28680	155	340	517	1705	297	3483	26548	346½	1203430	112	130425	41184	25228	92911	7903	2371	10274	1497	229	210	1383	1072	604	100	4049	2873	5238	5	24990
Last year	3248	29090	144	332	447	1345	281	3414	25238	337¼	1179691	111	129845	29703	16379	106494	6335	2311	8646	1191	191	171	1106	923	434	107	3873	2298	4498	77	11844
Increase this year	635	. . .	11	8	70	360	16	69	1310	9¼	23729	1	10580	11481	8849	. . .	1568	60	1628	306	38	39	277	149	170	. .	176	575	740		13146
Decrease this year	. .	410	. .	. . .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	13583	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	7	. .	. .	. .	72	. . .

Total from the Conference for 20th Century Commission Expenses, $42.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS.			RECEIPTS.				Presiding Elders.		Bish's		Total Support, Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From			Current Expenses.	
		Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Salary	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.		Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves. Books, etc.
Carthage		15851	1985	17836	14715	2105	16820	1024	1782	1619	178	149	18588	376	16	392	3816	2394
Farmington		8786	1254	10040	6246	1102	7348	2845	1108	985	86	42	8375	68	. .	68	828	716
Kansas City		21499	2758	24257	20835	2758	23593	713	2409	2341	376	244	26178	739	. .	739	14820	1945
Lebanon		8470	955	9425	6592	875	7467	1071	1137	982	92	38	8487	72	2	74	877	721
Saint Louis		18000	2030	20030	16787	2030	18817	1213	1815	1695	315	216	28728	771	. .	771	13402	1982
Sedalia		13830	1277	15107	12384	1277	13661	1488	1655	1548	159	106	15315	289	. .	289	2434	1246
Springfield		12721	1304	14025	11608	1344	12952	1260	1580	1454	117	103	14409	206	. .	206	2128	1302
Totals		99157	11563	110120	89167	11491	100658	9624	11486	10624	1323	898	112080	2521	18	2539	38305	10306
Last year		95966	9941	105907	86695	10020	96715	8173	11072	10165	1291	883	107763	2159	28	2187	38036	10085
Increase this year		3191	1622	4813	2472	1471	3943	1457	414	459	32	15	4317	362	. .	352	269	221
Decrease this year		. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	. .	10	. .	. .	. .

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PASTORAL RECORD.

(Including 1901.)

Adams, J. H.—1899, Gainesville; '90, '91, Willow Springs; '92, Salem; '93, Cuba; '94, Huntingdale '95, Deepwater '96, Lewis; '97, Alberta '98-00, Windsor; '01 Montrose; '02 Transferred to Colo. Conf.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99, Nevada; '00, '01, P. E. Carthage Dist.

Ashley, Jno.—St. L. Conf., 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler; '88, '89, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '90, '91, Lebanon; '92, '93, Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca; '00, '01, Bloomfield.

Babbitt, H. A.—1888, '89, High Point; '90, '91, Cuba; '92, '83, Butler Ct.; '94-'97, Oak Grove; '98-'00 East Lynne; '01, Rockville.

Baird, E. H.—Pitts. Conf., 1859, Senecaville; '60, Edinburg; '61, Butler; '62, Newton; '63, '64, New Lexington; '65, Bible Agt., Mo. and Ark. Conf.; '66, '67, Buffalo; '68-'75, Bible Agt.; '76, '77, Republic; '78-'01, Sup'ted.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'95, Austin; '96, '97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton.

Baker, C.—Ark. Conf., 1892, West Side Mission, Little Rock; St. Louis Conf., 1893, Festus; '94, Fair Play; '95, '96, Billings; '97, Springfield, Daily Chapel; '98-'00, Humansville; '01, Liberal.

Baldwin, L. E.—1895, '96, Bonne Terre; '97, Puxico; '98, Galena; '99-'01, Cassville.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00, '01, P. E. Farmington Dist.

Barber A.—Upper Iowa Conf., '65, '66, Ackley Ct.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '67, Ozark; '68-'70, Buffalo; '71, '72, Ash Grove; '73-'75, Mt. Vernon; '76, '77, Buffalo; '78, Carthage Ct.; '79, '80, Avilla; '81, Sup'ry; '82-'89, Sup'ted; '90, Seneca; '91-'01, Sup'ted.

Beaty, C. B.—In the Ministry of U. B Ch. 1876-'91; M. E. Ch. Austin Conf., '91, '92, Velasco; '93, Dallas, Grace Ch.; '94, Clarendon and P. C.; '95-'97, Iowa Park; '98, Dennison; St. Louis Conf., '99, Carl Junction; '00, Peirce City; '01, Sup'ted.

Beggs, F. S.—1859, '60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63, '64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67, '68, Cape Girardeau; '69, '70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, St. L. Central; '83, K. C., Summit st.; '84, St. L. Carondelet; '85, '86, Sup'ry (with work); '87-'91, P. E. Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93, '94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95, '96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L., Tower Grove; '99, Goode Av.; '00, '01, Rolla.

Bell, M.—1877, '78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80, '81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87, '88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93, '94, Adrian; '95-'01, Sup'ted.

Bell, J. C.—W. Neb. Conf., 1896, Grant; '97, Paxton; St. L. Conf., '98; Oronogo; '99 '00, Nashville; '01, Hume and Foster.

Benefiel, T. S.—1866, Lebanon and L. Cr.; '67, '68, Butler, Ct.; '69, Deepwater Ct.; '70-'72, Greenfield; '73, Knobnoster; '74, Prairie City; '75, '76, Butler Ct.; '77, '78, Appleton City; '79, Nevada; '80-'84, Sup'ry; '85-'01, Sup'ted.

Billingsley, A. M.—E. Ohio Conf., 1887, '88, Lowellville; '89, Andover; '90, '91, Mechanicsville; '92, '93, at school; '94, '95, N. Bloomfield; '96, Cortland; '97, '98, Youngstown, Bloomfield Av.; St. Louis Conf., '99-'01, St. Louis, Maple Av.; '02 Transferred to U. Iowa Conf.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Genl. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf.; '90-93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'01, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association, Sup'ry; 36 Aldine Square, Englewood Station, Chicago Ill.

Bradford, G. H.— W. Neb. Conf., '93, Bertrand Ct.; '94-96, In School; Mo Conf-'97-'01, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; St. L, Conf. '01 (in part), Kansas City, Oakley.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82, '83, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85, Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield; '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Peirce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '95, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97, '98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf. '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part). Pacific, (in part) Tuxedo.

Buck, N. H.—1870, '71, Leesburg; '72, St. James; '73, '74, Licking; '75, '76, Potosi; '77, Webster; '78, '79 Sup'ry; '80, Houston; '81-83, West Plains; '84, Greenfield; '85, Avilla; '86, Billings; '87, Dixon; '88-'00, Sup'ry; '01, Sup'ted.

Burns, C.—1892, Aullville and H.; '93, Osceola; '94, Gr. Ridge; '95-'97, Appleton City; '98-'01, Pilot Grove.—Transf'd mid-year to Nebraska Conf.

Burress, A. D.—1899-'01, Doe Run.

Carlos, C. R.—Ill. Conf., 1889, '90, Cisco; '91, St. Joseph; '92 '93, Grove City; '94, Raymond; '95-'97, Springfield, Kumler Ch.; '98 (in part) Greenfield; '99, '00, Anti Saloon Work; St. Louis Conf., St. L. Trinity Ch., '00 (in part) '01.

Carpenter, L. R.—1874, Dadeville; '75, '76, Mecklin; '77-'79, Butler Ct.; '80, '81, Austin; '82, K. C., 16th St.; '83, '84, K. C., Dundee Place; '85-'87, Sup'ry; '88-'01, Sup'ted.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76, '77, Cambridge, '78, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa; '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L. Trinity; '86, Clinton; '87-'89, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C. Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00' Lebanon; '01, Pleasant Hill.

Coleman, W. C.—Kansas Conf., 1893-95, DeSoto; St. L. Conf., '96-''00, Kansas City Summit St.; '01, Warrensburg.

Coons, C. E.—1891-'94, Licking; '95, Huntingdale; '96, Green Ridge; '97, Lamonte; '98, Centerview; '99, Cabool; '00, Sup'ry; '01, Missionary.

Corrington, J. F.—1873, '74, Dresden; '75, '76, Independence; '77, '78, Butler; '79-'81, St. L., St. Luke's; '82, '83, Water Tower; '84-'87, P. E., St. L District; '88, Springfield, Grace Church; 89-'93, St. L. Water Tower; '94-'98, St. Luke's; '99, Tower Gr'; '00, '01, Financial Agt., 20th Century Offering.

Cosper, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1885, Ellsworth; '86, '87, West Fort Co; '88, Argenta., '89, Little Rock, Ebenezer; '90, '91, Rogers; '92, Eureka Spgs.; St. Louis Conf: '93-'97, Bolivar; '98-'00, Rich Hill; '01, Lamar.

Creamer, W. M.—1873-'85, in Ohio Conf., M. P. Ch.; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch, '86, '87, Salem; '88, '89, Farmington; '90, Sup'ry; '91, Fredericktown; '92-'94, Malta Bend, '95, Gr. Ridge; '96, Osceola; '97 Rockville; '98, '99, Sup'ry; '00, Linn Creek; '01, Iberia.

Criss, C. V.—1877, '78, Lamar; '79, '80, Appleton City; '81, Butler, '82, '83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91 Lamar; '92, '93, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'01, P. E. Springfield Dist.

Crissman, B. F.—1893, Lamonte; '94, Osceola; '95, '96, Pleasant Hill; '97, at school '98-'00, Warrensburg; '01, K. C., Dundee Place.

Crow, D. W.—1881, '82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86, '87, Crystal City; '88-'92, DeSoto; '93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '00, 01, De Soto.

Curl, M. L.—Ill. Conf., 1868, Paxton Ct.; '69, Farmer City Ct.; '70, '71 Farmer City; '72, Arcola, '73, Champaign, University Ch; Mo. Conf. '74-'76, Louisiana; '77, Glasgow; '78-'80, Chillicothe; '81, '82, Hannibal; '83-'86, P. E. Kirksville Dist.; '87-'89, Pres. Lewis Col. Ark. Conf., '90-'92, Pres. Little Rock University; '93, P. E. L. R. Dist. St. L. Conf., '94 (in part)-'98, Marionville and President of Institute; '99-'01, Clinton.

Dougherty, H. A.—1890-'92, Humansville; '93, Stockton; '94, East Lynne; '95 Harrisonville; '96, 97, East Lynne; '98-'00, Belton; '01, Oak Grove.

Dorchester, Jr. D.—N. E. Conf., 1875-'76, Prof. Montpelier Sem'y; '76, '77, Springfield, Vt.; '77-'79, Hopkinton, Mass.; '80, Boston, Winthrop, St.; '81, Newton, Mass.; '82-'95, Prof. in Boston University; Pittsburg Conf., '95-'99, Christ's Ch., Pittsburg; St. L. Conf., '00, '01, St. Louis, Lindell Av.

Dugger, E. M.—S. Kan. Conf., 1889, '90, Girard Ct.; '91, Walnut; '92 (in part) Strong City; Des Moines Conf., '92, '93, DeSoto; '94, Macedonia; '95, '96, Panora; Montana Conf., '97, '98, Helena; St. Louis Conf., '99 (in part), '00, Marshall; '01, K. C., Howard Memorial.

Elayer, E. W.—1897, Urbana; '98, '99, California; '00, 01, Mountain Grove.

Entwisle, I.—1866, Jackson, Ct.; '67, '68, Franklin; '69, '70, Stockton; '71, Carthage Ct.; '72, Buffalo; '73 Urbana; '74, '75, Osage; '76, Centerview; '77, '78, High Point; '79, '80, Pilot Gr.; '81, Montrose; '82, Warsaw; '83, '84, Buffalo and Urbana; '85 Dadeville; '86, Oronogo; '87, '88, Carthage Ct; '89-'01, Sup'ted.

Faulk, J. D.—1897, '98, Seneca; '99, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '00, '01, Republic; '02; transf'd to S. Kan. Conf.

Ferguson, W. T.—1897, '98, Carl Junction; '99, Carthage Ct.; '00, '01, Carl Junction.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70, '71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73, '74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84, '85, Sup'ry; '86, '87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91, '92, Knobnoster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Spgs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93, '94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'01, Green Ridge.

Foster, H. B.—Kan. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Church; St. L. Conf., '92, Mt. Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94, '95, Mt. Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99 Rolla; '00, '01, P. E. Rolla (Lebanon Dist.).

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83; Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94, '95, Carterville; '96, Golden City; '97-'99, Greenfield; 1900, Springfield, Mt. Carmel, '01, Peirce City.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83, '84, Prairie Grove; '85, '86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Avilla; '88 '89, Billings; '90, '91; Dadeville; '92 '93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99, '00, Bolivar Ct.; '01 Carthage Ct.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85, '86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98, '99 Carterville; '00, '01, Eldorado Springs.

Gideon, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1878, '79, Magazine; '80, '81, Charleston; '82, '83, Ellsworth; '84, '85, Magazine; '86-'88, Amity; '89, Hot Springs; St. L. Conf., '90-'92, Festus, '93, '94, DeSoto; '95, Hartville; '96, '97, Buffalo; '98, '99, Hume and Foster; '00, '01, Golden City.

Gideon, T. J.—1897, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99, '00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873, '74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78, '79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83, '84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88, '89, Pleasant Hill; '90, '01, Missionary to Wyoming.

Glens, G. A.—1886, '87, Cuba, '88, '89, Salem; '90, '91, Sarcoxie; '92, Mt. Vernon; '93, '94, Appleton City; '95, '96, Malta Bend; '97, '98, Tipton; '99-'01, Smithton.

Gower, L. E.—1891, Ash Grove; '92, Billings; '93, '94, Lincoln; '95, Dresden; '96, '98, Austin; '99, 00, Independence; '01, Osceola.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855, '56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58, '59, Newark; '60, '61, Princeton; '62, '63 Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf., '64, St. Joe; '65-'68, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '69-'72, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '73-'75, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '76, '77, Jefferson City; '78, '79, Pleasant Hill; '79, '80, K. C. Liberty St.; '81,-'83, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '84-'86, St. L. Water Tower; '87-'01, Chaplain St. L. Institutions.

Hamel, W. V.—1878, K. C., 16th St.; '79, '80, Cuba; '81-'83, Appleton City; '84, '85, Smithton and P. Gr.; '86-'91, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '92 Carthage; '93-'97, Warrensburg; '98, Smithton; '99, '01, Springfield, Benton Av.

Hammons, R. P.—S. Ill. Conf., 1880-'83, Vienna; '84, Hawthorne; '85, Enfield; S.

Kan. Conf., '86, '87, Walnut; '88-'91, Oswego; '92-'95, Parsons; '96, Fort Scott; '97, Baldwin; (in part) Idaho Conf., '97, (in part) '00, Boise; St. L. Conf., 1901, Joplin, First Church.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64, '65, Brighton; '66, '67, Salem; '68, Duquoin; '69-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E. Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree, Col.; '86, '87, Sup'ry; St. L. Conf., '88, '89, St. L. Trinity; '90, '91, St. Luke; '92, '93, Sup'ry; '94, St. L., Jennings; '95, Union, Ass't Pastor; '96-'01, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73, '74 St. James; '75, Iberia; '76, '77, Ironton; '78, DeSoto; '79, Schell City; '80, '81, Lebeck; '82, transferred to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., 92, '93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95 Lebanon Ct.; '96-'01, Sup'ted.

Hatcher, G. S.—1891, S. W. City; '92, Carl Junction; '93, Liberal; '94, Peirce City; '95, '96, Rich Hill; '97-'99, Missionary to Nevada; '00, '01, Sup'ry. Ojaqoza Springs, Colo.

Heaton, C. E.—Austin Conf., 1882, '83, Alma; '84, Harrisburg; St. L. Conf., '85, '87 Farmington; '88, Prof. in Carleton Col.; '89, Ironton; '90, '91, Bolivar; '92-'94, Prof. at Marionville; '95, Sup'ry; '96, '97, Schell City; '98 Appleton City; '99, Bloomfield; '00, Harrisonville; '01, East Lynne; Transf'd mid-year to Oklahoma Conf.

Heaton, S. J.—1892, '93, Pleasant Hill; '94,-'98, Clinton; '99-'01, Kansas City. Arlington.

Hormel, W. H.—1891, Marquand; '92, Bloomfield; '93, Ironton; '94, '95, Cuba; Mo. Conf., '96, '97, Canton; '98, Rutledge; St. L. Conf., '99, '00, Montrose; '01, Knobnoster; '02, transf'd to S. Ill. Conf.

Hughes, M. S.—Iowa Conf., 1887, Ewart Ct.; '88, '89, Malcam; '90, Grinnell; Maine Conf., '90-'94, Portland, Chestnut St.; N. Minn. Conf., '95-'98, Minneapolis, Wesley Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '99-'01, Kansas City, Independence Av.

Hughey, G. W.—S. Ill., 1850-1878; St. L' conf. 1879-81, St. Louis, Trinity; '82, '83 Carondelet; '84, Conf. Tem. Agt; '85, Carondelet, '86'-88, Carthage; '89-'93, Springfield, Grace ch.; '94,'95, Benton Ave; '96-02, Sup'nd.

Hunt, E. J.—1878, '79, Walnut; '80-'82, Osceola; '83-'85 Malta Bend; '86, East Lynne; '87-'90, Holden; '91, '92, Lee's Summit; '93, K. C. Arlington; '94-'99, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '00, '01, Sedalia, 1st Ch.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry C'y., '94, Deepwater; St. Louis, '95, Harlem and S.; '96-'00, Lamar; '01, Lebanon.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84, '85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnell Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in School; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf.—St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95 Ironton; '96, '97, California; '98, Urbana; '99, '00, Licking; '01, Hartville.

Ing, S.—1858, '59, Salem; '60 Rolla; '61, Leesburg; '62, U. S. A.; '63, Otterville; '64, '65, Middletown; '66-'69, P. E. Rolla Dist.; '70-'72, Knobnoster; '73, '74, Windsor; '75, -'77 Marshall; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80-'82, Aullville; '83, 84, Sup'ted; '85-'87, Mecklin; '88, Aullville; '89-'01, Sup'ted.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97-'01, Malta Bend.

Janssen, J. J.—1896, '97, Marshall; '98-'00, Schell City; '01, Seneca.

January, B. F.—1880, Harrisonville; '81, '82, Warrensburg Ct.; '83, '84, Mecklin; '85, Austin; '86, '87, Richland; '88-'90, West Plains; '91, Marshfield; '92, Appleton City; '93, Aurora; '94, Willow Spgs; '95, '96, DeSoto; '97, Pacific; '98, '99, Cuba '00, '01, Richland.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton; '98-'01, Butler.

Jones, Sam'l—1873, '74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79-'00, Sup'ry; '01, Sup'ted.

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1873, Huntsville; '79, '80, Yellville; '81, 82, Mountain Home; '83, 84, Waldron; '85, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part); St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Marshfield; '98, '99, Bolivar; '00, 01, Monett.

Jones, D. B.—1893, Moundville; '94, Stockton; '95, 96, at school; '97, '98, Hartville; '99-'01, Sup'ry.

Jones, H. A.—1892, '93, Miss. in Utah; '94, at school; '95-'98, St. L., Goode av.; '99-01, Springfield, Grace Ch.

Keast, A. G.—1899, '00, Iantha; '01, Humansville.

Keenan, J. T.—Kentucky Conf., 1896, Paducah, Farley Pl.; St. L. Conf. '97, Richland Ct.; '98, 99, Eldon; '00 (in part), California; '00 (in part), '01 Buffalo; transf'd mid-year to S. Ill. Conf.

King, H. A.—1898, Kansas City, Liberty St.; '99, Kansas avenue; '00, 01, Oakley; mid-year at school.

King, G. W.—1886-'88, Bloomfield; '89-'92, Cape Girardeau; '93, Fruitland; '94, '95, Farmington; '96, Willow Spgs.; '97, Graniteville; '98, '99, Lutesville; '00, Fruitland; '01, Licking.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark., Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75, '76, Springfield; '77, '78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84, '85, Cassville; '86, '87, Mt. Vernon; '88, '89, Urbana; '90, 91, Strafford; '92-'01, Sup'ted.

Koeth, E. D. C.—1896, Graniteville; '97, '98, Bonne Terre; '99-'01, Tipton.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-'92, Farina; '93, '94, Pinckneyville; '95-'98, Evangelistic Work; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Av.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00, 01, Mt. Vernon.

Lehr, A. M.—1898, Alberta; '99, '00, Knobnoster; '01, Marshall.

Leigh, W. R.—Kan. Conf., 1880, Salt Creek; '81-'82, Gypsum; N. W. Kan. Conf. (by div.), '83, Ellsworth; '84-'86, N. Salina; '87, Aola; '88-'89, Sup'ry; '90, '91, Sharon Spgs; Kan. Conf., '92, '93, Linn; '94, Morrowville; '95, Lyndon Ct.; '96, located; Oklahoma Conf., (Readm.), "99, Lehigh; '00, Nowata; St. L. Conf., '01, Lowry City.

Lenig, F.—1881, Greenfield; '82, Bolivar; '83-'85, N. Springfield; '86, St. L., Central; '87-'91, Goode Av.; '92-'95, Dr. Fry, Memorial; '96-'01, P. E. Sedalia Dist.

Lokey, J.—Ark. Conf., 1879, '80, Clear Cr.; '81-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Batesville; '85, Harrison; '86-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Ks.; St. Louis Conf., '99, '91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93, '94, Purdy; '95-97, Mt. Vernon; '98, '99, Purdy; '00 Billings; '01, Boaz.

Luccock, N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1874, '75, Tippecanoe, O.; '75, Addison, Pa.; '77, '78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-'84, Pittsburg, Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Allegheny Col.; '88-'91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92-'96, Pittsburg, Smithfield st.; St. L. Conf., 1897-'01' St. Louis Union Ch.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870, '71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72, '73, K. C. 16th st.; '74, '75, Rolla; '76-'78, Greenfield; '78, '79, Carthage; '80-'82, Lebanon; '82-'85, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-'91, Rolla; '92, Nevada; '93, '95, Holden; '96, '01, Lee's Summit.

Mais, H. G.—1895, '96, St. L. Trinity; '97-'01, Carondelet.

Martin, W. F.—1897, '98, Lincoln; '99-'01, at school.

Martin, J. J.—1878, '79, Seneca; '80, 81, Oronogo; '82, '83, Avilla; '84, '85, Golden City; '86-'89, Marionville; '90-'91, Mt. Vernon, '92, '94, Joplin; '95, '96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington; as pastor and Pres. of College.

McCoard, C.—Central Ohio Conf. '93-'94, Celina Circuit; '95-'98, Utah Mission; '99-00, Drew Seminary, St. Louis Conf.; '01, Holden.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Doe Run; '99, '00 Ironton; '01, Fruitland.

Meracle, J. S.—1896, Seymour; '97, '98, Eldon; '99,-'01, Prof. Carleton Col.

Mitchell, C. A.—1896, '97, Neosho; '98, '99, Peirce City; '00, '01 Financial Agt., Marionville, Col. Ins.

Moore, J. N.—1874, '75, Lebanon Ct.; '76, '77, Cuba; '78-'80, Richland; '81, Oronogo, '82-'84, Webb City; '85-'87, Peirce City; N. W. Kansas Conf., '88, Ellis; '89, '90, Jewell City; Ark. Conf., '91-'93, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part), Prof. L. R. Un.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '95-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '00, City Missions; '01, East 15th st.

Mullen, H. C.—1897, Ava; '98, Richland; '99, Buffalo; '00 '01, Aurora; later Carterville.

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Munsell, L. W.—Ohio Conf., 1841, Malta; '42, Braxton; '43, Ravenswood; '44, '45, Sup'ry; '46, Diverton; '47, Patriot; '48, Jackson; '49, '50, Gallia; '51-'52, Richmondale; '53 Amesville; '54-'55, Coolville; '56, '57, Barlow; '58, located because of ill health. During location served various charges in Ill. and Ohio Confs., as supply. From '72-'79, supplied work in St. L. Conf.; '80, re-admitted to St. L. Conf., appt'd to Barnesville; '81-'01, Sup'ted. ('83-'94, acted as supply).

Nations, J. L.—From Meth. Pr. Ch. 1898, Winona; '99, '00, Willow Spgs.; '01 Alton.

Needham, J. W.—1890, '91, Winona; '92, '93, at school; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S. 1897, '98, Conway; '99, '00, Sarcoxie; '01, Butler Ct.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75, '76, Warsaw; '77, '78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80-'82, Butler Ct.; '83, '84, Austin and Pl. Val., '85 '86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92, '93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; '99-'01, Sup'ted.

Pare, W. T.—1886, '87, Hermitage; '88, '89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry; '01, Newberg and Dixon.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1859, '60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61 '62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; St. L Conf.; '65, Boonville; '66 Independence; '67, '68, K. C., Grand Ave.; '69-'71, St. L. Trinity, '72, Sedalia; '73, '74, Warrensburg; '75, '76, Carthage; '77-'80, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '81, '82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85-'90, Sup'ry; '91, '92, Lowry City; '93-'00, Sup'ry; '01, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00 '01, Joplin, Byers Ave.

Porter, J. S.—1873, '74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownsville; '77-'79, Malta Bend; '80, '81, Knobnoster; '82, '83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87, '88, East Lynne; '89, Knobnoster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'02, Sup'ted.

Porter, J. H.—1896, Mountain View; '99, Potterville; '98, Appleton City, Ct.; '99, '00, Lowry City; '01, Eldorado Spgs. Ct.

Potter, Jas.—1896, '97, Hume and F., '98, '99, Mt. Vernon; '00, '01, at school.

Pyles W. T.—S. W. Mo Conf., M. E. Ch. S., 1883, Vienna; '84, Altoona; '85, Exeter; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-'88, Knobnoster; '89, '90, Smithton and Pilot Grove; '91, Malta Bend; '92, '93, Buffalo; S. Kan. Conf., '84, Cedarville; St. L. Conf., '95, Golden City; '96, '97, Carterville; '98, Butler Ct.; '99, '00, Austin; '01, Rich Hill.

Pyle, W. J.—So. Dakota Conf., 1896, '97, Pierre, 1st Ch.; '98, '99, Sturgis; St. Louis Conf., '00, '01, St. L., Harlem Place; '02 Transf'd to Iowa Conf.

Quayle, W. A.—Kan. Conf., 1886, Osage Ct.; '87-'89, Prof. Baker U.; '90-'94, Pres. Baker U; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), '98, Kansas City, Independence Av.; '99, transferred to Indiana Conf.; '99 (in part), '01, Indianapolis, Meridian st; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part), Kansas City, Grand Av.

Rainier, J. F.—1898, '99, Deepwater; '00, '01, Carterville; '02, transf'd to N. W. Ind Conf.

Reno, F. P.—1894, Carl Junction; '95, '96, Rockville; '97-'00, Huntingdale; '01, Lamonte.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93, '94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at school; '97, K. C. Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part) Pleasant Hill; '99-'01, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf. to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97, '98, Pleasant Hill; '99, '00, Higginsville; '01, Sup'ted.

Risley, H. M.—1895, Carl Junction; '96, '97, Webb City; '98, '99, Adrian; '00, Pleas-Hill; '01, Schell City.

Rose, C. I.—1893, '94, Urbana; '95-'97, Galena; '98-'01, Springfield, Dailey Ch.

Sapp, E. H.—1899-'01, Webb City.

Scott, W. T.—1894-'96, St. L., Tower Gr.; '97-'00, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '01. K. C., Summit St.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899, '00, Hartville; '00 (in part), '01, California.

Sidman, W. D.—1895-'97, Stockton; '98, '99, Republic; '00, '01, Greenfield.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876, '77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79, '80, Russellville; '81-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85, '86, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville; '88-'90, Greenfield; '91, '92, West Plains; '93-'98, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '99-'01, Marionville.

Simmons, D. T.—1892-'93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-01, Fair Play.

Simpson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97-'00, Osceola; '01, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.

Simpson, E.—1899, '00, Avilla; '01, Sarcoxie.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89, '90, Hartville; '91-'93, Republic; '94, Schell City; '95, '96, Montrose; '97, '98, Green Ridge; '99, '00, Lamonte; '01, Windsor and Leeton.

Smith, R. T.—1883, Sheldon; '84-'86, at school; '87-'89 Peirce City; '90-'92, Payson, Utah; '93-'95, K. C. Summit St.; '96-'98, springfield, Benton Av., '99, '00, Anti-Saloon League; '01, Conf. Evangelist.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67-69, Marshall; '70, '71, Independence; '72, '73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77, '78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '87, '88, Smithton; '89-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95 Butler; '96, Belton; '97, '98, Drexel; '99-'01, Odessa.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65 '66, Manor Hill; '67, '68; Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69, '70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield, '75-'77, St. L. Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81, '82, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '83'85, Carthage; '86, K. C., Summit St; '87-'97, P. E. K, C. Dist; '93-'98, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '99, '00, K. C. Dundee Place; '01 Kansas Av.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kan. Conf.; 1877, '78, Oxford; '79-'81, in school; '82, '83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87 '88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E. Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, 1st Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa; St. Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa; St.L. Conf.; '96 (in part), '01, Carthage.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76, 78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81, '82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'89, Iberia; '90, Linn Cr.; '91, '00, Sup'ry; '01, Sup'ted.

Thackrey, J. E.—N. W. Neb. Conf., 1894, Crawford; '95-'98, (in part) at school; Kan. Conf., 1898, '01, (in part); Chapman, St. L. Conf., '01 (in part) Kansas City, Grace Ch.

Thomas, B. F.—1881-'83, Perryville; '84-'86, Ironton; '87, St. L, Water Tower; '88-'91, Carondelet; '92, '93, Lebanon; '94-'99, P. E. Lebanon (Rolla) Dist.; '00 '01, Nevada; '02 Transferred to S. Kan. Conf.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'01, Appleton City.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70, '71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72, '73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77, '78, Mecklin; '78, '80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82, '83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86, '87, Conway; '88, '89, Dadeville; '90, '91, Galena; '92, '93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'01, Sup'ted.

Toland, H. A.—1885, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87, '88, Montrose; '89 Vichy Springs; '90-'01, Sup'ted.

Van Petten, J. B.—Black Riv. Conf., 1852, '53, Cape Vincent; '54-'60, Fairfield Sem'y; '61, Chaplain in the Army; '62-'65, in Military Service; '66, located; St. L. Conf. (re-admitted), '80, '84, Sedalia Seminary; '85-'99, Claverack Col., N. Y.; '00, '01, Sup'ted.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82, '83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-'89, St. L., Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91, '92, Holden; '93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96, '97, Kan. City, Howard Mem.; '98-'00 (29th st.) Grace Ch; '01, Bennington Heights (Centropolis and S.).

Warner, S. B.—Up. Ia. Conf., '74, '75, Marion Ct.; '76, '77, Tama City; '78-'80, Blairstown; Minn. Conf., '81, 1st Ch., Fargo, N. Dak.; '82, '83, St. Paul, Grace Ch.; '84-'87, P. E. St. Paul Dist.; '88, Minneapolis, Foss Ch.; '89-'91, St. Paul, Oxford Ch.; '92, Grace Ch.; Colo. Conf., '93-'95, Pueblo, 1st Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '96-'98, Kansas City, Dundee Place; '99-'01, P. E. St. L. Dist; '02, Transferred to Colo. Conf.

Welch, Jno.—Iowa Conf.—Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville, Mo. and Ark. Conf., 1866, Edina; '67, Lagrange; '68, Linn Creek; '69, Washington; '70, '71, Linn Creek; '72, Versailles; St. L. Conf., '73, Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80-'01, Sup'ted.

White, H.—1895, '96, Seneca; '97, '98, DeSoto; '99, '00, St. Louis, St. Luke's; '01, West Plains.

Wood, M. B.—N. W., Ind. Conf., 1867, Wheeler; '68, Calumet; '69, Argus; '70-'72 Pittsburg; '73, '74, Summit Grove; '75, Wheeler; '76, '77, Jamestown; '78-'82, located; St. L. Conf., '83, St. Goode Av.; '84, Farmington; '85, Carterville; '86, Jasper; '87, Tipton; '88-'01, Sup'ted.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88, Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93, '94, Carterville; '95-'98 Joplin; '99-'01, P. E. Kansas City Dist.

Wright, A. C.—1890-'98, Missionary to China; '99, returned; '00, '01, Sup'ry.

Yeager, W. F.—1880 '82, Cassville; '83, '84, Dadeville; '85, '86, Buffalo; '87, '88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90, '91, Fairplay; '92, '93, Dadeville; '94-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '99-'00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena.

Yount, W. H.—1893, Perryville; '94, Marquand; '95, Cross Roads; '96-'98, Hartville; '99, Urbana; '00, Newburg; '01, Seymour.

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Errata and Corrections.

I am informed that D. K. Burnham should appear as left without appointment to attend school and to supply Moundville. Also that B. F. January has been placed at Buffalo, by change since Conferenco.

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The death of Mrs. M. J. Tally was announced, and the memoir will appear next year.

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Baldwin, Lew. E	1895	1895	Republic
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Bradford, Geo. H	1893	1902	Kansas City, 610 Elmwood St
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Caleman, Wm. C	1894	1895	Warrensburg
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Elayer, Edward W	1897	1897	Aurora
Entwisle, Isaac	1866	1866	W. Ind'pl's, Ind., 1218 Sheffield Av
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Finley, John W	1869	1869	Windsor
Foster, Geo. M	1890	1890	Green Ridge
Foster, Henry B	1889	1895	Lebanon
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Gideon, Thos. J.	1882	1897	Hartville
Gillespie, John H.	1873	1873	Wyoming, Douglass
Glens, Geo. A.	1886	1886	Belton
Gower, Lewis E.*	1891	1891	Oklahoma, Watonga
Gowan, Harrison M.†	....	1902	Cuba
Hagerty, Thos. H.	1855	1863	St. Louis, 1909 N. Grand Av
Hallock, Leander*	1853	1877	St. Louis, Clifton Heights
Hamel, Wm. V.	1878	1878	Springfield
Hammons, Robt. P	1880	1901	Joplin, 303 Byers Av
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Harris, Jacob S.*	1870	1892	Cuba
Hatcher, Geo. S.*	1891	1891	
Heaton, Sam'l J.	1880	1992	Kansas City, 1702 Prospect Av
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Hunt, Geo. J.	1893	1893	Lebanon
Hurley, John H.	1881	1893	Knobnoster
Ing, Stanford*	1858	1850	Thompsonville, Ill
James, Charles C.	1891	1891	Malta Bend
Janssen, John J.	1896	1896	Seneca
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Jones, Harvey A.	1891	1893	Springfield, 408 Pearl St
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Keast, Alfred G.†	1899	1899	Humansville
King, Geo. W.	1886	1886	Licking
King, Harry A.†	1898	1898	Boston, Mass, 72 Mt. Vernon St.
Knease, Thos. H.*	1872	1884	Seymour
Koeth, Edward D. C.	1896	1896	Liberal
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Leckliter, Francis P.	1899	1899	Montana, Cascade
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Luccock, Naphtali	1879	1897	St. Louis, 3897 Delmar Av
Luce, Frank W.	....	1902	St. Louis, 5652 Cates Av
Lunbeck, Isaac J. K.	1870	1870	Kansas City, 3918 E. 18th St
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Mullen, Henry C.	1897	1897	Carterville
Munsell, Levi W.*	1841	1881	Winona
Nations, John L.	1898	1898	Koshkoning
Needham, Joh W.	1890	1890	Osceola
Niblack, Basil E.	1892	1897	Butler
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Pare, Wm. T.	1886	1886	Newberg
Pierce, John N.*	1859	1865	Clinton
Pierce, Perry E.	1896	1896	Joplin, 1720 Byers Av
Porter, James S.*	1873	1873	Knobnoster
Porter, John H.†	1896	1896	Filley
Potter, James	1897	1897	Walnut, Ill
Prall, Thos. E †	1897	1897	Pilot Grove
Pyles, Wm. T.	1883	1886	Rich Hill
Reno, Frank P.	1894	1894	Tipton
Reser, Lewis G.	1892	1892	Marionville
Ridgway, David C.*	1863	1896	Troy, Ohio
Risley, Harry M.†*	1895	1895	Cripple Creek, Colo
Rose, Chas. I	1893	1893	Mountain Grove
Scott, William T.	1894	1894	Kansas City, 608 W. 17th St
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Sidman, Wm. D.	1895	1895	Greenfield
Simmons, Wm. J	1876	1887	Marionville
Simmons, David T	1892	1892	Marshfield
Simpson, Fred W.	1895	1895	Sedalia, 313 Montgomery St
Smith, Hervey *	1887	1887	Jamestown, Ohio
Smith, Robert T.	1883	1886	Sheldon
Stephens, William	1866	1866	Odessa
Stevens, Scott F.	....	1902	Nevada
Steves, Henry L.	1883	1901	St. Louis, 1206 Chambers
Stewart, Oliver M.	1864	1869	Clinton
Stewart, John W.	1877	1897	Carthage
Stickney, Francis M.*	1872	1872	Eldon
Squier, Edgar A.	....	1900	Webster Grove
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Wright, Wm. T.	1886	1886	Kansas City, 511 E. 31st St
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Yeager, William F.	1880	1880	Marionville
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2	Henry A. Mitchell	1900	Eldorado Springs
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2	Edward Turrentine	1901	Lowry City
2	Frank Neff	1901	Bolivar
2	Zed Wright	1901	Deepwater
2	Landor L. Brannon	1900	Clinton R. D.
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1	Dan'l C. Dorchester	1901	Madison, New Jersey
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1	Harry C. Leonard	1902	St. Louis, 1200 Monroe St
1	Robert S Rutledge	1902	Puxico
1	Lewis L. Thomas	1902	Independence

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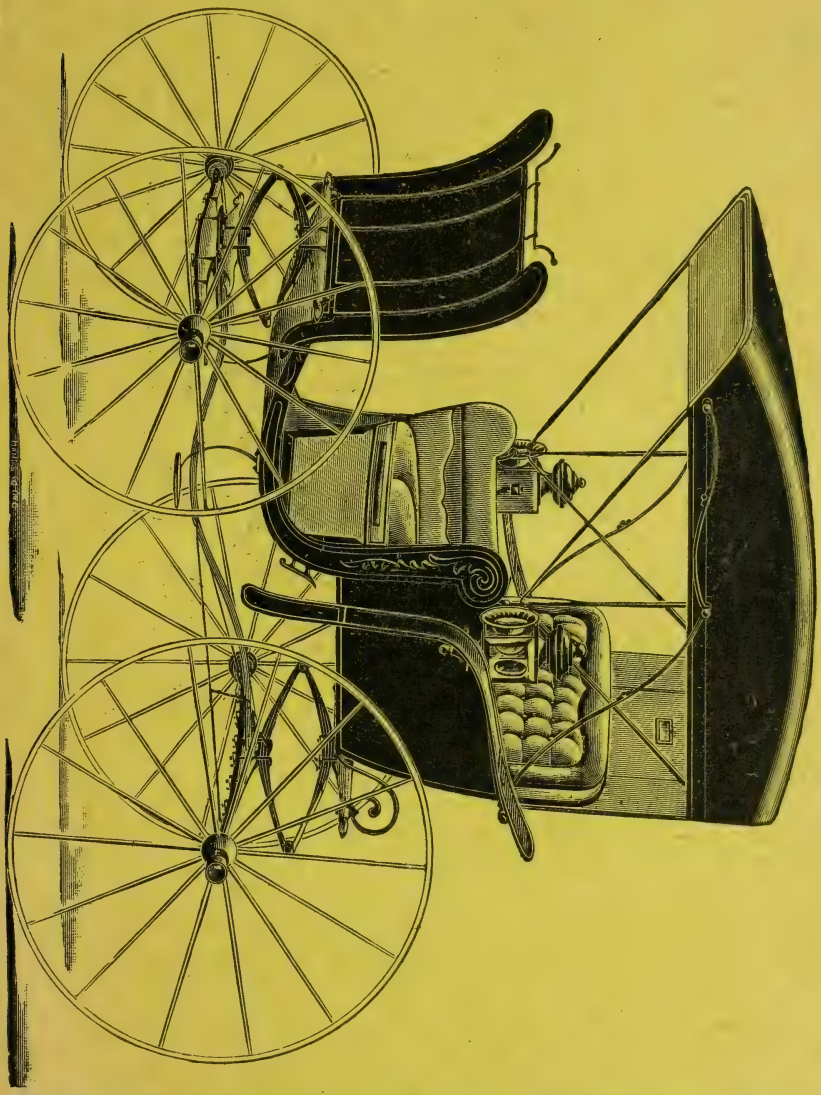

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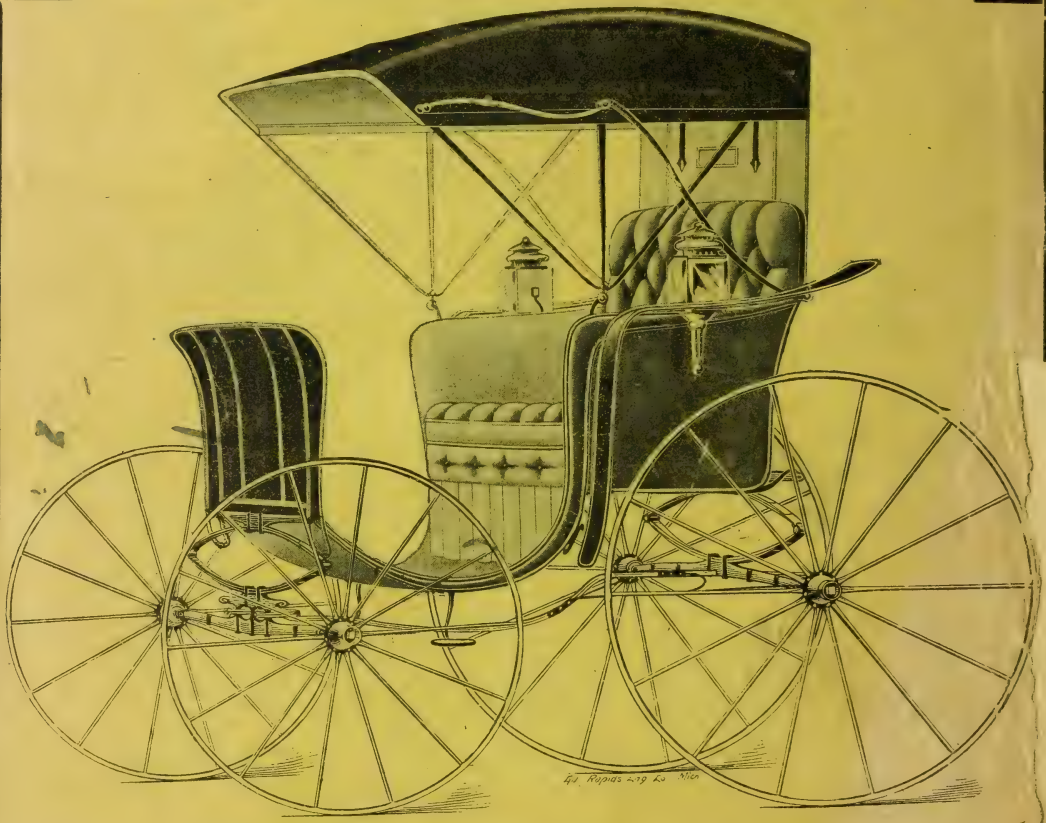

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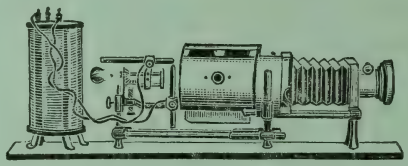

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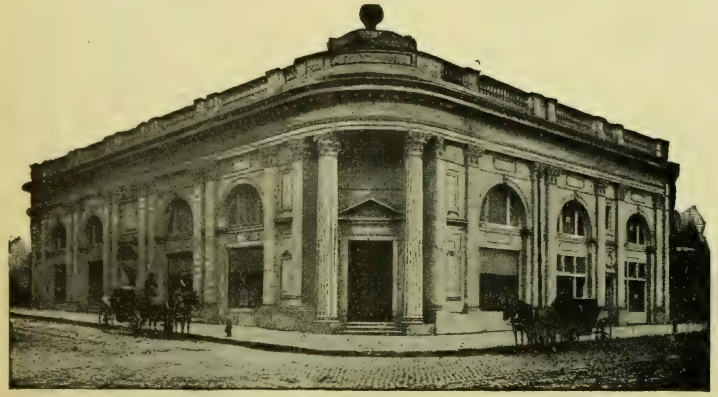

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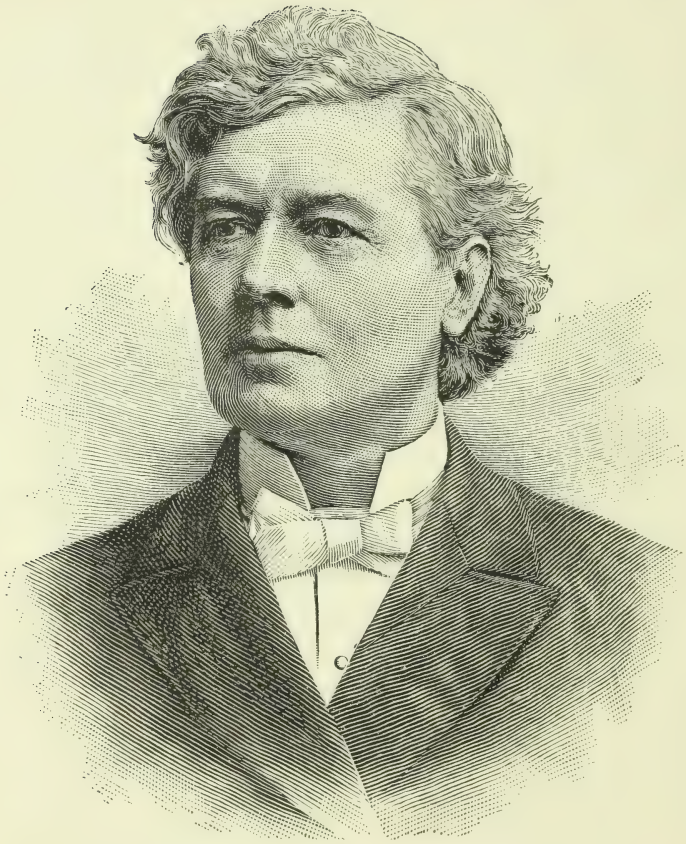

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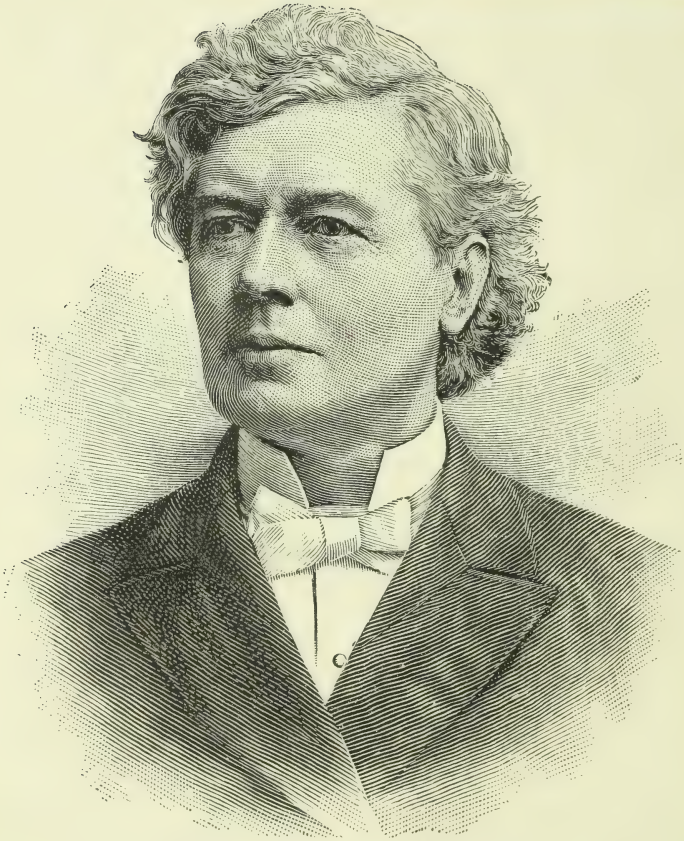

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VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene, namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

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IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a subject has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

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XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitous Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned; of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

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St. Louis Conference.

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 25th, 1903.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its thirty-fifth session in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Marshall, Missouri, March 25th, 1903, Bishop John W. Hamilton, presiding.

The Conference was called to order at 9 A. M.

The hymn No. 798, beginning

"And are we yet alive.
And see each other's face."

was announced and sung.

The Bishop read from the 10th chapter of Matthew's gospel and led in prayer. The Lord's supper was then administered by the Bishop, assisted by the Presiding Elders and Bishop J. N. FitzGerald.

The members of the Conference were severally introduced to the Bishop in the shaking of hands.

T. H. Hagerty in his happiest vein presented the Bishop with a pen holder constructed by himself of seven different kinds of wood. The Bishop in reply said it was the most unusual occurrence of his Episcopal experience.

The Secretary of the last session of the Conference, Wm. Stephens, called the roll and 102 members and probationers were present, viz.:

E. P. Anderson, H. A. Babbitt, W. F. Baker, Clarke Baker, A. D. Ball, J. A. Barker, F. S. Beggs, G. H. Bradford, J. B. Brewington, A. D. Burress, C. R. Carlos, A. B. Campbell, W. C. Coleman, J. F. Corrington, G. H. Cosper, W. M. Creamer, C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, M. L. Curl, H. A. Dougherty, E. W. Elayer, W. T. Ferguson, J. W. Finley, G. M. Foster,

H. B. Foster, C. D. Fry, W. T. Gatley, G. H. Gideon, T. J. Gideon, G. A. Glens, T. H. Hagerty, W. V. Hamel, S. J. Heaton, G. W. Hughey, E. J. Hunt, G. J. Hunt, J. H. Hurley, C. C. James, B. F. January, Samuel Jones, Wm. F. Jones, H. A. Jones, A. G. Keast, Wm. Leatherman, Naphtali Luccock, F. W. Luce, I. J. K. Lunbeck, H. G. Mais, W. F. Martin, J. J. Martin, S. S. Martin, S. W. McClure, W. R. McCormack, Chas. McCoard, J. S. Meracle, C. A. Mitchell, G. Z. Moore, H. C. Mullen, J. L. Nations, J. W. Needham, B. E. Niblack, P. E. Pierce, J. S. Porter, T. E. Prall, W. T. Pyles, W. A. Quayle, F. P. Reno, L. G. Reser, C. I. Rose, W. T. Scott, E. H. Sapp, T. P. Shaffer, W. D. Sidman, D. T. Simmons, W. J. Simmons, F. W. Simpson, R. T. Smith, Everett Simpson, Wm. Stephens, S. F. Stevens, O. M. Stewart, H. L. Steves, F. M. Stickney, E. A. Squier, L. M. Thompson, Samuel Warner, Harry White, W. T. Wright, W. F. Yeager.

PROBATIONERS.

C. F. Tippen, E. Turrentine, H. A. Mitchell, J. E. Hall, Frank Neff, Zed Wright, L. L. Brannon, H. G. Humphrey, T. H. Temple, W. L. Requa, A. M. Crippen, L. L. Thomas.

On nomination of T. H. Hagerty, Wm. Stephens was re-elected Secretary by acclamation, and on his nomination C. C. James, L. M. Thompson and E. W. Elayer were elected Assistant Secretaries.

On nomination, P. E. Pierce was re-elected Statistical Secretary, and on his nomination, W. D. Sidman, J. W. Needham, Clarke Baker, E. Simpson, W. H. Yount, T. P. Shaffer, Guy Z. Moore, A. G. Keast and Ralph Wakefield were elected as assistants.

On nomination, I. J. K. Lunbeck was re-elected Treasurer, and on his nomination, H. G. Mais, W. R. McCormack, G. M. Foster and Chas. McCoard were chosen his assistants.

The rules of the last session of the Conference were re-adopted.

The following Standing Committes, nominated by the Presiding Elders, were duly appointed, viz.:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Auditing.—W. T. Pyles, J. F. Corrington, C. I. Rose.

Benevolences.—S. F. Stevens, D. W. Crow, G. H. Bradford, Frank W. Luce, W. C. Coleman, H. A. Jones, F. S. Beggs.

Education.—M. S. Hughes, J. S. Meracle, N. Luccock, M. L. Curl, L. G. Reser, J. W. Stewart, W. A. Quayle, Harry White, L. M. Thompson, Frank Neff, R. T. Smith, S. J. Heaton, G. J. Hunt, C. F. Tippen.

Young People's Work.—W. R. McCormack, Chas. McCoard, H. L. Steves, Zed Wright, G. W. King, W. D. Sidman, E. Simpson.

Memoirs.—B. F. January, O. M. Stewart, W. A. Quayle, F. S. Beggs.

Public Worship.—The Presiding Elder and the Pastor at Marshall.

Reforms.—R. P. Hammonus, T. E. Prall, S. A. French, J. J. Martin, S. W. McClure, A. B. Campbell.

Resolutions.—O. M. Stewart, D. W. Crow, T. H. Hagerty, G. W. Hughey, J. W. Finley, F. S. Beggs, G. A. Glens.

Publication of Minutes.—The Secretary, Statistical Secretary and Treasurer.

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Conference Relations.—F. W. Simpson, B. D. Jones, Wm. Leatherman, W. R. McCormack, B. F. January, J. A. Barker, S. Warner, W. T. Pyles.

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Postmaster.—H. A. Dougherty.

Stewards.—W. V. Hamel, S. Warner, G. M. Foster, H. L. Steves, W. F. Jones, F. S. Beggs, D. W. Crow.

Woman's Work.—S. W. McClure, J. N. Moore, H. White, E. H. Sapp, J. H. Hurley.

The following special committees were appointed, viz.:

Church Insurance.—O. M. Stewart, J. F. Corrington, D. W. Crow, Chas. McCoard, W. J. Simmons, W. T. Pyles, F. S. Beggs.

Railroad Permits.—G. H. Cosper, H. A. Jones, S. S. Martin, S. W. McClure, G. H. Bradford, A. D. Buress.

On Motion of Wm. Stephens.—O. M. Stewart and S. J. Heaton were appointed to prepare an appropriate memorial for the late Mrs. Ella P. Price, of Burmah, India.

The Bar of the Conference was fixed at the Alcove of the church.

The roll of the charges was called and the Statistics were handed in.

The following introductions were made to the conference, viz.:

Bishop J. N. FitzGerald, of St. Louis, and Revs. J. H. Poland, W. F. Burris, L. C. Sappenfield and Leo Howard, of the Missouri Conference; Revs. J. W. Howell and J. H. Coontz, of the M. E. Church, South; Revs. J. F. Berry, E. Thompson, A. P. George, C. B. Spencer, J. D. Smith, F. W. Luce and F. L. Hart.

M. L. Curl was granted leave of absence.

Dr. Edward Thompson addressed the Conference in the interest of the Sunday League of America.

Dr. C. B. Spencer addressed the conference in the interest of the Central Christian Advocate.

Dr. A. P. George, representing the Sunday School Union, addressed the Conference.

Dr. J. F. Berry addressed the Conference in the interest of the Epworth Herald, and the Epworth League.

The notices were given and the session closed with the doxology and benediction by Bishop FitzGerald.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference met at 8:30 A. M. The devotional services were conducted by T. H. Hagerty.

At 9 o'clock the Bishop took the chair. The minutes of the last session were read, corrected and approved.

The roll of absentees was called and W. K. Collins, S. B. Campbell, M. S. Hughes, B. D. Jones, J. N. Moore, W. T. Pare, J. W. Stewart and G. E. Tuttle were present.

The Statistical Secretary called for delinquent statistics.

The following resolution respecting the Permanent Fund was adopted:

Whereas, There is great need of increased aid for our Conference Claimants; and

Whereas, Certain ministers and laymen throughout the Conference have expressed a willingness to make special gifts to the Permanent Fund;

Therefore, Resolved, That it is high time to bestir ourselves to a new zeal for this worthy cause, and that a committee composed of the following: S. Warner, G. J. Hunt, H. A. Jones, W. F. Jones, D. W. Crow, W. C. Coleman and H. G. Mais, shall consider plans and recommend to this Conference the wisest course to pursue.

ELI P. ANDERSON,
J. W. STEWART,
J. W. FINLEY,
N. LUCCOCK.

A partial report from the committee on pooling the traveling expenses was presented and adopted and the committee excused from further service.

A resolution to pool the traveling expenses on the basis of salary was adopted.

Question XIII. The Thirteenth Question was taken up, viz: *Was the character of each preacher examined?*

The characters of E. P. Anderson, Presiding Elder of Carthage District; A. D. Ball, Presiding Elder of Farmington District; W. T. Wright, Presiding Elder of Kansas City District; H. B. Foster, Presiding Elder of Lebanon District; C. R. Carlos, Presiding Elder of St. Louis District; E. J. Hunt, Presiding Elder of Sedalia District and C. V. Criss, Presiding Elder of

Springfield District, passed, and they presented reports of the work on their districts.

The following ladies from St. Louis and Kansas City, engaged in special church work, were introduced:

Mrs. Schureman, and the Misses Sandford, Patton, Mitchell, Rickart and Iva May Durham. The last addressed the Conference on the subject of the Deaconess work, especially in St. Louis.

Dr. W. F. McDowell, representing the Board of Education, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

On motion of Dr. Hughey, the Bishop appointed Drs. Hughey, Hagerty and Hughes, as a Fraternal delegation to the New Lebanon Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, now in session in this city.

The report of the Committee on Church Insurance was presented. Pending its adoption, F. L. Hart, of the Church Insurance Society, addressed the Conference in its interests. The report was adopted. (See Reports).

W. E. O'Kane, manager of the Kansas City Depository, was introduced and addressed the conference.

The following drafts were ordered: On the Book Concern for $672, and on the Chartered Fund for $22, and placed in the hands of the Chairman of the Board of Stewards.

Drs. Lowe, of the George R. Smith College, and S. B. Campbell were introduced to the Conference.

The notices were given and the session closed with the doxology, and benediction by Dr. Hagerty.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference convened at 8:30 A. M. G. J. Hunt conducted the devotional services. At 9 o'clock Bishop Hamilton took the chair.

The minutes of the previous session were read and approved. On motion of T. H. Hagerty, N. Luccock and W. F. Jones were elected Trustees of the "Permanent Fund," to serve three years.

The report of W. W. Kendall, Treasurer of the Permanent Fund, was presented and accepted. (See reports.)

The Trustees of the "Permanent Fund" were granted permission to retire during the morning session.

T. P Shaffer was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the "Methodist Review."

In considering the delinquent statistics, it was decided that the statistical records stand closed, and belated reports can be entered in foot note, if possible.

The following reported, their characters passed, and they were elected to Deacon's Orders, viz.:

J. E. Hall, E. Turrentine, Zed Wright, H. A. Mitchell, W. O. Turrentine, L. L. Brannon and Ralph Wakefield.

The characters of P. A. Sample and C. F. Tippen passed and continued in the class of the second year. C. F. Tippen reported his collections.

Chas. L. Halterman being duly recommended, his orders from the Congregational Church were recognized, as a Deacon.

Richard H. Crowder being duly recommended, was admitted into full connection on his credentials and placed in the class of the fourth year.

The orders of George. W. Hanna were recognized as a local Deacon from the Christian Church, and he was placed in the third year of the local preacher's course of study.

J. E. Jines, being duly recommended, was elected to Deacon's Orders as a local preacher.

Dr.'s J. M. Hubbert and W. H. Black, the Fraternal Delegation from the Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, were introduced and addressed the Conference. Their addresses were cordially received, and a felicitous response was made by Bishop Hamilton, in behalf of the Conference.

Dr. W. D. Parr, representing the Board of Church Extension, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Dr. W. P. Thirkield, Secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, was introduced to the Conference.

The following ladies, representing the Woman's Foreign, and the Woman's Home, Missionary Societies, were introduced to

the Conference, viz.: Miss Lydia Trimble, Mrs. I. C. Hodson, Mrs. M. E. Roberts and Mrs. C. B. Spencer.

The notices were given and the session closed with the doxology and benediction by Dr. Parr.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY, 8:30 A. M.

The Conference convened at 8.30 A. M. R. T. Smith conducted the devotional services. The business of the Conference was then taken up, Bishop Hamilton presiding.

The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

The following resolution was offered and adopted:

Whereas, Our Brother, Dr. T. H. Hagerty, if spared, will complete in another year the fiftieth year of his ministry;

Whereas, Much of this ministry has been spent in the State of Missouri, the Doctor having been a member of the St. Louis Conference from its organization, and having planted many of the flourishing churches within its bounds;

Therefore, Resolved, That we request Dr. Hagerty to preach a semi-centennial sermon at the next session of the St. Louis Conference.

N. LUCCOCK,
JOEL A. BARKER,
O. M. STEWART,
WM. STEPHENS.

A communication from the treasurers of the Episcopal Fund was presented and referred to the Presiding Elders.

The report of the Book Committee was referred to the Committee on Publishing Interests.

Letters were received from G. E. Stokes and F. B. Price, missionaries in India. Their substance was given by the Secretary.

Question X. The Tenth Question was taken up, viz: *What members have completed the Conference course of study?*

The characters of W. T. Ferguson and W. F. Martin passed; they reported and were elected to Elders Orders. F. P. Leckliter, already an Elder, was graduated. J. C. Bell, A. M. Lehr, H. A. King and H. M. Risley were continued in the class and studies of the Fourth year.

The Bishop was requested to leave P. A. Sample, J. C.

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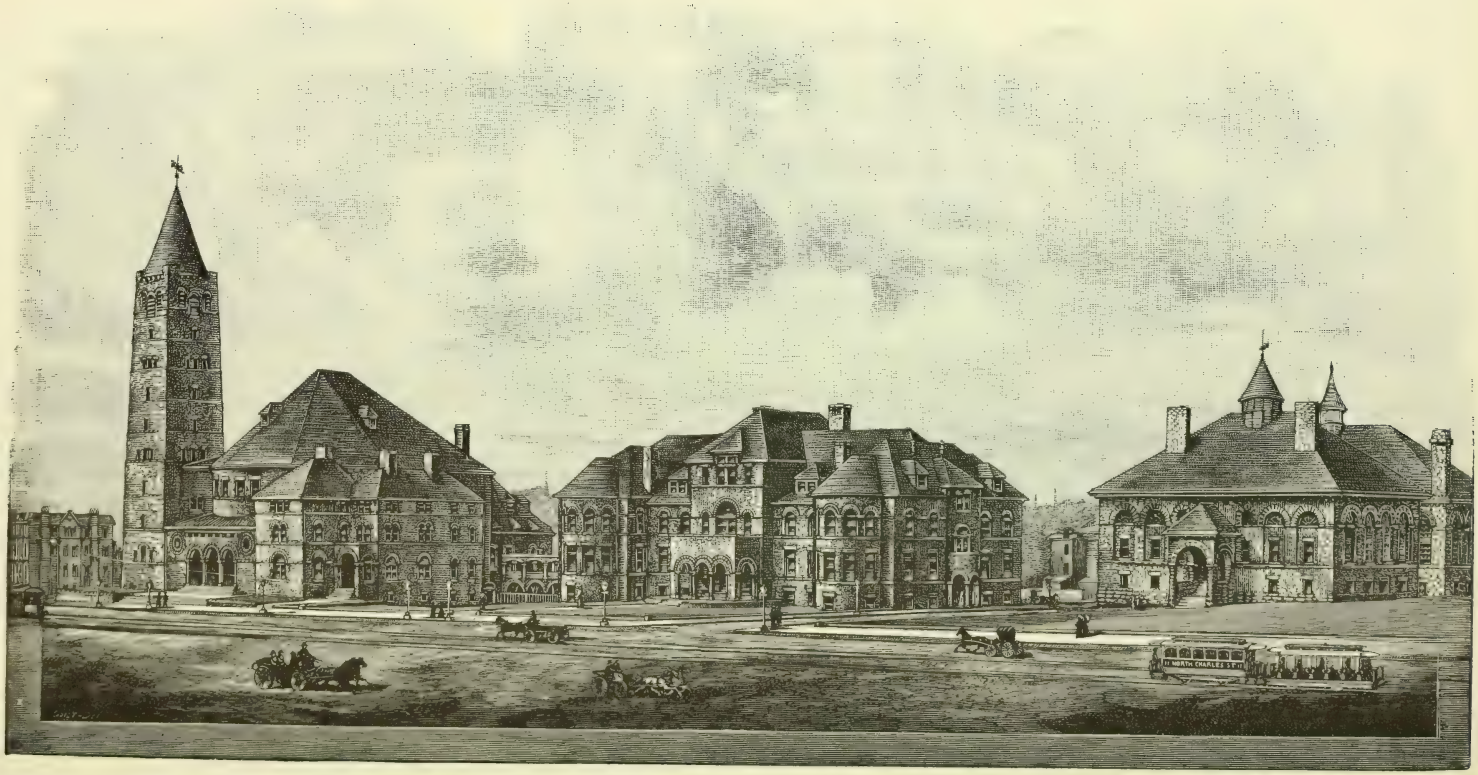

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Bell and H. A. King without appointments, to attend one of our schools.

A. L. Simmons, being duly represented, was elected to Local Elder's Orders. Chas. E. Witter was represented and elected to Local Deacon's Orders.

Question XIII. The Thirteenth Queston was resumed.

The following effective elders were called, their characters passed and they reported, viz.:

CARTHAGE DISTRICT: W. F. Jones, B. E. Niblack, G. H. Gideon, H. C. Mullen, J. W. Stewart, P. E. Pierce, R. P. Hammons, G. H. Cosper, E. D. C. Koeth, Wm. Leatherman, S. F. Stevens, W. T. Pyles, J. J. Janssen and R. T. Smith.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT: J. Ashley, D. W. Crow, J. S. Meracle, W. M. McCormack, J. L. Nations and Harry White.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT: G. A. Glens, J. J. Martin, S. J. Heaton, S. Warner, B. F. Crissman, J. E. Thackrey, W. A. Quayle, J. N. Moore, M. S. Hughes, Chas. McCoard, G. H. Bradford, I. J. K. Lunbeck, W. T. Scott, W. K. Collins and E. M. Dugger.

LEBANON DISTRICT: B. F. January, T. J. Gideon, C. D. Fry, G. J. Hunt, G. W. King, C. I. Rose, W. T. Pare, W. M. Creamer, F. S. Beggs and W. H. Yount.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT: J. A. Barker, H. G. Mais, M. L. Curl, S. W. McClure, J. B. Brewington, Dan'l Dorchester, Jr., F. W. Luce, H. L. Steves, N. Luccock, E. A. Squier, J. F. Corrington and T. H. Hagerty.

SEDALIA DISTRICT: L. M. Thompson, O. M. Stewart, C. C. James, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Baker, Clarke Baker, F. W. Simpson, S. S. Martin, H. A. Babbitt, F. P. Reno, J. W. Finley, J. H. Gillespie, Jas. Potter and J. H. Hurley.

Wm. Stephens, at his personal request, was granted the superannuated relation.

On motion of his Presiding Elder, he was placed on the Claimant's list.

C. F. Coons was requested to ask a location at our next annual session, and the Secretary was directed to inform him of this action.

The selection of the place of holding the next session of the Conference was made the order of the day, after the Bishop's address to the class 1or admission into full membership.

The following committee was appointed on the "State of the Church:"

N. Luccock, B. D. Jones, G. H. Cosper, S. S. Martin, A. B. Campbell, W. T. Scott and F. S. Beggs.

Dr. Thirkield addressed the Conference on the work of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society.

The following were introduced to the Conference, viz.:

Dr. W. B. Palmore, editor of St. Louis Christian Advocate, ot the M. E. Church, South.

Rev. G. W. Shepherd, of the Southern Illinois Conference.

Question VII. The Seventh Question was taken up, viz.: *Who have Been Admitted into Full Membership?*

The class of the second year was called forward. After the reading of the rules for a preacher's conduct by Dr. W. B. Palmore and prayer by Dr. N. Luccock, the class was addressed by the Bishop.

After having answered the usual Disciplinary questions, Frank Neff, Wm. O. Turrentine, Henry A. Mitchell, John E. Hall, Landor L. Brannon, Edward Turrentine, Zed Wright and Chas. L. Halterman were admitted in full membership.

Question XXX. The Thirtieth Question was taken up, viz: *Where shall the next Conference be held?*

Carthage, Mo., was unanimously chosen.

The Stewards presented their report which was adopted.

(See reports.)

Miss Jennie E. Jackson was introduced and made a brief but effective address in behalf of the Deaconess work in Bethany Hospital, Kansas City, Kansas.

Notices were given and the Conference adjourned to meet Monday, 8 A. M. The doxology was sung, and the benediction by Dr. Palmore closed the session.

FIFTH DAY.

SUNDAY, 9:00 A. M.

Love Feast.—The Love Feast began at the Opera House at 9 a. m., T. H. Hagerty presiding. After the opening devotions one hundred and twelve persons gave testimony for Christ.

Sermon.—At 10:30 Bishop Jno. W. Hamilton preached from Psa. 12: 8. His theme was "The Sovereignty of the Son of Man." It was an earnest, forcible and effective sermon.

Memorial Service.—The Memorial Service was held at the church at 2:30 p. m., B. F. January presiding. After appropriate devotions, O. M. Stewart read the memoir of Isaac Entwisle. Additional remarks were made by D. W. Crow, T. H. Hagerty, G. W. Hughey and H. G. Mais, as a tribute to his memory.

B. F. January read the memoir of Clark B. Beaty and H. B. Foster added words of appreciation.

The special memoir of Mrs. Ellen Perry Price was read by S. J. Heaton, and Mrs. I. C. Hodson, Conference Secretary of Woman's Foreign Missionary Society gave testimony to the character and life of this woman who laid down her life in far off Burmah.

Consecration.—Two young women, Miss May Villa Patton and Miss Susannah A. Mitchell, were duly consecrated by the Bishop to the office of Deaconess in the Church.

Ordination.—This was followed by the ordination as Deacons of eight young men. Two others whose orders from other Churches were recognized, took upon them our vows.

The ordination of three young men as elders followed.

Anniversary.—At 7:30 p. m. the Missionary Society held its Annual Anniversary, G. H. Cosper presiding and Dr. W. F. Oldham giving the address.

SIXTH DAY.

MONDAY, 8 A. M.

The devotional services were conducted by G. H. Gideon.

By appointment of the Bishop, Dr. G. W. Hughey took the chair at 8:30.

The minutes were read and approved.

Letters to the conference from Brothers Van Petten, Gillespie, Hervey Smith and T. H. Knease, were read.

The following resolution was presented and adopted:

Whereas, Rev. L. R. Carpenter, a member of this Conference, has offered to the Permanent Fund property and money valued at $1,800.00, on the annuity plan,

Resolved, That the thanks of this Conference be tendered Brother Carpenter for his generous offer.

W. F. JONES.

The Special Committee on Permanent Fund reported, and the report was adopted. (See reports).

Question VIII. The Eighth Question was taken up, viz: *What members are in the studies of the Third Year?*

D. K. Burnham, E. H. Sapp, Everett Simpson, A. J. Keast, A. B. Campbell, A. D. Burress, L. G. Adams, J. H. Porter, H. N. Gowan and C. A. Mitchell, were continued in the studies of the Third Year.

The Bishop was requested to leave without appointments to attend school the following: D. K. Burnham, Jas. Potter.

A. D. Burress and J. H. Porter were granted the Supernumerary relation.

Question IX. The Ninth Question was taken up, viz: *What members are in studies of the Fourth Year?*

After due representation W. T. Gatley, T. P. Shaffer, Guy Z. Moore and T. E. Prall were advanced to the studies of the Fourth Year.

Question XIII. The Thirteenth Question was resumed:

The Characters of E. W. Elayer, Jas. Lokey, W. D. Sidman, W. J. Simmons, W. F. Yeager, D. T. Simmons, B. D. Jones, J. W. Needham, S. A. French, L. E. Baldwin, W. V. Hamel, H. A. Dougherty, H. A. Jones and L. G. Reser passed and all present reported.

W. F. Yeager and J. B. Brewington were granted the Superannuated relation. A special collection was taken for them.

H. N. Gowan, H. C. Mullen, W. T. Gatley and L. E. Baldwin were announced as transferred from the Conference.

Question XXII. The Twenty-second Question was taken up, viz: *Who are the supernumerary preachers?*

A. C. Wright, A. H. Miller, G. S. Hatcher, J. S. Bitler, M. E. Coen, D. B. Jones, H. M. Risley, I. M. Galbraith, Hervey Smith, L. E. Gower, passed in character and were continued.

Question XXIII. The Twenty-third Question was taken up, viz: *Who are the superannuated preachers?*

J. B. Van Petten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, Stanford Ing, H. A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Joseph Harris, J. S. Harris, John Welch, T. S. Benefiel, M. B. Wood, L. W. Munsell, Alanson Barber, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, T. H. Knease, Sam'l Jones, J. N. Pierce, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgway, N. H. Buck, passed in character and were continued.

The Triers of Appeals were elected. (See list).

John W. Coontz was received on Credentials as an Elder from the M. E. Church, South.

The Officers and Trustees and Advisory Board of the Permanent Fund were appointed. (See Miscellaneous Appointments).

The following resolution was adopted:

We express our appreciation of the semi-centennial sermon by our beloved brother Dr. G. W. Hughey, and we request him to publish the same.

S. J. HEATON, J. J. MARTIN, O. M. STEWART.

Question IV. The Fourth Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been received on trial?*

Carlton T. Cotton, Edwin E. Sparks, Edwin T. Rice and Edward F. Miller, were duly represented and admitted on trial

Question V. The Fifth Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been continued on trial?*

The characters of T. H. Temple, H. G. Humphrey, G. E. Tuttle, L. L. Thomas, H. C. Leonard and A. M. Crippen were passed and they were continued on trial in the class of the second year.

W. L. Requa was continued in class of first year.

Question VI. The Sixth Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been discontinued?* Robert S. Rutledge.

The Board of Stewards presented a supplementary report. (See reports).

Dr. W. F. Oldham, representing the Missionary Society, was introduced and he addressed the Conference.

J. S. Meracle addressed the Conference in the interests of Carleton College.

C. V. Criss represented Marionville Collegiate Institute.

The Statistical Secretary read his report and it was adopted. (See Statistical Tables).

The Treasurer read his report, which was adopted. (See reports).

An afternoon session was ordered at 2 p. m. Harry White was appointed to conduct the devotional services and Dr. O. M. Stewart was appointed to preside.

The Auditing Committee presented their report and it was adopted. (See reports).

Notices were given and the session closed with Benediction by Wm. Stephens.

SECOND SESSION.

Pursuant to adjournment the Conference met at 2 p. m.

The devotional service was led by Harry White.

Dr. O. M. Stewart, by appointment of the Bishop, in the chair.

The Minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The following reports were presented and adopted, viz: "Publishing Interests," "Benevolences," "Woman's Work," "Reforms," "Education," "Young People's Work," and "Domestic Missions." (See reports).

The Miscellaneous Appointments were read. (See list).

The subscription for the publication of the Minutes was taken.

A collection was taken for the Janitor.

The following Transfers were announced.

H. C. Mullen to Southern California Conference, and W. T. Scott to S. W. Kansas Conference, W. R. Leigh and E. M. Dugger to the Oklahoma Conference.

H. G. Mais was appointed on the Board of Examiners.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved 1, That we record it a fortunate pleasure to have enjoyed the kindly spirit, the inspiring words, the dignified supervision and the impartial and vigorous administration of Bishop John W. Hamilton. We shall certainly cherish these as pleasant memories and the hope of his return to us again soon.

2. To the Secretaries and Treasurer we express our appreciation of their many and difficult labors and of the promptness and gratifying efficiency of their work, and we pledge our co-operation in sustaining the present standard.

3. To the Pastor and Official Board of this Church we are greatly indebted for the various and excellent provisions made for our comfort and convenience, and to the friends and families of this church, together with all the churches and co-operating citizens of Marshall, we most earnestly express our appreciation and sincere gratitude for the excellent entertainment furnished. Also that we thank the Christian church for the liberal use of their commodious church edifice; and also to Messers Strike and Patterson for the gratuitious use of the opera house for our Sunday morning services, and also the newspapers of Marshall for special favors.

O. M. STEWART, Chairman.

G. A. GLENS, Secretary.

The Minutes were read and approved.

After an address and prayer by the Bishop the Appointments were read and the Annual Session of the Conference closed, adjourning sine die, with the Benediction.

John W. Hamilton

President.

William Stephens

Secretary.

THE APPOINTMENTS.

(Supplies in Black Type.)

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

ELI. P. ANDERSON, P. E., 4. Carthage, Mo., 515 W. Macon St.

Anderson.....**Geo. W. Hanna** 1
Avilla.....Carlton T. Cotton 1
Butler.....Wm. F. Jones 6
Butler Ct....Electious H. Sapp 1
Carl Junction....Geo. H. Gideon 2
Carterville....Wm. T. Simmons 1
Carthage.....T. W. Jeffreys 1
Carthage Ct....To be supplied
Diamond.....**Leon H. Sweetland** 1
Golden City.....Edwin T. Rice 1
Hume and Foster....**J. C. Kirk** 1
Iantha..... **Wm. Caskey** 3
Jasper and Mt. Moriah.....
..Wm. T. Ferguson 2
JOPLIN:
Byers Ave.....Perry E. Price 4
Central Ave...**Wm. E. Brown** 1
First Church.....
.....Robt. P. Hammons 3
Missions.....To be supplied
Lamar.....Geo. H. Cosper 2
Lamar Ct.....**T. S. Benefiel** 1
Liberal.....Geo. M. Foster 1
Moundville....Edwin E. Sparks 1
Nashville.....Guy Z. Moore 3
Neosho.....Wm. Leatherman 3
Nevada.....Scott F. Stevens 2
Oronogo.....**Chas. J. Harrison** 1
Rich Hill.....Chas. C. James 1
Sarcoxie.....Everett Simpson 3
Seneca.....Silas A. French 1
Sheldon.....Wm. M. Creamer 1
Webb City.....John E. Hall 1
30 Charges.

DeKalb Burnham and James C. Bell left without appointments to attend one of our schools.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

ALBERT D. BALL, P. E., 4. DeSoto, Mo.

Advance.....**David L. Walker** 2
Belgrade.....To be supplied
Birch Tree.....To be supplied
Bismark....**Everett H. Maynard** 1
Bloomfield..Arthur B. Campbell 1
Bonne Terre....**Andrew J. May** 1
Cross Roads...**Francis M. Sides** 2
Dexter.....To be supplied
De Soto.....David W. Crow 4
De Soto Ct....**Richard H. Shute** 2
Doe Run...Edward D. C. Koeth 1
Farmington.Wm. R. McCormack 2
Farmington Ct..To be supplied
Fairview.....**John T. Maynard** 3
Flat River.....**John T. Clower** 1
Fruitland...Richard H. Crowder 1
Ironton.....**Thos. G. Peterson** 2
Koshkonong.....To be supplied
Leemon.....To be supplied
Lutesville...**Alfred M. Stickney** 1
Palmer.....**Dall. P. Cole** 2
Puxico.....**Jasper E. Jines** 1
Perryville.....**Rudolph Jones** 2
West Plains.....Harry White 3
West Plains Ct..**Jos. M. Willard** 2
Willow Springs...**J. L. Medsker** 2
Winona.....**J. M. Crisel** 1
27 Charges.

John S. Meracle, President of Carleton College.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

WILLIAM T. WRIGHT, P. E., 5. 511 E. 31st St., Kansas City, Mo.

Adrain.....To be supplied
Austin.....Basil E. Niblack 1
Amsterdam....Geo. W. Britton 1
Belton.....Geo. A. Glens 2
Centerview.....Floyd O. Moore 1
Drexel.....Thomas H. Temple 3
East Lynne.....D. W. Britton 2
Garden City.....W. F. Baker 1
Harrisonville....To be supplied
Holden.....Jno. W. Coontz 1
Independence....John J. Martin 1
Independence Ct.To be supplied
KANSAS CITY:
Arlington....Sam'l J. Heaton 4
Bennington Heights .....
.....Samuel Warner 3
Grace Church.....
.....John E. Thackrey 3
Grand Ave....Wm. A. Quayle 3
Hammond Place.....
.....Jno. N. Moore 3
Howard Memorial.....
.....John W. Stewart 1
Independence Ave.....
.....Matt S. Hughes 5
Linwood Boulevard.....
.....Stephen B. Campbell 1
Mt. Washington..J. G. Moyer 1
Oakley.....Geo. H. Bradford 3
Phoenix Park. .....
.....Isaac J. K. Lunbeck 2
Summit St.Oliver M. Stewart 1
Lee's Summit..Wm. K. Collins 1
Oak Grove....Edward F. Miller 1
Pleasant Hill..Lewis L. Thomas 1
27 Charges.

Harry A. King, Harry G. Humphrey, and Philmer A. Sample left without appointments to attend one of our schools.

Chas. E. Coons, Missionary to Kalispell, Miss.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

HENRY B. FOSTER, P. E., 4. Lebanon, Mo.

Ava.....Chas. D. Fry 1
Buffalo.....Benj. F. January 2
Buffalo Ct.....To be supplied
California.....N. H. Hudson 2
Conway.....John M. Slusher 1
Eldon. .....Chas. F. Tippen 3
Gainesville Andrew L. Simmons 5
Hartville.....Thos J. Gideon 2
Houston and Cabool.....
.....Chas. L. Wright 1
Iberia.....John L. Nations 1
Lebanon.....Henry G. Mais 1
Licking.....Geo. W. King 3
Linn Creek.....S. W. Pickens 1
Macomb.....L. O. Peters 2
Mountain Grove..Chas. I. Rose 2
Mountain Grv. Ct..John Reimer 1
Newburg and Dixon.....
.....Wm. T. Pare 3
Orla.....Wm. M. McClanahan 5
Phillipsburg.....Elmer Wilton 1
Richland.....Thos. P. Shaffer 1
Richland Ct.....E. J. Dunaway 1
Rolla.....Francis S. Beggs 4
Seymour.....Wm. H. Yount 3
Tuscumbia.Francis M. Stickney 6
Urbana.....B. Kitterman 4
Vichy. .....F. P. Fike 2
26 Charges.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

CHARLES R. CARLOS, P. E., 2. 3662 Finney Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Cuba.....To be supplied
Pacific.....John Ashley 1

ST. LOUIS:

Baden.....Robt. T. Smith 1
Bowman....Fred W. Simpson 1
Carondelet....Joel A. Barker 1
Fry Memorial..Martin L. Curl 2
Goode Ave...Chas. McCoard 1
Harlem Place .....
.....Harry C. Leonard 1
Jennings and Walnut Park.
.....**Aaron T. James 1**
Lindell Ave. .....
.....Liverus H. Dorchester 1
Maple Ave....Frank W. Luce 2
Maplewood.Geo. W. Shepherd 1
Neidringhaus Memorial....
.....Henry L. Harvey 1
St. Luke's.....**D. E. Standard 2**
Tower Grove.....
.....Ralph Wakefield 2
Trinity.....Henry L. Steves 2
Tuxedo and Shrewsbury...
.... **Pearly B. Davis 2**
Union.....Naphtali Luccock 7
Salem.....Chas. L. Halterman 1
Sligo.....To be supplied
Sullivan.....**L. Z. Winkler 1**
Webster Groves.....
.....Edgar A. Squier
22 Charges.

Thos. H. Hagerty, Chaplain in St. Louis City Institutions; member of Union Quarterly Conference.

James F. Corrington, Agent Twentieth Century Thank Offering; Daniel C. Dorchester left without appointment to attend school; members of Lindell Avenue Quarterly Conference.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

ENOCH J. HUNT, P. E., 2. 914 W. Third St., Sedalia, Mo.

Alberta.....**Guy A. Cox 2**
Appleton City.....
.....Leon M. Thompson 5
Clinton.....Frank Neff 1
Deepwater. .....Zed Wright 4
Eldorado Springs.....
.....Henry A. Mitchell 2
Eldorado Springs Ct.....
.....**Isaac M. Galbraith 1**
Green Ridge.....
.....Landor L. Brannon 1
Higginsville....**Clinton Senneff 2**
Huntingdale....John H. Hurley 1
Knobnoster....To be supplied
Lamonte..Adelbert M. Crippen 2
Lincoln and Warsaw.....
.....To be supplied
Lowry City.Edward Turrentine 2
Malta Bend.....
.....Henry A. Dougherty 1
Marshall .....Walter S. Bundy 1
Montrose.....To be supplied
Odessa. .....**William Stephens 5**
Pilot Grove.....Thos. E. Prall 3
Rockville.....Wm. F. Baker 2
Schell City. .....Clarke Baker 2
SEDALIA:
Epworth...Sylvester McClure 1
First Church.....
.....Sebern S. Martin 2
Smithton....Homer A. Babbitt 2
Tipton.....Frank P. Reno 2
Warrensburg..Wm. C. Coleman 3
Windsor and Leeton.....
.....John W. Finley 1
26 Charges.

John H. Gillespie, Missionary in Wyoming 14th year.

James Potter left without appointment to attend one of our schools.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

CURTIS V. CRISS, P. E., 5. 812 Benton Ave., Springfield, Mo.

Ash Grove.....
.....**Stephen A. Gardner** 2
Aurora. .....Edward W. Elayer 2
Billings....Wm. O. Turrentine 1
Boaz.....James Lokey 3
Bolivar. .....Geo. J. Hunt 1
Bolivar Ct.....**A. M. Hall** 2
Cassville.....**M. D. Cox** 1
Dadeville.....**David Keeton** 2
Fair Play and Stockton.....
.....Wm. L. Requa 2
Galena.....**I. V. Parker** 1
Greenfield.....W. D. Sidman 4
Humansville....Geo. E. Tuttle 1
Lockwood.....Alfred G. Keast 1
Marionville.....Wm. T. Pyles 1
Marionville Ct.....**E. M. Fly** 1
Marshfield..David T. Simmons 2
Monett.....Burrell D. Jones 4
Mt. Vernon....**Edw. W. Elayer** 2
Osceola....John W. Needham 2
Peirce City and Purdy.....
.....**R. W. Moore** 1
Republic.....John J. Janssen 1

SPRINGFIELD:
Benton Ave...Wm. V. Hamel 5
Circuit.....**Geo. E. McMillan** 2
Daily.....Wm. F. Martin 1
Grace.....Harvey A. Jones 5
Mt. Carmel..Lewis G. Adams 3
Taneyville.....To be supplied
Wheatland.....To be supplied
28 Charges.

Lewis G. Reser, president of Marionville Col. Institute.
Chas. A. Mitchell, Financial Agent of Turrentine Hall.
Frank Leckliter, missionary to Montana.
Total charges, 186.

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

This certifies that in Marshall, Mo., on Sunday, March 29, 1903, I ordained John N. Hall, Edward Turrentine, Henry A. Mitchell, Wm. O. Turrentine, Lauder L. Brannon, Zed Wright and Jasper E. Jines, Deacons; and on the same day and at the same place, by aid of Elders present, Wm. F. Martin, Wm. T. Ferguson and Andrew L. Simmons, Elders; according to the ritual of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Marshall, Mo., March 30, 1903.

JOHN W. HAMILTON.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS.

1—*Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*

Stephen B. Campbell, Missouri Conference; Arthur B. Campbell, S. Illinois; R. J. Brewer, S. Illinois; Henry L. Harvey, W. Neb.; Geo. W. Shepherd, S. Illinois; T. W. Jeffreys, S. W. Kansas; Liverus H. Dorchester, New England.

2—*Who have been Readmitted?*

Richard H. Crowder.

3—*Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?*

Chas. L. Halterman, of the Congregational Church; John W. Coontz, from the M. E. Church, South.

4—*Who have been Received on Trial?*

(*a*) *In Studies of First Year.*

Carlton T. Cotton, Edwin T. Rice, Edwin E. Sparks, Edward F. Miller.

(*b*) *In Studies of Third Year.*

*Ralph Wakefield.

5—*Who have been Continued on Trial?*

(*a*) *In Studies of First Year.*

Daniel C. Dorchester, Wm. L. Requa.

(*b*) *In Studies of Second Year.*

Philmer A. Sample, Chas. F. Tippen, Walter S. Bundy, Harry G. Humphrey, Thos. H. Temple, Geo. E. Tuttle, Adelbert M. Crippen, Harry C. Leonard, Lewis L. Thomas.

(*c*) *In Studies of Third Year.*

None.

(*d*) *In Studies of Fourth Year.*

None.

6—*Who have been Discontinued?*

Robert S. Rutledge.

7.—*Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*

(*a*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.*

Wm. O. Turrentine, Edward Turrentine, Henry A. Mitchell, John E. Hall, Landor L. Brannon, Zed. Wright.

(*b*) *Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.*

Richard H. Crowder, Frank Neff.

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*Ordained Deacon under the Seminary Rule.

8—*What Members are in Studies of Third Year.*

(*a*) *Admitted into Full Membership this year.*

Wm. O. Turrentine, Edward Turrentine, Henry A. Mitchell, John E. Hall, Landor L. Brannon, Zed. Wright, Frank Neff, Chas. L. Halterman.

(*b*) *Admitted into Full Membership previously.*

Everett Simpson, Electious H. Sapp, Alfred G. Keast, DeKalb Burnham, Lewis G. Adams, Allen D. Burress, Jno. H. Porter, Chas. A. Mitchell, Harrison N. Gowan, Arthur B. Campbell.

9—*What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?*

*Richard H. Crowder, Thos. P. Shaffer, Guy Z. Moore, Wm. T. Gatley, Thos. E. Prall, Jas. C. Bell, Albert M. Lehr, Harry A. King, Harry M. Risley.

10—*What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

(*a*) *Elected and Ordained Elders this year.*

William F. Martin, William T. Ferguson.

(*b*) *Elected and Ordained Elders previously.*

Frank P. Leckliter.

11—*What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*

(*a*) *As Local Preachers.*

Jasper E. Jines.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule.*

None.

12—*What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?*

(*a*) *As Local Deacons.*

Andrew L. Simmons.

(*b*) *Under Missionary Rule.*

None.

13—*Was the Character of each Preacher examined?*

This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

14—*Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?*

R. J. Brewer, Wm. R. Leigh, Harrison N. Gowan, Edward M. Dugger, to Oklahoma Conference; Wm. T. Gatley, N. Nebraska; Wm. T. Scott, S. W. Kansas; Daniel Dorchester, Jr., Pittsburg; Benj. F. Crissman, Missouri; Lew. E. Baldwin, Illinois; Henry C. Mullen, Southern California.

15—*Who have Died?*

Clark B. Beaty, Isaac Entwisle.

16—*Who have been Located at their own Request?*

None.

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*Excused from Studies of Previous Years.

17—*Who have been Located?*

None.

18—*Who have Withdrawn?*

None.

19—*Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*

None.

20—*Who have been Expelled?*

None.

21—*What other personal Notation should be made?*

The orders as a Local Deacon of Geo. W. Hanna from the Christian Church were duly recognized.

22—*Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

A. C. Wright, A. H. Miller, G. S. Hatcher, J. S. Bitler, M. E. Coen, D. B. Jones, H. M. Risley, I. M. Galbraith, Hervey Smith, L. E. Gower, A. M. Lehr, A. D. Burress, Jno. H. Porter.

23—*Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

J. B. Van Petten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, Standford Ing, H. A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Joseph Harris, J. S. Harris, John Welch, T. S. Benefiel, M. B. Wood, L. W. Munsell, Alanson Barber, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, T. H. Knease, Sam'l. Jones, J. N. Pierce, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgeway, N. H. Buck, William Stephens, Jas. Brewington, Wilbur F. Yeager.

24—*Who are the Triers of Appeals?*

J. W. Stewart, L. M. Thompson, W. V. Hamel, W. R. McCormack, G. J. Hunt, Sam'l. Warner, F. W. Luce.

25—*What is the Statistical Report for this year?*

See Statistics.

26—*What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?*

$26,025.

27—*What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*

$8,140.

28—*What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?*

$3,333.46.

29—*Where are the Preachers Stationed?*

See the Appointments.

30—*Where shall the Next Conference be held?*

Carthage, Missouri.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANT'S DIRECTORY.

NAME.	ADDRESS.	AMT. REC.
Baird, E. H.	Marionville, Mo.	$ 50.00
Barber, Alanson.	Baxter Springs, Kansas.	70.00
Beatty, Mrs. W. M.	San Diego, Cal.	80.00
Bell, Mordecai.	Golden City, Mo.	95.00
Benefiel T. S.	Lamar, Mo.	50.00
Buck, N. H.	Seneca, Mo.	40.00
Bewley, Miss C. A.	2101 Cumberland St., Little Rock, Ark.	90.00
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Clifford, Mrs. A. J.	1317 N. 7th St., Kansas City, Kas.	65.00
Colton, Mrs. M. S.	121 Phillips St., New Castle, Pa.	55.00
Cowden, Mrs. H. R.	Bourbon, Crawford Co., Mo.	50.00
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Durham, Mrs. H. M.	Lamar, Mo.	110.00
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Harris, J. S.	Cuba, Mo.	135.00
Harris, Joseph.	16 Summit St., Somerville, Mass.	50.00
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Houts, Mrs. M. A.	Warrensburg, Mo.	80.00
Hughey, G. W.	1031 W. Walnut St., Springfield, Mo.	130.00
Ing, Stanford.	Thompsonville, Ill.	105.00
Jump, Mrs. H. A.	505 W. 6th St., Sedalia, Mo.	110.00
Knease, T. H.	Seymour, Mo.	115.00
Little, Mrs. C. S.	Larimon, North Dakota.	40.00
McKee, Mrs. Rachel.	51 Hendricks St., Ft. Wayne, Ind.	60.00
Miller, Mrs. L. E.	Steelville, Mo.	50.00
Moffitt, Mrs. A. J.	Washburn, Mo.	85.00
Mortland, Mrs. R. B.	2147 E. 24th St., Kansas City, Mo.	65.00
Munsell, L. W.	Winona, Mo.	105.00
Oechsli, Frank.	Baldwin, Kansas.	55.00
Porter, J. S.	Knobnoster, Mo.	115.00
Porter, Mrs. L. A.	Rich Hill, Mo.	40.00
Ridgway, D. C.	Peebles, Ohio.	50.00
Sallaway, Mrs. M. E.	Smithton, Mo.	100.00
Stephens, William.	Odessa, Mo.	155.00
Stickney, F. M.	Eldon, Mo.	55.00
Threifall, Henry.	Galena, Mo.	105.00
Toland, H. A.	Sheridan, Wyoming.	45.00
Walker, Mrs. C. B.	Marionville, Mo.	60.00
Welch, John.	Eldorado Springs, Mo.	100.00
Wood, M. B.	Sheldon, Ill.	65.00
Yeager, W. F.	Marionville, Mo.	26.00
Whole Number of Claimants		43

N. B. The above amounts were disbursed by the Treasurer, Rev. Samuel Warner.

MISCELLANEOUS APPOINTMENTS.

Triers of Appeals.

J. W. Stewart, L. M. Thompson, W. V. Hamel, W. R. McCormack, G. J. Hunt, F. W. Luce, Sam'l. Warner.

Committees on Visitation.

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Drew Theological Seminary—Naphtali Luccock.

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Kansas City—O. M. Stewart.

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Sedalia—L. M. Thompson.

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To serve one year.—J. F. Corrington, T. H. Hagerty, I. J. K. Lunbeck.

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Springfield District—The Presiding Elder and Ely Paxon, H. A. Jones, W. V. Hamel, J. H. Dameron.

Missionary Sermon.

R. P. Hammons, Alternate, Frank W. Luce.

ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDERGRADUATES.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the studies of four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference for undergraduates, and all examinations in the course **must** be taken in the months June, September, December, February.

Any candidate for admission on trial will be granted examination at any time at the request of his Presiding Elder.

MONTH	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May JUNE	Harmon's Introduction, O. T. pp. 1-447. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Ritual of M. E. Church.—The Governing Conference.—Meth. Review.	Harmon, N. T., pp. 408-770—Essay. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Methodism, Vol. I.-The Modern S. S.—Methodist Review	Hermeneutics.—Descriptive Psychology. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Methodism, Vol. II.—Historic Episcopate.—Methodist Review.	Christian Ethics.—Essay. TO BE READ, etc.—History of Methodism. Vol. III.—Butler's Analogy—Methodist Review.
July August SEPT.	Christian Purity.—Discipline 1900. Parts I-V. TO BE READ, etc.—From the Himalayas to the Equator,—Christian Science and other Superstitions.—Methodist Review.	One Thousand Questions on Methodism.—Discipline (1900) Part VI to end. TO BE READ, etc.—Future Retribution,—Digest of Methodist Law.—Methodist Review	The Land of Israel. To be read, etc.—Supernatural Book.—Hymn Studies.—Methodist Review.	Sociology. To be read, etc.—Son of Man.—Life and Epistle of St. Paul.—Methodist Review.
October November DEC.	Rhetoric—Preparation and Delivery of a Sermon, parts I-II.—Miley Vol. I. To be read, etc.—History M. E. Church Vol. II.—Eccl. Architecture, Asbury's Journals, Vol. I.—Methodist Review	Logic.—Outlines of Gen'l History—Miley, Vol. II. To be read, etc.—Christian Archaeology—History Meth. Ep. Ch., Vol. III—Introduction to N. T.—Asbury's Journals Vol. II—Methodist Review.	Exegetical Studies in the Pentateuch Extemporaneous Oratory—History of the Christian Church. Vol I. To be read, etc.—History of the M. E. Ch., Vol. IV.—Asbury's Journals Vol. III—Methodist Review.	Exegetical Studies in Isaiah—Foundation of the Christian Faith—History of the Christian Ch., Vol. II. To be read, etc.—History of Rationalism (Rev. Ed.)—Methodist Review.
January FEB.	Sermon (Written). To be read, etc.—Problem of Rel. Progress—Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I. Ser. 1-33—Methodist Review	Preparation and Delivery of a Sermon. parts III-V. To be read, etc.—Wesley's Ser. Vol. I. Ser. 34-58—Methodist Review.	Written Sermon. To be read, etc.—Political Economy—Methodist Review.	To be read, etc.—For. Missions of Protestant Ch.—Supplementary History of Methodism—Methodist Review.

The attention of the Undergraduates is called to the following:

I. The Essays prescribed by the Discipline are to be prepared during the earlier half of the year; the sermons during the latter half.

II. We suggest to those who are to be examined that they pursue their studies with a note-book in hand; that they make for themselves an analysis of each book; that they make note of points in doctrine, history, Biblical criticism, or homiletics, upon which they desire addi-

tional light; and that they write to members of the Board of Examiners and lay before their brethren their inquiries. We ought to have in this way a "Correspondence School" in which, by frequent interchange of letters between the parties directly interested in this work of examination, a higher standard of ministerial culture may be promoted.

III. Send all syllabi on books to be read to the Registrar. Let this be done as early in the year as possible. In each case the candidate must certify, "I have read this book through."

IV. We urge with all possible earnestness upon our young men, by the diligent use of their books, the formation and cultivation of habits of reflection, reading and faithful study. We are voicing the sentiments of the Conference when we say that no excuse whatever will hereafter be taken for failure in this direction. We recognize the fact that no amount of book-knowledge will make a minister; but at the same time it must be remembered that a great deal of book-knowledge is necessary for large success and that in this age, and in view of the intellectual opportunities and appliances of our time, no man can justify the claim that he is "called to preach" unless he makes constant effort to obey the directions given by St. Paul to Timothy, and through him to all ministers of every age: "Give heed to reading, to exhortation, to teaching. Neglect not the gift that is in thee—meditate upon these things—take heed unto thyself and unto the doctrine—give diligence to present thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not be ashamed, handling aright the worth of truth. Do the work of an evangelist; make full proof of thy ministry."

SAMUEL WARNER, Chairman.
WILLIAM STEPHENS, Registrar.
Board of Examiners.

N. B. Examiners and their work will be found elsewhere.

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons.*	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevolences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg.	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg.	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av.K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

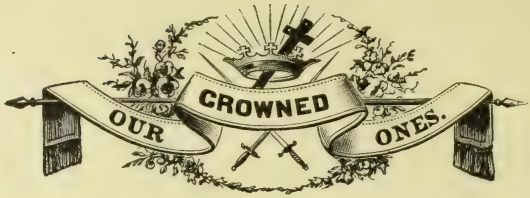
	TIME	PLACE	BISHOP	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER	Rec. on trial	Rec. in full	Rec. by Re-ad. Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons	Ordained Elders*	Located	Withdrawn	Transferred	Discontinued	Deaths	Lay Members†	Benevolences‡
33	1901, March 20	Bolivar	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	6	3	11	3	6	3	..	20	2	3	32 338	18 815
34	1902, March 26	Butler	Warren	Wm. Stephens	P. E. Pierce	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	4	..	..	17	1	..	32 573	22 189
35	1903, March 25	Marshall	Hamilton	Wm. Stephens	P. E. Pierce	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	8	10	6	2	..	..	10	1	2	30 025	26 025

Apportionment of Benevolences for the Ensuing Year.

We greatly regret that no Apportionments have been presented by the Presiding Elders up to the date of going to press.

WM. STEPHENS, Publisher.

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	1832	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj. F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark.	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

Robert I. Fleming....	1886	Aug. 28, '94...	Seattle, Wash....	34	Effective.....	8
Benj. F. Poole.....	1875	Nov. 25, '94....	St. Louis, Mo....	43	Effective....	19
Taos M. Durham.....	1872	July 30, '95	Irwin, Mo.....	49	Supernumerary ..	23
Rolan Moffat.....	1851	Aug. 27, '95....	Washburn, Mo....	80	Superannuated...	44
Erastus A. Porter....	1872	Oct. 21, '95....	Rich Hill, Mo.....	50	Superannuated ..	23
Jas. W. Cowden.....	1866	Aug 23, '96....	Lebanon, Mo.....	72	Superannuated ..	39
Wilbur G. Williams...	1876	Apr, 16, '97....	St. Louis, Mo....	44	Effective.....	20
William Jones.....	1862	Jan. 1, '98	Kansas City, Mo..	64	Effective..... .	34
Francis Ballaine.....	1880	Aug. 15, '98....	Horine, Mo.....	65	Superannuated...	18
Jacob Miller	1859	Apr. 16, '99....	Kelleyville, I. T.	73	Superannuated...	40
Cyrus Brough.....	1878	May 8, '99.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	52	Superannuated...	21
Wm. M. Beatty.....	1887	Sept. 17, '99...	Marshall, Mo... ..	51	Effective.....	12
Harry M. Hackney...	1875	Dec. 3, '99....	Ashland, Neb.....	50	Superannuated...	24
Jas. H. Vaughan.....	1859	April 15, '00...	St. Clair Co., Mo.	80	Superannuated...	41
Jas. B. Daniel	1867	Aug. 28, '00....	Sedalia, Mo..	65	Superannuated...	33
Albert Jump.....	1877	Jan. 5, '01	Holden, Mo	60	Effective.....	24
Clark B. Beaty	1876	May 9, '2	Buffalo, Mo	52	Superannuated...	16
Isaac Entwisle.....	1866	July 30, '02	Indianapolis, Ind.	78	Superannuated...	36

Total Number, 57.

MEMOIRS.

REV. CLARK B. BEATY.

The subject of this sketch was born January 26, 1850, and departed this life May 9, 1902. He was converted in childhood and at the age of eighteen years he sought and obtained the blessing of sanctification. He joined the United Brethren Church. He was a student at Fort Wayne (Ind.) College for two years, from which he graduated in a Biblical course in 1877. He joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1870 and entered the itinerancy in 1876. He joined the St. Louis Conference in 1900 and served Pierce City and Buffalo charges. He was granted a superannuated relation at the session of the St. Louis Conference, at Bolivar, in 1901. In December, 1901, he was appointed by the Presiding Elder to the Buffalo charge. He died in the triumph of faith in God. He was buried in the Cemetery at Buffalo, Mo.

B. F. JANUARY.

REV. ISAAC ENTWISLE.

July 30, 1902, in the city of Indianapolis, Ind., Isaac Entwisle ceased to praise God on earth and shouted "Glory" for the first time amid the bright welcomes of Heaven. He was born October 10, 1823, in Bolton, England, and then evangelically born again in the autumn of 1841. In the month of May, 1842, he found a new home in America and at once in the city of Philadelphia, united with the Methodist Episcopal Church. In 1850 he became a local preacher, and became an itinerant minister and member of the St. Louis Conference in the spring of 1866. His appointments were as follows: 1866, Jackson Circuit; 1867 and 1868, Franklin; 1869 and 1870, Stockton; 1871, Carthage Circuit; 1872, Buffalo; 1873, Urbana; 1874 and 1875, Osage; 1876, Centerview; 1877 and 1878, High Point; 1879 and 1880, Pilot Grove; 1881, Montrose; 1882, Warsaw; 1883 and 1884, Buffalo and Urbana; 1885, Dadeville; 1886, Oronogo; 1887 and 1888, Carthage Circuit. His noneffective years, which immediately followed, were enjoyed chiefly in Carthage, Mo., where he was well-known and kindly treated, and where he was active and helpful in every good work. One kind layman here provided him a good house, in which to live, free of rent,

for ten consecutive years. Brother Entwisle was earnest, self-denying and exceedingly faithful in all his ministry. His circuits were usually very large and his labors constant. In spirit he was an example and an inspiration to younger men. He loved his friends, and excelled in kindness, courage and continuous thanksgiving. For honor, good will, sincerity and fidelity to duty, no one could easily surpass him. It is safe and just to say that aught was never spoken, and no evil could be imagined, against a life so clearly transparent and in its simplicity so perfectly beautiful. His sacred memory, like his spiritual children and his extraordinary shouts of "Glory," will long linger within these large itinerant fields now ripening into a richer spiritual harvest. During a protracted illness Brother Entwisle was very tenderly cared for by his oldest daughter and her kind family. This honored veteran was laid to rest at Indianapolis. Rev. J. T. Jones, Rev. S. B. Grimes and other pastors of that city officiated at the funeral services.

O. M. STEWART.

ELLEN PERRY PRICE, PH. D.

Ellen Perry was born near Homer, New York, December 5, 1860. She was of the same stock as Commodore Perry, whose victory on Lake Erie sheds luster on the pages of our national history. She attended the public school of Homer, and later spent four years in Syracuse University, from which she was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1886. Three years later she received the degree of Master of Arts from the same institution. In 1896 the degree of Doctor of Philosophy was conferred on her by Baker University. A few months following her graduation she was married to the Rev. F. B. Price, who was graduated in the same class, and at the time of their marriage was pastor of Arlington Church in Kansas City, Missouri. Thirteen years of their married life were spent in Kansas City. In those years her husband was pastor of Arlington Church, City Missionary, and Presiding Elder of the Kansas City District in successive order. Two years from 1899 to 1901 Brother Price was pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Joplin, Missouri. In response to a call from Bishop Thoburn Brother and Sister Price with their two children sailed for Burma, August 3, 1901. Their field of labor was Rangoon, where she entered into rest February 10, 1903.

Sister Price possessed a wealth of intellectual and spiritual endowment; she had vision for the things which are seen and vision for the things which are not seen; and she had grace and elegance of speech with which to express vision of mind and soul.

She had a quiet simplicity of manner, a reserve approaching timidity, and she was singularly unostentatious in all her efforts. She coveted not the applause of the world, but always endeavored to honor Him who gave Himself a ransom for all.

As the wife of a Methodist preacher she was faithful in the common things of life, and withal an heiress of the heavenly. She was a true "yoke fellow" with her husband in all missionary enterprise and effort. She was brave in trials and noble in sacrifice. She had the spirit of the Master and wrought with heart, hands and pen for the upbuilding of His Kingdom. For years she was the Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Kansas City District, and for a time organizer in that territory. Her book, "The Cry Heard," a missionary story published by the Western Methodist Book Concern in 1898, grew out of her experience in the

missionary field in Kansas City. The characters of the book are real persons—some of them live in Kansas City to this day. The manuscript copy of another book from her pen is in the hands of the publishers.

In Burma she was the same devoted, heroic missionary. Indeed her zeal intensified with the pressing needs. Her heart was burdened for the millions for whom Christ died who were without God. Her last illness was brief—only one week. Her death in far-away Burma under an Oriental sky seems pathetic and sad; but God watches o'er His own; He doeth all things well. Her death was the passing of one of God's elect women from earth to glory. Sister Price's beautiful character will ever remain fragrant in memory—an inspiration and blessing to many. "By it she being dead yet speaketh."

The funeral services were held on Wednesday morning, February 11, in the parsonage in Rangoon, and conducted by the Presiding Elder, the Rev. Julius Smith, D. D. The Scripture lessons were Psalm 23d and Rev. 21: 1-4, 22-27; 22: 1-5, the Rev. A. T. Leonard, our missionary at Pegu, reading the former and offering prayer. The hymns selected were "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," and "I Will Sing You a Song of That Beautiful Land," the latter being rendered by Miss Grace Stockwell, of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

Official members of the Church bore the white casket, followed on foot by the members of the family and friends, to the Cantonment Cemetery, where a beautiful spot had been chosen for interment under the spreading shadow of tamarind and mango, and near the grave of a Wesleyan Missionary. After the ritual service, in which the Rev. E. Grigg, Pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, assisted our own ministers, the remains were lowered into the masonry crypt, to await the resurrection, while the company reverently sang: "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me." All the arrangements pointed to Christian triumph.

Brother Price and the children, Ethel May, 13 years of age, and Arthur Frederick, 10 years of age, have the sympathy and prayers of a host of friends in America, and friends on the other side of the globe.

O. M. STEWART,
S. J. HEATON.

REPORTS.

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session in March, 1903.

William Stephens.

Secretary.

Auditing.

We report that the accounts of the Conference Secretary, Treasurer, Stewards and Presiding Elders have been carefully examined and approved; and there remains unexpended missionary money to the credit of the St. Louis District of $12.50.

W. T. PYLES,
J. F. CORRINGTON,
C. I. ROSE.

Benevolence.

We desire to call attention to and emphasize the importance of the benevolent enterprises of our churches. Every one of them is of comparative importance, and should appeal to our best endeavors in its behalf. In order that our people may have an intelligent understanding of them, there must be a loyal presentation of each interest, in compliance with the terms of the discipline.

A great success is just before us as a church, in every department of benevolence, and may He who said, "Prove me now" give His spirit to promote and inspire all the church.

MISSIONS.

We hail with glad hearts the dawning of a great revival day for Missions. The open doors, through which come the ever-multiplying Macedonian cries, are everywhere. The resources of the church never were so great, and the Missionary heart-beat was never so quick as to-day. The great awakening in China, the voice of struggling Africa, the marvelous revival in India, the great commercial enterprises of our country, in spreading world-wide our National interests, the projected construction of the great Isthmian Canal, all these things make the watch-word, "The Evangelization of the World," in this generation, the imperative battle cry of our churches. The issue is upon us. We rejoice in the splendid increase in our Missionary offering this year, and as a Conference, we urge the call for one dollar from each member for missions throughout the church.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

1. We heartily congratulate the Board of Church Extension, and the church at large on the greatest success of this work in all its history, and especially on the remarkable financial success of the past year.

2. That our rapidly increasing population and new territorial additions still need the work of church extension, and that our Methodism, by fostering and strengthening this work, will increase its own power to do the large work demanded.

3. That we, as a Conference, will not be content with anything less than a full response to the call of the General Committee until all the people under the protection of the American flag shall be furnished with places of worship.

4. We are anxious that our Conference that has received such splendid aid from this Board should in return meet the full amount asked by the Society, and we urge every Pastor to avail himself of the helps provided by the Board, and to faithfully present this cause to all our people, in accordance with the plan of our discipline. We have examined the report of the Conference Board on Church Extension, and find the same correct.

FREEDMAN'S AID AND SOUTHERN EDUCATION.

The work of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Education Society upon which the society has laid special emphasis, the education and moral uplifting of the ten millions of black people, and the three millions of the poor white people of the South, relates itself not only to the progress of the church in our land, but also to the very life of the Republic. It, therefore, deserves the deep interest of all our Pastors, and the earnest presentation of the work annually before the people of our churches. We especially rejoice in the splendid work of the society during the past year. We call attention that the collections have advanced from $91,000 in 1900 to more than $105,000 this past year. We congratulate the society on the splendid reduction of the debt. We watch with special interest the development of the industrial feature of the work in our schools.

TRACTS.

We believe that the efficiency of the religious tract is not estimated at its full value. We urge that the Pastors avail themselves of the liberal offer of the Tract Society, and send the white-winged messengers of the gospel on their errand of education and salvation.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

We cannot place too much stress upon the importance of our Sunday School work, and the building up, numerically, of the Sunday Schools already existing, and the organization of more Sunday Schools

wherever possible within the bounds of our work. We believe that the Sunday School is the great hope of the future church. We sincerely and earnestly implore our Pastors and people to bring all to the Sunday School, or to interest every member of the church in the great importance of this work for childhood.

CONSOLIDATION OF SOCIETIES.

We are greatly interested in the discussion of the consolidation of our benevolence societies, and hope for such solution of this problem as shall make the presentation of our benevolences more intelligently acceptable to all our people. We believe such consolidation to be possible.

D. W. CROW, President.
W. C. COLEMAN, Secretary.

Church Insurance.

Whereas, The National Mutual Church Insurance Company is under the direction and for the convenience and benefit of the churches of our own denomination and as the company has done a very large business and now possesses an excellent reserve fund, and also since the Supreme Court has decided in favor of the legality of all insurance policies carried by this company in this State;

Therefore, Resolved, That we very earnestly ask the Presiding Elders of this Conference to explain the merits and denominational claims of this company to each quarterly conference and all our pastors, and thus secure to all the churches the advantages of this safe, practical and needed co-operation.

O. M. STEWART, Secretary.
W. T. PYLES, Chairman.

Domestic Missions.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Anderson, $48; Diamond, $32; Central Ave., Joplin, $80; Liberal, $100; Neosho, $160; Oronogo, $40; Sheldon, $44; Total, $504.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

To the District, $100; Advance, $30; Belgrade, $20; Birch Tree, $40; Bismarck, $30; Bloomfield, $60; Bonne Terre, $40; Cross Roads, $20; Dexter, $20; Fairview, $50; Flat River, $100; Fruitland, $50; Ironton, $50; Koshkonong, $30; Leemon, $30; Lutesville, $50; Palmer, $20; Perryville, $50; West Plains Circuit, $30; Willow Springs, $50; Winona, $30. Total, $900.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Amsterdam, $48; Belton, $100; Centerview, $60; Garden City, $60; Harrisonville, $172; Pleasant Hill, $60; Total, $500.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

To the District, $120; Ava, $50; Buffalo Circuit, $30; Conway, $40; Gainesville, $30; Iberia, $60; Licking, $36; Newberg and Dixon, $36; Phillipsburg, $50; Richland, $36; Seymour, $50; Richland Circuit, $36; California, $50; Total, $624.

ST LOUIS DISTRICT.

Baden, $40; Cuba, $40; Pacific, $40; Sullivan, $40; Salem, $100; Jennings and Walnut Park, $40; St. Lukes, $50; Tuxedo and Shrewsbury, $75; Maplewood, $75; Total, $500.

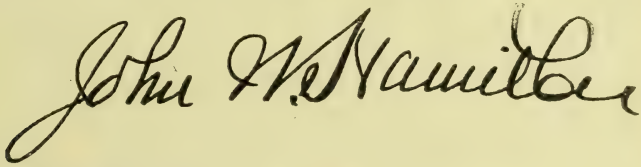
SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $32; Aurora, $32; Billings, $48; Bolivar Circuit, $28; Cassville, $28; Dadeville, $22; Galena, $44; Greenfield, $48; Humansville, $26; Marionville Circuit, $40; Peirce City and Purdy, $26, Springfield Circuit, $20; Daily, $50; Mt. Carmel, $100; Taneyville, $56; Total, $600.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Eldorado Springs, $60; Higginsville, $50; Lamont, $40; Lincoln and Warsaw, $50; Lowry City, $50; Marshall, $140; Rockville, $50; Sedalia Epworth, $80; Windsor and Leeton, $50; Total, $570.

I approve the above missions and appropriations.



CHAS. R. CARLOS, Secretary.

Education.

We most heartily commend the excellent work for higher Christian education which is being accomplished for the church through the Board of Education.

During the past year the Board aided students who gave their home residence or Church relationship as within the bounds of our Conference, to the number of 1,689, and to the amount of $85,286.92. The contributions of our Conference received by the Board for the year were $527.87. Our minutes show a large number of charges not contributing to this fund.

We urge that Children's Day be observed and a collection taken in every charge according to the Discipline.

American University.

We are pleased with the announcement that Bishop McCabe has

been appointed Chancellor of the American University, and assure him of our hearty support.

Central Wesleyan.

This college presents an excellent report for the current year, with great promise for the future. We commend it to our young people desiring a college education.

Baker University.

Located at Baldwin, Kansas, is one of the oldest and best educational institutions of Methodism in the Central West. The enrollment is now nearly 1,000. We commend this school to the young ment and women of our church seeking a higher education.

Theological Schools.

We recognize the noble purpose and efficient work of our several Theological schools. We recommend them to all candidates for the Methodist ministry, and insist that, as far as practicable, they avail themselves of the privileges of these noble institutions.

Carleton College.

Carleton College has had a prosperous year. All expenses nave been met, and in addition $850.00 has been given for refurnishing rooms and library.

The enrollment has exceeded that of last year by 25 per cent. We recommend that $1,000 be apportioned to the St. Louis, Farmington, Sedalia and Lebanon Districts, one-half to be applied on debt. We recommend the appointment of Dr. J. S. Meracle, as President, and the following as Trustees to fill vacancies: John Harris, S. T. Gresham, C. R. Carlos, J. S. Clay.

For Three Year Term.—Harry White, E. T. Brent, Geo. W. Wilson, F. M. Carter, John L. Bradley, Dr. A. P. George, A. M. Durnell.

Marionville Collegiate Institute.

This school does thorough academic work, and is articulated with Baker University, the State University and Northwestern University. The present year is one of the best in its history. The Industrial Home for boys is now occupied.

We recommend that $1,000.00 be apportioned to Carthage, Kansas City and Springfield districts for this institution, one-half of receipts to be applied on indebtedness.

We recommend that L. G. Reser be appointed as President, and C. A. Mitchell as financial agent.

Conference Visitors.

(See Miscellaneous Appointments.)

J. S. MERACLE, Chairman.

FRANK NEFF, Secretary.

Permanent Fund No. 1.

I herewith present my report as Treasurer of said fund up to April 1st, 1903.

Credit.

Mch. 24, 1902.	By cash on hand as per last report		$2,507.35
Apr. 1.	Int. collected at Conference by I. J. K. Lunbeck and used there		23.20
Apr. 1.	Collection from Churches, 20th Century Thank Offering		45.50
Apr. 1.	J. F. Corrington, 20th Cent. Thank Offering		118.50
Mch. 19, '03.	West. Meth. Book Concern		21.65
			$2,716.20

Debit.

Apr. 1, '02.	Int. collected by I. J. K. Lunbeck at Conf. and applied to Fund at Conference	$23.20	
Apr. 14, '02.	To I. J. K. Lunbeck returned, error in Church Collection	$13.00	$36.20
Mch. 23, '03.	Am't of Permanent Fund this date		$2,680.00
	Income for year ending Apr. 1, '03		92.29
	Total am't. on hand as Apr. 1, 1903		$2,772.29
	Draft herewith, income of Fund for year		92.29
Mch. 23, 1903.	Bal. of Permanent Fund on hand		$2,680.00

Respectfully submitted,

WM. W. KENDALL.

Permanent Fund No. 2.

Your Committee, to whom was submitted the consideration of plans to increase our Permanent Fund, submit the following:

FIRST:—That each Pastor contribute one per cent of his cash salary to the Permanent Fund.

SECOND: That a careful record of those contributing be kept by the Treasurer of the fund and any brother who refuses to pay his percentage, he or his survivors, shall be debarred from benefit from the fund so created.

THIRD: That an advisory board, equal to the number of trustees of the fund be appointed by the Conference from its various sections to assist the trustees in conducting the affairs of the Permanent Fund and creating interest in the same.

FOURTH: That said Fund is to be invested for the benefit of the superannuate members of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church and their survivors by the trustees of the Permanent Fund as they may deem proper, and further, if said trustees deem it advantageous to employ any portion of the fund to secure and guarantee annuities, they shall have power to do so.

FIFTH: That as soon as possible an agent shall be employed to work in the interests of the fund.

SAM'L. WARNER, Chairman.
H. G. MAIS, Secretary.

Publishing Interests.

We rejoice in the continued prosperity of our publishing interests, both in the Eastern and Western houses.

We recommend to our people everywhere the great and good books which are constantly being issued from our Book Concern.

Periodicals equal to the best are coming from our presses, weekly and monthly, which with great pride we commend to our people.

Our Central Christian Advocate, so ably edited by Dr. C. B. Spencer, ought to be in every Methodist home in its patronizing territory.

Our Young Peoples' paper, Epworth Herald, is a magazine deserving to be read by every young Methodist in the land.

We cherish in our hearts the Book Concern dividends, as they come to the needy superanuates of our several annual Conferences, and would therefore urge our people to patronize our Publishing Houses in the matter of Books, Periodicals and Sunday School literature.

JOEL A. BARKER,
G. H. COSPER.

Reforms.

The tendency to desecrate the Sabbath Day grows with the years. The Sunday newspaper and the Sunday excursion seem to have become a fixture in our social life largely by the sanction of Christian people. Add to these the Sunday saloon, and the Sunday theater and you have a cluster of influences that rob the laborer of his rest day, debase the morals of the young, and threaten the life of the church.

We have heard with pleasure the Rev. Dr. Thompson, the general manager of the Sunday League of America. We commend this society, with its plans and literature, to our Pastors and people.

We recommend that our Pastors preach upon the subject of the Sabbath and its observance this year, and by precept and example seek to enforce the law of God concerning His Sabbath.

We urge the Pastors of our church to put forth every effort to teach and to lead our people in right paths on all social questions.

We believe and affirm that no Christian can vote, and no party has the right to expect the vote of a Christian man for any party or man that stands pledged to the policy of the licensed saloon.

We believe that the solution of the race problem is not in the oppression of the weak by the strong, nor by closing the doors of promotion purely on the color line, nor by the insistence of social equality between the races. But, by the reaching of the hand of the strong to the weak, and through the agencies of Christian education and Christian life, fit them for the highest type of self-reliance, self-support and citizenship.

T. E. PRALL, Secretary. J. J. MARTIN, Chairman.

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Double Breasted Prince Albert Suits, to order.....	20 to 40

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Stewards.

Balance last year	$ 21.48
Chartered Fund	22.00
Interest on Permanent Fund and Notes	101.49
Book Concern Dividend	672.00
Collections from Churches	2,446.00
From Special Collection	70.49
	$3,333.46

Disbursed as follows:

(See Conference Claimants list.)

The total claim is $8,140.00, of which we have paid 40 per cent. While there has been a decrease of $69.55 in the amount received as interest on Permanent Fund and Notes, and of $93.00 in collections from the Churches, we rejoice to report an increase of $222.00 from the Book Concern Dividend.

We recommend that $5,500.00 be apportioned to the charges; that the Committee on Public Worship be instructed to arrange for a night service in the interest of our Permanent Fund at the next session of our Conference, and that Rev. Dr. M. S. Hughes be appointed to deliver the address.

SAM'L WARNER,
Sec'y. and Treas.

Treasurer's Report, 1902-1903.

I. J. K. Lunbeck, Treasurer, in account with Saint Louis Conference Benevolence Funds.

Dr. To Benevolence Funds Received:			
Total Collections of the Churches for 1901.		$56,199 00	
Deduct Amount presented by Vouchers..		39,046 72	
Cash paid to Treasurer at Conference...		17,152 28	
Interest on Permanent Fund, from W. W. Kendall, Tr.		148 74	
Interest on Notes held for Permanent Fund.		23 20	
Collection for Principal Permanent Fund by J. F. Corrington, Conf. Agt., 20th Century Offering.		118 50	
Fractional Sums.		1 17	
Total receipts of cash.			$17,443 89
Cr. By Disbursements, (Vouchers on file).			
Paid S. Warner, Treasurer Conference Stewards.		$ 2,710 94	
Paid through Jennings & Pye, Kansas City, Mo.:			
" to Missionary Society for current work.	$9,335 88		
" to Missionary Special 20th Century Offering.	25 00		

" Board of Church Extension.....	1,408 15	
" Sunday School Union.	202 00	
" Tract Society.	189 50	
" Expenses, 20th Century Commission.	45 00	
" Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society.	1,248 85	
" American Bible Society.	104 00	
" Expenses General Conference.....	34 00	
" Episcopal Fund.	851 00	
		$13,443 38
" Homer Eaton, Treasurer, Special Missionary.		30 00
" J. H. Dameron, Treasurer Marionville Institute.		410 00
" J. J. Martin, President Carleton College.		352 00
" W. F. McDowell, Cor. Sec. Children's Fund.		259 95
" Mrs. E. P. Fritz, Treasurer Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.		22 25
" Mrs. W. O. Miller, Treasurer Woman's Home Missionary Society..		8 00
" W. W. Kendall, Treasurer Conference Permanent Fund.		151 00
" M. S. Hughes, for City Missionary Society, Kansas City.		50 00
" S. E. Betts, Superintendent Bethany Hospital.		5 00
" Treasurer's postage and stationery.		1 37
Total disbursements.		$17,443 89

Respectfully submitted,

I. J. K. LUNBECK,

Women's Work.

We recognize the providential leadership and blessing of Almighty God in all departments of our Woman's work in greater measure than ever before in its history.

W. F. M. S.

The W. F. M. S. continues its great work with unabated success and ever increasing energy to which we pledge them our hearty co-operation.

W. H. M. S.

We sincerely approve the magnanimous work of the W. H. M. S., and rejoice in the works accomplished. We renew our obligation to encourage them by every possible means.

DEACONESS' WORK.

We give the Deaconess work our unqualified approval and we rejoice that within our Conference limits during the last year, the Epworth Evangelistic Institute has been located in St. Louis.

We heartily agree with the plan of Epworth Settlement and Evangelism.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That this Conference pledge its prayers, sympathy and hearty support in this needy field.

We also heartily indorse the work of the Fisk Training School for Deaconesses, located in Kansas City, Kans.

W. C. T. U.

We recognize the splendid work of the W. C. T. U. as the handmaiden of the church in promoting the great cause of Temperance to its full measure of power in the land.

S. W. McCLURE, President.
E. H. SAPP, Secretary.

Young People's Work.

We recognize the providential leadership and blessing of God upon the work of the Young People's Societies.

We rejoice that the Young People have the missionary spirit and we urge the spread of missionary literature, especially commending the Epworth Herald.

We recommend the organization of a Conference Epworth League and suggest the following for your approval as officers: President, W. F. Jones; Secretary, Ralph Wakefield, and also suggest the appointment of Mrs. G. J. Hunt as Junior League Superintendent.

W. R. McCORMACK, Chairman.
W. D. SIDMAN, Secretary.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

STATISTICS No. I AND IV. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership: Probationers.	Membership: Full Members.	Membership: Local Preachers.	Membership: Deaths.	Baptisms: Children.	Baptisms: Adults.	Sunday Schools: No. of Schools.	Sunday Schools: No. Officers & T'chrs.	Sunday Schools: No. Scholars.	Church Property: No. of Churches.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: No. of Parsonages.	Church Property: Probab'e Value.	Church Property: Paid for Building and Improvements.	Church Property: Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Church Property: Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Benevolent Collections: Missions: From Churches.	Missions: Fr'm Sunday School	Missions: Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Education: Public Educational Collect'n.	Education: Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Avilla	45	197	2	1	..	13	2	24	150	3	4400	1	400	25	....	.....	35	....	35	2	..	..	3	5	..	..	....	....	5	2	.....
Butler	105	196	..	7	..	5	1	24	252	1	11000	1	1500	25	900	11000	17	36	53	12	10	2	5	5	10	1	2	...	....	..	.....
" Circuit	14	152	1	1	..	12	1	12	70	1	2900	1	500	25	....	.....	25	1	26	6	1	1	5	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Carl Junction	25	173	..	..	..	23	3	45	275	3	2700	1	200	50	....	.....	35	5	40	2	..	..	2	....	3	..	....	....	12	..	.....
Carterville	6	160	..	4	2	....	1	20	250	2	3500	1	1000	10	....	.....	10	20	30	3	..	..	....	3	..	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Carthage	13	900	1	16	13	41	1	52	700	1	25500	1	8000	200	2000	.....	336	64	400	56	5	5	56	48	..	..	321	66	45	..	2100
" Circuit	1	92	2	..	..	3	4	25	170	4	4700	..	.....	1400	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....
Golden City	5	129	1	2	1	5	1	20	131	1	4000	1	1000	15	....	.....	31	9	40	8	1	1	10	6	5	1	....	....	....	..	.....
Hume and Foster	26	124	..	..	2	28	4	26	275	3	4900	1	450	67	74	30	53	12	65	6	2	1	10	....	24	1	42	....	15	2	6
Iantha	4	131	..	..	..	2	4	29	164	4	4000	..	.....	45	....	.....	35	5	40	5	1	1	6	1	4	1	.	....	8	..	.....
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	14	220	..	8	1	13	3	30	250	3	5400	1	600	75	....	.....	50	10	60	5	1	1	4	7	..	1	62	....	35	..	.....
JOPLIN—Byers Avenue	16	155	..	1	1	24	1	20	300	1	5000	1	1000	256	100	.....	42	12	54	8	2	1	8	6	..	..	....	....	59	..	5
Central Avenue	14	120	..	..	5	17	1	13	100	1	2500	..	.....	35	....	141	9	14	23	3	1	..	2	2	..	..	....	....	5	..	.....
First Church	5	282	1	4	5	13	1	24	300	1	11000	1	2900	275	....	.....	82	82	164	38	6	6	32	22	15	1	232	....	47	..	20
Missions	(24	8)	..	..	....	....	3	15	295)	(2	1200)	..	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Lamar	126	311	2	1	..	37	1	27	307	1	10000	1	1000	331	....	.....	84	12	96	10	1	1	12	5	4	..	96	....	46	..	.
Liberal	(32	125)	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	(1	2000	1	500	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	.
Moundville	21	164	..	..	6	8	3	35	200	2	4000	1	600	125	....	.....	30	....	30	7	1	1	7	2	4	1	....	....	7	..	.....
Neosho	8	71	2	1	..	....	1	11	90	1	2000	..	.....	124	....	.....	12	13	25	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	....	....	....	1	.....
Nashville	16	183	1	2	..	10	2	35	150	2	2700	1	400	50	....	.....	45	5	50	13	1	1	10	6	13	1	....	....	....	5	.....
Nevada	15	320	1	..	2	6	1	20	120	1	7000	1	1200	150	175	.....	55	25	80	8	3	3	14	12	1	1	....	....	....	..	4
Oronogo	(21	103)	..	..	..	....	1	16	125	1	1400	..	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Pineville	8	107	2	..	..	....	3	25	100	..	.....	..	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	2	..	....	....	1	..	.....
Rich Hill	68	182	1	3	1	42	1	18	160	1	7000	1	1200	35	....	400	20	....	20	5	1	1	2	2	5	1	....	....	35	..	.....
Sarcoxie	79	205	3	3	2	57	3	35	245	4	4500	1	600	150	....	.....	45	15	60	13	2	2	10	8	..	1	....	....	....	..	.....
Seneca	47	152	..	2	9	26	2	20	95	3	4000	1	450	500	164	135	5	..	5	3	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Sheldon	....	87	..	..	1	2	1	5	40	2	1500	..	.....	....	....	.....	16	8	24	1	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	.....
Webb City	6	112	..	1	..	9	1	15	100	1	3000	1	700	300	....	.....	12	....	2	6	1	1	6	....	5	1	20	13	7	2	.....
	664	5161	20	47	51	392	51	643	5395	52	141800	20	23800	4268	3413	11874	1084	349	1433	223	41	30	206	141	96	13	775	79	327	12	2135

†In parenthesis reported from last year's Minutes.

The District has $13.00 credit for 20th Century Commission.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves. Books, etc.
Avilla	(Carlton F. Cotton)	435	45	470	466	45	511	....	47	47	3	3	561	4	....	4	100	40
Butler	Wm. F. Jones	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	100	100	6	12	1112	15	....	15	195	217
" Circuit	B. E. Niblack	*500	75	575	450	75	525	50	57	50	4	4	579	10	....	10	.....	20
Carl Junction	Geo. H. Gideon	600	50	650	550	50	600	50	65	57	4	3	660	20	....	20	50	100
Carterville	H. C. Mullen	675	75	750	635	75	710	40	75	71	6	4	785		5	5	150	100
Carthage	J. W. Stewart	1800	400	2200	1800	400	2200	....	220	220	30	30	2450	70	10	80	100	400
Circuit	(Walter F. Grigg)	310	.....	310	136	.....	136	....	31	.....	2	.	.....	....	....	....	10	52
Golden City	(Edwin T. Rice)	500	60	560	467	60	527	33	56	53	4	5	585	12	....	12	90	50
Hume and Foster	(J. C. Kirk)	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	55	55	7	4	609	14	...	14	85	83
Iantha	(Wm Cassey)	400	.. ...	400	280	60	340	60	40	34	3	3	377	9	....	9	49	40
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	W. T. Ferguson	615	60	675	545	60	605	60	67	57	6	5	667	16	1	11	64	90
JOPLIN—Byer's Avenue	Perry E. Pierce	750	150	900	750	150	900	....	90	90	5	8	998	15	....	15	222	142
" Central Avenue	(Walter E. Brown)	*400	....	400	400	.....	400	....	40	40	3	4	444	8	....	8	50	50
" First Church	R. P. Hammons	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	....	180	180	18	18	1998	55	....	55	350	200
" Missions	(Leou H. Sweetland)	*100	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	....	10	.....	1	....	.....	....	....	....	.....	.....
Lamar	Geo. H. Cosper	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	100	190	9	6	1106	15	...	15	177	136
Liberal	E. D. C. Koeth	*508	50	558	.....	.....	.....	....	55	.....	6	....	.....	....	....	....	.....	.....
Moundville	(E. E. Sparks)	465	50	515	485	50	535	....	51	51	4	3	589	8	....	8	70	55
Neosho	Wm. Leatherman	*600	.....	600	600	.....	600		60	60	3	1	661	3	....	3	.....	45
Nashville	Guy Z. Moore	420	45	465	361	45	400	64	46	40	3	4	450	12	....	12	60	65
Nevada	S. F. Stevens	900	125	1025	825	125	950	75	102	102	9	9	1061	20	....	20	160	75
Oronogo	(H. F. Odell)	*475	.....	475	.....	.....	.....	....	47	.....	4	....	.....	....	....	....	.....	.....
Pineville	(Geo. W. Hanna)	*215	.....	215	145	.....	145	70	21	5	1	....	150	....	....	....	.....	30
Rich Hill	W. T. Pyles	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	70	70	7	5	775	10	....	10	160	100
Sarcoxie	Everett Simpson	540	60	600	545	60	605	....	60	60	7	6	671	16	....	16	100	110
Seneca	J. J. Jansen	*510	20	530	425	20	445	65	53	41	4	2	488	5	....	5	75	85
Sheldon	(T. S. Benefiel)	300	.....	300	151	.....	151	149	30	22	3	1	174	4	....	8	.....	.....
Webb City	E. H. Sapp	500	100	600	500	100	600	....	60	60	4	4	664	8	....	4	74	60
		16908	2015	18923	14916	2025	16941	741	1888	1665	166	144	18750	344	16	360	2891	2345

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership: Probationers.	Membership: Full Members.	Membership: Local Preachers.	Membership: Deaths.	Baptisms: Children.	Baptisms: Adults.	Sunday Schools: No. of Schools.	Sunday Schools: No. Officers & T'chrs	Sunday Schools: No. Scholars.	Church Property: No. of Churches.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: No. of Parsonages.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: Paid for Building and Improvements	Church Property: Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Church Property: Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	Benevolent Collections: Missions: From Churches.	Missions: Fr'm Sunday School	Missions: Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Education: Public Educational Collect'n.	Education: Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total of other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Advance	15	175	..	2	...	10	3	20	200	2	1500	1	250	200	....	.....	14	....	14	1	1	1	2	....	2	1	....	....	....	....	.....
Birch Tree	10	50	1	..	...	....	1	8	100	1	1500	1	200	...	....	200	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Bismark	30	160	2	..	8	44	1	6	150	2	2500	..	.....	100	....	.....	18	....	18	2	1	..	2	3	..	1	....	....	....	....	.....
Bloomfield	....	30	..	..	...	....	1	5	100	1	700	1	300	....	....	.....	5	....	5	1	..	..	....	5	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
" Circuit	18	175	4	..	1	14	2	14	140	2	1600	..	.....	40	5	.....	6	4	10	1	..	..	....	2	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Bonne Terre	7	68	..	1	14	11	1	9	75	1	3500	1	1500	10	....	147	17	1	18	2	1	1	....	....	1	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Bross Roads	21	240	1	4	10	....	4	24	200	7	4000	1	300	....	....	.....	5	....	5	2	1	..	....	2	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
De Soto	23	207	2	4	9	17	1	14	170	1	4000	1	1500	...	120	445	36	18	54	8	1	1	5	23	2	1	1	1	....	..	5
" " Circuit	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....
Dexter	14	155	1	..	17	45	2	14	120	2	1800	..	.....	....	....	.....	3	4	7	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Doe Run	41	127	2	2	21	26	1	14	170	1	3500	..	.....	....	....	.....	11	17	28	5	1	1	5	4	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Farmington	11	15	2	1	1	19	1	16	161	1	2500	1	1000	....	....	300	12	23	35	6	1	1	3	144	..	..	....	....	....	2	.....
" Circuit	2	24	....	..	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....
Fairview	75	200	2	1	3	20	4	20	200	4	4400	2	900	100	....	260	20	5	25	4	1	1	4	4	2	1	....	....	....	....	.....
Flat River	14	63	..	..	2	....	1	6	72	1	1200	1	1000	....	....	.....	6	4	10	1	1	1	....	1	..	..	....	1	....	....	.....
Fruitland	8	120	1	..	2	....	1	17	75	1	2000	1	800	....	....	.....	16	9	25	2	..	1	2	4	1	..	....	....	....	....	40
Ironton	11	51	..	..	2	12	1	8	31		1200	1	500	6	48	30	7	6	13	3	1	1	2	8	..	1	....	....	....	....	.....
Koshkonong	19	73	2	..	...	7	2	12	60		1000	..	.....	8	...	.....	8	1	9	2	1	1	2	2	..	1	...	....	....	....	.....
Leemon	2	64	1	2	...	....	2	21	66	2	1600	..	.....	....	....	.....	11	4	15	2	..	1	2	2	2	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Lutesville	23	145	1	..	3	16	2	15	160	5	3360	1	500	125	10	122	21	4	25	4	1	1	4	4	..	1	....	....	....	6	.....
Mount View	....	20	..	..	...	....	3	20	120	3	2400	..	.....	....	....	.....	5	....	5	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Palmer	71	174	5	2	...	9	2	10	150	3	2300	1	200	200	....	.....	7	....	7	2	1	1	2	....	..	1	....	....	....	....	.....
Perryville	7	60	..	..	9	8	2	10	125	4	4000	1	650	....	....	.....	4	....	4	1	..	..	1	5	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Puxico	19	198	2	..	2	....	2	18	200	5	4250	1	700	40	....	40	8	2	10	2	1	1	2	1	..	1	....	....	....	....	.....
West Plains	6	182	..	..	1	7	1	19	200	1	4000	1	1000	200	....	.....	35	20	55	9	1	1	9	8	20	1	6	....	11	...	48
" " Circuit	22	98	..	..	...	17	1	11	75	1	600	..	.....	....	....	.....	5	1	6	2	1	1	1	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Winona	16	35	1	..	...	....	2	19	100	2	1800	..	.....	....	16	115	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	.....
Willow Springs	3	67	2	2	...	2	1	14	90	1	1600	1	400	185	....	447	22	3	25	4	1	1	4	2	2	1	1	1	10	1	...
	487	3112	32	21	109	284	45	364	3310	60	62810	18	11700	1214	199	2106	302	126	428	66	17	17	52	224	32	11	8	3	21	9	93

N. B.—For 20th Century Commission; Doe Run, $1.00; West Plains, $48.00.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	CLAIMS. Salary.	CLAIMS. House Rent.	CLAIMS. Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	RECEIPTS. House Rent.	RECEIPTS. Total.	RECEIPTS. Deficiencies	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Presiding Elders. Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Bish's Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Other Sources.	Conf. Claimants Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Current Expenses. Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Advance	(D. L. Walker)	†300	24	324	235	24	259	65	32	32	2	2	293	2	....	2	20	25
Birch Tree		†400	72	772	300	50	350	122	50	40	2	....	390	....	....	....	20	20
Bismark	(A. J. May)	†250	.....	250	225	.....	225	25	40	40	2	2	267	5	....	5	15	12
Bloomfield	John Ashley	200	60	260	75	60	235	125	32	....	2	....	135	1	....	1	50	30
" Circuit	(J. H. Poe)	†100	.....	100	45	.....	45	55	20	18	1	....	63	1	....	1	10	25
Bonne Terre	(G. S. Soule)	†300	100	400	177	100	277	123	40	30	2	1	308	1	....	1	27	10
Cross Roads	(F. M. Sides)	†275	30	305	181	30	211	94	40	30	2	....	243	4	....	4	25	15
De Soto	D. W. Crow	800	120	920	760	120	880	40	85	85	4	7	969	10	....	10	70	57
" " Circuit	(R. H. Shute)	100	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	....	20	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....
Dexter	(J. H. Poe)	†120	.....	120	120	.....	120	....	20	20	1	....	140	....	....	....	20	20
Doe Run		500	72	572	500	72	572	....	55	55	3	3	630	7	....	7	30	48
Farmington	W. R. McCormack	550	75	625	550	75	625	....	55	55	3	3	683	8	....	8	42	60
" Circuit	(A. M. Stickney)	.....	.....	.....	70	.....	70	....	.....	2	....	....	72	....	....	....	.....	.....
Fairview	(J. T. Maynard)	†575	72	647	475	72	547	100	50	50	2	2	599	6	....	6	50	50
Flat River	(A. B. Campbell)	†330	100	430	175	100	275	155	45	37	2	1	313	3	3	6	25	.....
Fruitland	(R. H. Crowder)	†400	100	500	388	100	488	12	50	56	2	2	540	6	....	6	40	28
Ironton	A. D. Burress	†316	84	400	220	84	304	96	40	34	2	2	340	5	....	5	26	14
Koshkonong	J. L. Nations	†180	.....	180	104	.....	104	76	30	19	1	1	124	4	....	4	6	16
Leemon	(R. H. Crowder)	250	.....	250	141	.....	141	109	28	28	1	2	171	4	....	4	.....	16
Lutesville	(T. G. Peterson)	†350	60	410	225	60	285	125	45	45	2	2	332	....	....	....	40	24
Mount View	Edwin Ward	†125	.....	125	50	.....	50	75	25	20	1	....	70	....	....	....	10	10
Palmer	(D. P. Cole)	†380	30	410	140	30	170	240	50	48	2	....	218	....	....	....	.....	5
Perryville	(Rudolph Jones	†300	60	360	210	60	270	90	40	24	2	1	295	1	....	1	6	9
Puxico	(J. E. Jines)	400	100	500	342	100	442	58	42	40	2	1	483	2	....	2	30	30
West Plains	Harry White	†800	100	900	816	100	916	....	90	90	5	5	1011	14	....	14	110	52
" " Circuit	(J. M. Willard	†200	.....	100	191	.....	191	9	30	26	1	....	217	....	....	....	.....	.....
Winona		†150	.....	150	50	.....	50	100	30	22	1	1	73	....	....	....	12	20
Willow Springs	J. L. Medsker)	400	72	472	315	72	387	85	50	35	2	1	423	2	....	2	24	45
		9051	1331	10382	7080	1309	8389	2001	†1124	975	53	39	9402	86	3	89	708	641

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																		Missions.														
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. Officers & T'chrs	No. Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.		From Churches.	Fr'm Sunday School	Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Education. Public Educational Collect'n.	Education. Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Adrian	4	154	..	6	5	35	2	25	180	2	2400	1	700	15	....	.....		17	23	40	6	..	..	6	6	5	..	5	....	....	2	....
Austin	....	158	..	1	6	....	2	22	120	2	3000	1	500	240	12	.....		37	....	37	7	1	1	6	4	4	1	....	....	....	..	.
Belton	9	102	..	1	...	5	1	12	60	1	1500	1	1000	312	108	.....		29	7	36	2	1	1	3	2	9	1	....	15	26	3	8
Centerview	4	131	..	..	...	....	2	27	100	2	3000	..	.....	.....	....	.....		18	9	27	....	..	..	2	3	11	..	....	....	25	..	....
Cleveland	20	75	..	..	...	....	2	15	85	2	2000	..	.....	.....	....	.....		....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Drexel	7	145	..	1	15	1	3	25	127	3	3800	..	.....	350	200	.....		47	3	50	9	1	..	5	5	10	..	2	....	35	2	....
East Lynne	1	182	1	..	1	3	2	29	150	2¼	3700	1	800	25	..	.....		64	16	80	14	3	3	13	8	14	1	5	5	5	7	....
Harrisonville	2	120	..	..	...	...	3	23	100	3	5400	..	.....	20	....	750		10	....	10	3	..	..	1	1	...	..	....	....	....	..	....
Holden	14	146	..	1	...	12	1	10	70	1	3000	1	1500	175	....	.....		35	15	50	4	1	1	...	5	4	..	14	....	37	..	....
Independence	2	162	1	1	1	8	1	15	100	1	5000	1	500	125	....	.....		50	20	70	3	10	1	2	2	...	..	....	....	....	..	....
" Circuit	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....		....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Kansas City—Arlington	73	402	2	2	3	22	1	42	500	1	7000	1	3500	.....	504	450		190	60	250	30	5	5	30	15	10	5	119	233	....	10	....
Bennington Heights	27	133	..	1	7	4	1	16	104	1	5000	..	.....	....	560	545		35	15	50	6	1	1	3	2	2	1	5	2	50	..	5
Dundee Place	27	61	1	2	13	9	1	30	270	1	*10000	1	4100	....	....	7500		84	26	110	35	5	1	13	14	16	1	79	63	....	..	....
Grace Church	55	168	..	2	6	....	1	25	250	1	2500	..	.....	.....	....	.....		38	10	48	9	1	1	9	....	5	..	....	5	20	..	....
Grand Avenue	55	676	1	7	6	24	1	31	250	1	125000	..	....	1115	....	.....		865	185	1050	200	33	33	187	170	7	5	472	391	650	..	....
Hammond Place	19	185	..	..	2	30	1	18	175	1	3500	1	3500	.....	195	.....		38	12	50	5	1	1	2	2	...	..	....	109	367	..	....
Howard Memorial	14	330	1	2	2	4	1	30	205	1	7000	1	3000	334	300	1000		100	50	150	22	10	5	22	23	12	1	137	....	50	..	....
Independence Avenue	50	1151	1	14	10	8	1	55	700	1	100000	1	10000	815	3000	34500		990	210	1200	180	10	10	160	30	25	10	427	780	2422	..	3035
Linwood Avenue	8	127	..	..	3	....	1	10	75	1	9000	..	.....	617	....	4400		13	17	30	2	1	1	1	....	2	..	10	6	10	..	....
Mt. Washington	2	8	..	..	2	2	1	7	23	1	500	..	.....	.....	10	123		5	1	6	1	1	1	....	...	2	..	....	....	....	..	..
Oakley	32	396	..	2	28	7	1	47	520	1	31000	..	.....	30000	....	8000		1400	52	1452	48	4	3	20	20	5	4	336	140	420	..	....
Phoenix Park	3	22	..	..	...	....	1	10	61	1	1200	..	.....	326	....	.....		...	10	10	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	10	..	....
Summit Street	36	209	..	1	...	6	1	20	200	1	10000	..	.....	750	....	50		35	40	75	13	4	2	13	12	...	1	82	10	91	..	....
Lee's Summit	23	142	..	..	2	7	1	21	90	1	3500	1	1200	5000	....	.....		38	12	50	8	1	1	5	8	...	..	....	....	17	..	....
Oak Grove	5	195	..	..	...	5	3	22	175	4	3600	1	1200	40	....	.....		47	5	52	10	1	1	10	6	...	1	....	....	....	5	....
Pleasant Hill	5	160	..	..	...	9	1	13	100	1	4500	1	1200	30	....	400		13	7	20	4	1	1	5	....	11	..	....	....	2	..	....
	497	5740	8	44	112	201	37	600	4790	38¼	356100	14	32700	40289	4889	57718		4198	805	5003	621	96	74	518	338	154	32	1693	1759	4237	29	3048

*This property has been sold.

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Adrian	John E. Hall	400	60	460	400	60	460	....	46	46	5	5	511	11	....	11	25	60
Austin	(Marvin D. Cox)	500	48	548	500	48	548	...	54	54	6	3	605	10	....	10	78	35
Belton	Geo. E. Glens	†450	100	550	420	100	520	30	55	52	6	7	577	10	....	10	20	24
Centerview	Wm. F. Baker	†320	.....	320	280	.....	280	40	32	30	4	2	312	....	2	2	80	45
Cleve and	(Thos H. Temple)	350	.....	350	141	.....	141	109	35	28	4	....	169	....	....	....	....	....
Drexel	Thos. H. Temple	550	.....	550	500	.....	500	50	55	.....	6	5	506	12	....	12	100	41
East Lynne	D. Wesley Britton	540	60	600	560	60	620	....	60	60	6	6	686	18	....	18	100	50
H rrisonville	(J. M. Hedges)	†325	.....	325	215	.....	215	210	32	25	4	....	240	....	....	....	....	....
Ho den	J. J. Martin	650	100	750	695	100	795	....	75	75	8	4	874	4	2	6	165	42
Independence	Lewis L. Thomas	600	100	700	600	120	720	...	70	70	8	....	792	8	....	8	175	60
‡Circuit		100	.....	100	100	.....	100	....	16	10	1	1	165	....	....	7	....	....
KANSAS CITY—Arlington	S. J. Heaton	1300	200	1500	1300	200	1500	....	150	150	16	16	1666	50	....	50	400	200
Bennington Heights	Samuel Warner	†500	.....	500	500	.....	500	....	50	50	6	5	535	7	....	7	120	30
Dundee Place	Benj. F. Crissman	1200	420	1600	1200	420	1620	....	162	162	18	6	1788	50	....	50	468	102
Grace Church	John D. Thackrey	†728	.....	728	728	.....	728	....	72	72	8	6	806	11	....	11	80	75
Grand Avenue	Wm. A. Quayle	4200	.....	4200	3600	600	4200	....	420	420	46	46	4666	262	...	232	3274	120
Hammond Place	John N. Moore	†750	.....	750	750	.....	750	....	75	75	8	4	829	5	....	5	90	76
Howard Memorial	Harry G. Humphrey	1000	250	1250	1000	250	1250	....	125	125	14	14	1389	25	....	25	279	275
Independence Avenue	Matt S. Hughes	4000	300	4300	4000	600	4600	....	430	460	47	40	5100	225	....	225	7800	625
Linwood Avenue	Chas McCoard	†500	.....	500	500	.....	500	....	50	50	6	1	551	2	....	2	50	52
Mt. Washington	(J. G. Moyer)	†156	.....	156	156	.....	156	...	15	15	2	1	172	1	...	1	12	27
Oakley	Geo. H. Bradford	1400	.....	1400	1400	...	1400	....	140	140	16	12	1552	35	....	35	300	280
Phoenix Park	I. J. K. Lumbeck	†166	.....	166	66	.....	66	100	16	6	2	1	73	....	....	....	45	44
Summit Sreet	W. T. Scott	1200	.....	1200	1200	.....	1200	....	120	120	13	6	1326	21	....	21	200	100
Lee's Summit	(J. P. Dew)	580	120	700	580	120	700	....	70	70	8	....	778	21	....	21	75	60
Oak Grove	(E. T. Miller)	589	100	689	589	100	689	....	68	68	8	6	763	14	...	14	75	68
Pleasant Hill	W. K. Collins	†500	.....	500	500	.....	500	....	50	50	6	5	555	6	....	6	156	156
		23554	1858	25412	22480	2778	25258	539	2542	2470	283	200	28006	815	4	819	14167	2647

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‡Should be credited 2 chs., val. $1500; 40 mem., 2 S. S., 60 scholars.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.														
																	Missions.							Education.							
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	No. Officers & T'chrs	No. Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on old indebtedness of Church Prop'ty.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.	From Churches.	Fr'm Sunday School	Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education	Public Educational Collect'n.	Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	20th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Ava	....	115	2	3	..	....	..	..	....	3	3500	1	600	....	....	575	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	4	..	....	....	....	..	....
Buffalo	16	90	1	..	8	....	1	12	80	1	4500	1	800	....	50	....	10	....	10	2	2	..	5	2	6	..	3	....	..	..	....
" Circuit	2	132	..	..	..	....	3	15	100	5	2500	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
California	15	85	..	..	1	7	1	5	50	1⅓	1700	1	500	20	112	111	11	4	15	1	..	..	2	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....
Eldon	6	138	..	2	..	11	2	19	100	3	4000	1	500	45	145	....	16	4	20	4	1	1	4	3	6	1	6	....	....	....	29
Gainsville	7	74	1	..	..	2	2	9	70	2	1400	1	200	....	....	150	5	....	5	....	1	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Hartville	18	135	2	..	..	6	3	22	260	3	(2000)	1	(600)	....		....	12	....	12	3	1	1	2	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	....
Houston and Cabool	....	85	1	1	1	....	2	9	90	2	2000	2	700	45	186	....	3	2	5	....	1	..	....	2	2	..	....	....	....	....	....
Iberia	15	150	..	1	..	5	4	21	250	4	2000	1	300	30	..	....	3	....	3	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Lebanon	....	129	2	1	2	2	1	15	126	1	5000	1	1500	25	....	....	40	10	50	10	1	..	7	13	....	..	16	....	....	....	....
Licking	8	154	..	5	..	....	1	4	40	2	1400	1	400	50	....	....	10	....	10	5	..	..	....	5	3	..	....	....	....	....	....
Linn Creek	7	154	2	1	1	2	3	45	175	2½	1500	..	....	75	....	....	1	....	1	..	..	..	....	1	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
*Macomb	(6	136	1)	..	..	....	..	..	....	(4	1400)	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Mountain Grove	6	160	3	..	..	1	1	17	156	1	2000	1	1000	75	....	300	31	14	45	13	1	2	2	5	2	1	....	....	25	....	15
" " Circuit	(45	85	2)	..	..	....	..	..	....	(2	750)	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Newburg and Dixon	14	97	1	1	..	10	2	19	141	2	2000	1	500	146	....	....	16	....	16	3	1	1	3	2	3	..	....	1	....	....	....
Orla	12	145	..	3	10	18	2	16	65	2	1600	..	....	....	....	....	2	....	2	1	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Phillipsburg	20	173	..	1	..	3	2	17	130	3	2000	..	....	260	....	....	2	....	2	1	..	..	1	....	2	..	....	....	....	....	....
Richland	17	97	1	2	..	9	1	15	103	1	2000	1	500	30	....	....	30	10	40	8	2	1	7	6	3	..	....	....	....	....	....
" Circuit	35	135	..	..	..	12	3	29	125	3	1700	..	....	35	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Rolla	4	128	..	1	4	5	1	14	165	1	7500	1	1000	150	....	....	57	15	72	12	2	1	5	5	4	2	29	....	10	....	20
Seymour	(7	160	..	..	..	....	1	10	100)	(3	3800)	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
Tuscumbia	2	41	..	2	..	3	..	..	....	¼	200	..	....	....	....	....	1	....	1	....	..	..	....	1	....	..	....	1	....	....	....
Urbana	2	186	1	3	3	21	1	10	60	4	3000	1	200	10	....	....	5	....	5	1	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	1	....	....	....
Vichy	7	80	..	..	1	4	2	12	100	2	1800	1	400	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	1	3	..	....	....	....	....	....
Wheatland	9	102	..	6	..	8	1	4	25	1¼	2000	1	300	....	....	....	18	....	18	1	..	..	1	3	....	..	....	....	....	....	....
	280	3167	20	33	31	129	40	333	2511	59½	63350	18	10000	1036	493	1136	273	59	332	65	13	7	39	51	38	6	54	3	35	....	55

*In brackets, filled from last year's Minutes.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS			RECEIPTS.				Presiding Elders.		Bish's		Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants			Current Expenses.	
														Rec. From				
		Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Salary	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.		Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Ava	(C. L. Wright)	†345	50	395	140	50	190	205	44	37	4	....	227	....	....	....	5	.....
Buffalo	B. F. January	400	50	450	400	50	450	....	54	48	5	2	500	7	....	7	41	24
" Circuit	(F. D. Stickney)	†200	.....	200	54	.....	54	146	24	18	2	....	72	....	....	....	12	18
California	(N. H. Hudson)	†400	75	475	400	75	475	..	56	56	4	5	536	3	....	3	80	13
Eldon	C. F. Tippin	450	50	500	419	50	469	31	60	60	4	2	531	4	....	4	59	31
Gainsville	(A. L. Simmons)	200	24	224	150	24	174	50	28	28	2	1	203	1	....	1	.....	5
Hartville	T. J. Gideon	400	50	450	400	50	450	....	54	54	5	....	504	....	....	4	50	71
Houston and Cabool	C. D. Fry	250	.....	250	181	.....	181	69	30	29	2	2	212	3	....	3	38	36
Iberia	(E. J. Dunaway)	†300	36	336	171	36	207	129	40	40	3	....	247	....	....	....	35	24
Lebanon	G. J. Hunt	700	100	800	673	100	773	27	96	85	8	8	866	12	....	12	113	60
Licking	G. W King	†440	60	500	359	60	419	81	60	60	4	1	480	6	....	6	18	13
Linn Creek	(Elmer Wilton)	300	.....	300	275	.....	275	25	33	36	3	1	312	1	....	1	50	50
Macomb	(L. O. Peters)	186	.....	186	135	.....	135	51	22	22	2	....	157	....	....	....	.....	.....
Mountain Grove	C. I. Rose	550	100	650	550	100	650	....	78	78	6	1	729	9	....	9	75	70
" " Circuit	J. hn Remer	150	.....	150	75	....	75	75	18	13	1	....	88	....	....	....	.....	.....
Newburg and Dixon	W. T. Pare	†250	50	300	250	50	300	....	36	36	3	2	338	5	....	5	109	66
Orla	Wm. McClanahan)	150	.....	150	110	....	110	40	20	30	2	....	130	....	1	1	.....	.....
Phillipsburg	W. M. Creamer	†250	....	250	137	.....	137	113	30	18	2	1	156	5	....	5	60	24
Richland	T. P. Shaffer	†450	50	500	462	50	512	....	48	51	4	4	567	11	....	11	60	63
" Circuit	(John Haley)	225	.....	225	133	.....	133	92	27	25	2	....	158	....	....	....	.....	.....
Rolla	F. S. Beggs	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	96	96	8	8	904	5	....	5	75	50
Seymour	W. H. Yount	†400	.....	400	400	.....	400	....	48	40	4	....	440	....	....	....	.....	.....
Tuscumbia	(F. M. Stickney)	100	.....	100	89	.....	89	11	12	12	1	1	102	2	....	2	.....	.....
Urbana	(B. Kitterman)	300	30	330	169	30	199	131	40	40	3	....	239	....	....	....	25	12
Vichy	(F. J. Fike)	225	25	250	225	25	225	....	30	28	2	....	278	....	....	....	24	50
Wheatland	W. T. Gatley	†225	35	260	235	35	270	....	31	31	2	2	303	1	....	1	10	5
		8546	885	9431	7292	885	8177	1276	1118	1061	88	41	9279	79	1	80	930	685

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Cuba	6	128	..	2	5	7	2	17	130	2	3650	1	550	....	80	.....	10	....	10	....	..	..	....	....	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
Pacific	2	41	..	..	....	....	2	14	80	2	3000	..	.....	....	....	400	5	5	10	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
SAINT LOUIS-Baden	4	36	..	..	..	....	1	10	65	1	2500	1	1500	1700	...	2300	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Bowman	40	223	1	..	13	2	1	34	300	1	9000	..	.....	....	100	13	17	33	50	4	1	1	2	3	1	1	25	4	....	1	....
Carondelet	37	203	1	5	12	13	1	28	218	1	12000	..	.....	....	....	.....	15	35	50	5	3	1	5	6	7	1	36	....	305	..	....
Fry Memorial	10	140	1	5	10	3	1	20	160	1	14500	..	...	....	2708	2000	57	15	72	8	2	2	8	6	..	2	53	....	12	10	....
Goode Avenue	38	148	..	2	25	10	1	25	253	1	6000	..	.....	....	....	.....	13	15	28	2	1	1	2	2	..	..	19	....	7	..	....
Harlem Place	8	64	..	..	11	....	1	19	100	1	4000	..	.....	..	1251	.....	22	18	40	3	1	1	2	....	7	1	1	1	....	1	....
Jennings & Walnut Prk	...	24	1	1	1	....	2	12	85	1	2000	..	.....	12	...	.....	6	4	10	.....	..	..	....	....	2	..	....	....	4	..	....
Lindell Avenue	12	340	1	3	4	....	1	57	220	1	150000	1	15000	....	....	.....	980	220	1200	90	5	2	115	10	5	5	452	614	3704	..	1883
Maple Avenue	2	290	..	1	1	....	1	24	201	1	18000	1	6500	....	2200	4500	205	20	225	35	3	3	35	35	5	3	160	105	....	..	....
Maple Wood	20	32	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	....	....	..	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Neidringhaus Mem	....	....	....	..	....	....	1	28	360	1	....	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Saint Lukes N	22	56	1	..	5	3	1	17	138	....	9000	..	.....	30	....	.....	23	17	40	19	1	1	10	11	4	1	....	....	....	2	....
Tower Grove	8	192	..	..	9	11	1	29	315	1	3000	..	.....	260	...	.....	90	25	115	15	1	1	15	20	..	1	....	....	278	12	....
Trinity	55	265	..	7	19	22	1	35	429	1	25000	..	.....	300	800	1500	50	25	75	12	2	2	10	....	8	2	20	....	55	..	500
Tuxedo & Shrewsbury	7	63	..	1	4	....	2	12	95	2	2700	..	.....	....	....	.....	5	15	20	5	1	1	2	2	..	1	....	....	16	..	....
Union	10	750	2	6	20	10	1	46	413	1	50000	1	5000	1350	....	.....	635	218	853*	50	10	10	50	40	27	10	965	384	804	25	3000
Salem	2	58	..	..	..	1	1	10	35	2	1500	1	500	65	....	.....	8	....	8	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Sullivan	10	80	2	..	..	8	1	6	50	1	1200	..	.....	....	...	200	5	....	5	....	..	..	....	5	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
	293	3133	10	33	139	90	23	413	3647	23	317050	6	29050	3717	7139	10913	2146	665	2811	240	31	23	253	149	68	23	1731	1108	5185	51	5383

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Cuba	H. N. Gowan	‡500	60	560	425	60	485	75	30	30	5	1	516	2	....	2	70	32
Pacific	(C. W. Gaither)	‡300	....	300	300	....	300	....	20	20	2	....	320	....	....	....	70	30
SAINT LOUIS—Baden	W. S. Bundy	‡500	120	620	....	....	....	....	15	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bowman	J. A. Barker	1100	....	1100	1100	....	1100	....	75	75	18	5	1180	6	....	6	275	275
Carondelet	H. G. Mais	900	....	900	850	....	850	50	60	57	12	6	913	16	....	16	334	106
Fry Memorial	M. L. Curl	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	80	80	20	10	1090	20	....	20	353	129
Goode Avenue	S. W. McClure	‡1000	....	1000	800	....	800	200	45	45	8	4	849	8	....	8	160	160
Harlem Place	J. B. Brewington	‡600	....	600	600	....	600	....	25	25	6	2	627	30	....	30	98	53
Jennings & Walnut Prk	(Columbus Bradford)	‡....	....	....	136	....	136	....	15	12	3	2	150	4	....	4	40	75
Lindell Avenue	Daniel Dorchester, Jr.	5000	1000	6000	5000	1000	6000	....	475	475	100	100	6575	185	....	185	6900	260
Maple Avenue	F. W. Luce	1600	400	2000	1600	400	2000	....	175	175	28	25	2200	60	....	60	1106	250
Maple Wood	(G. W. Shepherd)	....	....	....	45	....	45	....	30	....	....	....	45	....	....	....	96	....
Neidringhaus Mem	H. C. Leonard	500	....	500	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Saint Lukes	(D. Everette Standard)	‡500	....	500	420	....	420	80	38	30	8	3	453	10	....	10	135	74
Tower Grove	(Ralph Wakefield)	900	....	900	900	....	900	....	40	40	10	10	950	30	....	30	147	185
Trinity	H. L. Steves	1100	....	1100	1140	....	1140	....	60	60	16	5	1205	....	....	....	275	250
Tuxedo & Shrewsbury	(P. B. Davis)	‡500	....	500	413	....	413	87	25	25	6	5	443	....	....	8	34	49
Union	N. Luccock	3000	500	3500	3000	500	3500	....	400	400	80	80	3980	200	....	200	4600	350
Salem	(W. J. Beech)	....	....	....	176	....	176	....	20	20	3	....	196	2	....	2	50	15
Sullivan	(A. J. James)	‡....	....	....	170	....	170	....	20	20	2	....	190	....	....	....	15	12
		19000	2080	21080	18075	1960	20035	492	1648	1589	330	258	21882	573	....	581	14758	2305

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Alberta	5	150	..	1	..	2	4	28	215	4	3600	1	559	150	....	.....	3	....	3	....	..	..	....	1	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Appleton City	13	237	1	1	1	14	2	27	175	2	3200	1	500	145	....	.....	68	12	80	15	2	2	15	4	6	1	19	....	3	..	....
Clinton	5	287	2	7	5	16	1	21	205	1	12000	1	1200	120	400	1400	49	38	87	15	3	2	14	9	3	2	42	....	....	..	8
Deepwater	16	175	..	3	..	4	2	22	135	2	1900	..	...	15	....	.....	34	4	38	5	1	1	6	2	4	1	....	....	....	..	....
Eldorado Springs	21	144	1	2	1	8	1	15	116	1	1200	1	700	120	....	.....	55	12	67	11	2	2	11	8	10	1	..	....	....	..	....
" " Circuit	2	200	1	..	..	....	2	16	120	2½	2000	..	.....	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Green Ridge	2	158	..	3	1	3	4	36	200	3	4800	1	500	186	....	.....	14	7	21	10	2	2	2	2	6	1	....	....	....	..	....
Higginsville	17	83	..	1	..	....	1	13	60	2	4000	..	.....	20	....	500	10	....	10	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	....	....	1	....
Huntingdale	14	180	..	5	..	5	3	30	150	3	3900	1	600	92	....	.....	37	3	40	4	1	1	4	3	....	..	31	....	....	..	....
Knob Noster	2	130	..	..	2	2	1	9	78	4	6800	1	500	34	45	.....	15	....	15	4	..	..	4	....	2	..	....	....	....	..	....
La Monte	18	166	..	..	5	6	2	17	115	3½	4100	1	500	50	....	.....	20	....	20	4	1	1	6	5	3	..	....	....	....	..	....
Lincoln and Warsaw	19	98	2	..	..	....	3	22	90	1½	1400	1	600	....	....	.....	7	3	10	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	..	....
Lowry City	....	107	..	1	..	4	2	15	100	2	1800	..	.....	....	....	.....	13	..	13	....	..	..	....	....	3	..	....	....		..	10
Malta Bend	4	145	2	1	.3	....	2	16	80	2	2400	1	600	40	....	.....	57	2	59	9	2	2	9	7	11	1	4	4	14	..	....
Marshall	6	139	1	1	.1	....	1	10	75	1	11000	..	.....	25	128	3400	25	....	25	5	1	1	2	2	6	1	....	....	....	..	....
Montrose	9	165	..	2	..	1	4	20	195	4	4400	1	500	55	....	.....	12	....	12	....	..	..	....	....	5	..	....	....	....	..	....
Odessa	1	88	..	1	..	....	1	9	40	2	2800	1	1000	50	....	.....	10	....	10	2	..	..	2	2	....	..	3	....	....	..	....
Pilot Grove	1	111	..	..	.	....	1	17	96	1¼	1700	1	500	53	....	.....	42	7	49	6	1	1	5	4	4	1	....	....	....	..	....
Rockville	3	204	..	1	.	1	2	20	150	3	3200	1	800	40	....	120	15	....	15	4	1	1	2	....	4	..	1	1	....	..	....
Schell City	6	150	..	3	1	12	2	14	160	2	2500	1	500	220	20	....	10	35	45	7	2	2	4	8	5	1	26	....	....	..	....
SEDALIA—Epworth	41	259	..	..	.1	18	2	22	220	2	12000	1	1200	40	1200	2300	68	5	73	13	2	1	13	5	5	1	10	....	....	..	....
First Church	10	500	2	8	.7	4	1	35	350	1	35000	..	.....	....	1500	4250	80	100	180	38	5	5	36	22	9	2	54	....	100	..	....
Smithton	10	260	..	1	.	2	1	15	150	1⅓	4700	1	800	2800	68	.....	50	10	60	10	1	1	8	7	2	1	8	....	....	..	23
Tipton	7	106	1	1	.	8	1	14	80	2¼	3300	1	700	159	....	153	48	12	60	10	5	2	10	8	12	1	58	....	....	..	....
Warrensburg	48	447	1	3	2	22	1	28	280	1	17000	1	2500	636	....	.....	179	16	195	20	3	3	20	15	...	2	53	....	....	..	....
Windsor and Leeton	20	119	..	..	1	...	1	10	77	2	4200	1	800	....	48	1325	7	....	7	2	..	..	1	1	...	..	....	....	....	..	....
	300	4808	14	46	3	132	48	501	3712	56¼	154900	20	15550	5050	3409	13448	928	266	1194	195	36	31	175	116	109	19	309	5	117	1	41

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS			RECEIPTS.				Presiding Elders.		Bish's		Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From			Current Expenses.	
		Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Salary,	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.		Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Alberta	(Guy A. Cox)	300	30	330	237	30	267	63	35	35	4	....	302	1	....	1	25	19
Appleton City	L. M. Thompson	690	60	750	690	60	750	....	79	79	8	8	837	18	....	18	95	80
Clinton	O. M. Stewart	1000	....	1000	900	....	900	100	105	95	11	9	1004	31	....	31	200	77
Deepwater	Zed Wright	450	....	450	500	....	500	....	47	48	7	5	553	10	....	10	75	75
Eldorado Springs	H. A. Mitchell	†410	60	470	411	60	471	....	58	58	7	7	531	17	....	17	72	40
" " Circuit	J. H. Porter	300	....	300	202	....	202	98	32	18	4	....	220	....	....	....	.	40
Green Ridge	G. M. Foster	480	50	530	428	50	478	52	56	49	6	5	532	15	....	15	52	58
Higginsville	(Clinton Senneff)	†300	....	300	281	....	251	49	36	18	4	1	270	1	....	1	20	25
Huntingdale	L. L. Brannon	410	50	460	410	50	460	....	48	48	6	4	512	8	....	8	30	36
Knob Noster	J. H. Hurley	400	60	460	360	60	420	40	48	48	5	2	468	12	....	12	29	40
La Monte	A. M. Crippen	‡365	50	415	349	50	399	16	48	46	6	4	449	5	....	5	52	54
Lincoln and Warsaw	(H. F. Horsman)	†318	72	390	161	72	233	157	45	40	4	....	273	2	....	2	25	25
Lowry City	Edward Turrentine	†300	....	300	280	....	280	20	35	29	5	1	310	3	....	3	35	25
Malta Bend	C. C. James	625	75	700	625	75	700	....	74	74	7	7	781	15	....	15	105	35
Marshall	W. F. Martin	†500	....	500	500	....	500	....	63	63	7	2	565	5	....	5	140	60
Montrose	(J. C. Stille)	400	50	450	360	50	410	40	47	40	6	4	454	3	....	3	50	45
Odessa	Wm. Stephens	‡325	100	425	215	100	315	110	49	38	5	3	356	6	....	6	40	20
Pilot Grove	T. E. Prall	500	60	560	500	60	560	...	59	59	6	1	620	11	....	11	55	34
Rockville	W. F. Baker	†500	60	560	400	60	460	100	64	52	7	4	516	10	....	10	100	30
Schell City	Clarke Baker	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	50	58	6	4	612	12	....	12	75	40
SEDALIA—Epworth	F. W. Simpson	690	8	775	695	100	795	....	90	90	9	5	890	17	....	17	187	80
First Church	S. S. Martin	1500	....	1500	1500	....	1500	....	158	158	16	16	1674	40	....	40	600	150
Smithton	H. A. Babbitt	525	100	625	525	100	625	....	66	66	7	7	698	16	....	16	125	55
Tipton	F. P. Reno	550	50	600	496	50	546	54	63	57	6	6	609	13	....	13	60	40
Warrensburg	W. C. Coleman	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	105	105	11	10	1115	26	....	26	340	95
Windsor and Leeton	J. W. Finley	†400	60	460	342	60	402	58	53	42	5	1	445	3	....	3	50	20
		13638	1222	14860	12737	1237	13974	957	1621	1513	175	116	15601	300	....	300	2637	1295

†Received Missionary Appropriation.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership: Probationers.	Membership: Full Members.	Membership: Local Preachers.	Membership: Deaths.	Baptisms: Children.	Baptisms: Adults.	Sunday Schools: No. of Schools.	Sunday Schools: No. Officers & Tchrs	Sunday Schools: No. Scholars.	Church Property: No. of Churches.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: No. of Parsonages.	Church Property: Probable Value.	Church Property: Paid for Building and Improvements.	Church Property: Paid on old indebtedness of Church Property.	Church Property: Present indebtedness on Church Property.	Benevolent Collections: Missions: From Churches.	Missions: From Sunday School	Missions: Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education.	Education: Public Educational Collect'n.	Education: Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.	9th Cen. Thank Offer'g
Ash Grove	2	141	..	3	..	2	3	15	60	4	3450	..	....	....	376	....	5	....	5	1	..	..	1	....	..	..	....	.	....	..	....
Aurora	22	108	..	1	..	10	1	18	180	1	1600	..	....	160	270	....	38	6	44	8	2	2	8	5	..	1	....	....	....	6	....
Billings	10	129	1	1	3	1	2	20	132	1	1000	1	400	11	....	....	21	7	28	6	1	1	6	4	2	1	....	....	38	4	15
Boaz	(15	150	1	..	..	..	..	....	....	4	2800)	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Bolivar	12	218	..	..	1	15	1	16	159	1	2500	1	1200	175	....	....	75	25	100	13	2	2	13	8	6	2	31	....	50	8	....
" Circuit	3	77	..	1	..	..	1	8	40	4	1500	..	....	47	....	....	14	....	14	2	..	..	2	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Cassville	(2	128	1	..	..	..	1	17	91	1	1500	1	300)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Conway	46	198	2	3	5	26	2	20	120	5	3800	1	500	140	....	100	26	....	26	5	1	1	5	3	..	..	....	....	....	3	....
Dadeville	2	214	4	2	1	1	..	....	....	5	4100	1	600	300	....	..	13	....	13	2	..	1	2	....	..	..	2	2	....	..	....
Fair Play and Stockton	26	250	1	3	..	17	3	32	205	4	4800	1	500	120	82	288	40	....	40	6	1	1	7	5	2	1	....	....	....	3	20
Galena	(9	95	1	..	..	..	2	13	50	2	1800)	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Greenfield	18	178	1	1	6	15	1	18	166	1	1900	1	400	50	....	....	38	10	48	7	1	1	7	5	3	1	....	....	24	4	....
Humansville	22	237	2	4	..	14	2	20	160	3½	4000	1	250	25	....	....	35	3	38	8	1	1	8	4	5	1	....	..	4	4	15
Lockwood	58	300	3	2	5	24	3	47	210	3	4800	1	800	325	....	300	30	....	30	5	1	1	8	5	1	..	....	....	....	3	
Marionville	22	203	6	2	1	3	1	18	240	1	2500	1	500	....	....	....	30	30	60	7	1	1	5	12	3	..	23	....	....	..	....
" Circuit	10	120	2	1	..	..	1	6	40	4	3000	..	....	....	5	....	9	....	9	1	1	..	1	3	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Marshfield	6	141	1	..	2	1	1	19	110	1	3000	1	500	150	....	....	24	31	55	12	3	2	10	6	4	1	39	....	....	4	8
Monett	23	146	1	2	6	16	1	18	130	1	1500	1	1200	60	....	....	30	15	45	10	2	..	5	10	5	..	6	....	47	..	10
Mt. Vernon	8	110	1	1	..	2	1	15	107	1	6000	1	500	179	293	....	39	5	44	9	2	2	8	5	..	1	....	..	....	6	....
Osceola	15	112	1	1	1	1	2	22	150	2	4000	1	800	180	....	....	57	15	72	14	2	2	12	9	2	1	33	....	64	5	50
Peirce City and Purdy	45	140	..	..	9	11	2	20	120	2	4600	1	1000	110	....	140	8	10	18	....	..	..	....	2	3	..	....	....	18	..	....
Republic	....	130	..	2	2	....	1	16	129	1	3600	1	600	75	....	....	10	....	10	8	..	..	2	8	2	..	4	....	....	..	....
SPRINGFIELD-Benton Av	30	201	1	6	2	14	1	30	240	1	13000	..	....	2202	....	....	51	19	70	2	2	2	8	6	3	..	28	597	....	..	....
" Circuit	....	47	1	..	1	....	1	7	30	2	1000	..	....	30	....	....	9	....	9	....	..	..	2	....	..	..	....	....	....	..	....
Daily Chapel	17	148	..	..	..	....	1	21	125	1	2000	1	1500	....	....	300	40	8	48	9	2	2	8	6	..	1	....	....	....	6	....
Grace	19	546	1	2	5	13	1	36	235	1	30000	1	2500	....	185	300	220	40	260	40	5	3	25	25	..	2	55	45	....	5	50
Mt. Carmel	8	70	1	2	13	....	1	14	75	1	900	1	700	10	225	250	8	4	12	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	....	....	....	..	....
Taneyville	5	67	3	1	4	10	1	5	25	1	400	..	....	10	....	....	16	....	16	3	1	1	3	4	..	1	....	....	....	3	....
	455	4604	36	41	66	196	38	491	3329	59½	105050	19	14750	4359	3101	1678	886	228	1114	180	32	27	158	136	43	15	221	644	245	64	168

In parenthesis, reported from last year's Minutes.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in parenthesis, ( ).	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.
Ash Grove	(S. A. Gardner)	†332	.....	332	247	.....	247	85	40	27	3	1	275	2	....	2	15	18
Aurora	E. W. Elayer	†400	.....	400	400	....	400	....	52	52	5	5	457	10	....	10	55	52
Billings	G. E. Tuttle	‡314	42	356	358	42	400	....	44	44	3	3	447	7	....	7	51	28
Boaz	James Lokey	250	.....	250	.....	....	....	....	28	.....	2	...	.....	..	....	....	.....	.....
Bolivar	Frank Neff	800	75	875	800	75	875	....	88	80	5	5	960	20	....	20	115	50
" Circuit	(A. M. Hall)	†272	.....	262	226	.....	226	46	33	28	3	2	250	4	....	4	32	40
Cassville	(H. Rosebock)	†340	40	380	..	..	.....	....	44	.....	3	...	.....	....	....	....	.....	.....
Conway	W. O. Turrentine	400	36	436	381	36	417	19	48	48	3	3	468	7	....	7	80	36
Dadeville	(D. Keeton)	†350	50	400	289	50	339	61	46	43	3	1	383	2	....	2	60	....
Fair Play and Stockton	W. L. Requa	490	75	565	415	75	490	75	62	54	6	4	548	10	...	10	75	60
Galena	(A. Gearheard)	†200	.....	200	..	..	.....	....	25	....	3	....	.....	....	....	....	.....	.....
Greenfield	W. D. Sidman	†473	60	533	473	60	533	....	64	60	4	4	597	10	....	10	95	65
Humansville	A. G. Keast	†390	20	410	368	20	388	22	47	45	3	3	436	8	....	8	75	55
Lockwood	(R. W. Moon)	500	72	572	491	68	559	13	55	54	3	2	615	7	....	7	125	70
Marionville	W. J. Simmons	600	40	640	600	40	640	....	70	70	5	5	715	15	....	15	85	86
" Circuit	W. F. Yeager	†275	.....	275	136	.. ..	136	139	34	15	3	1	152	2	....	2	20	15
Marshfield	D. T. Simmons	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	60	60	6	5	615	14	....	14	70	48
Monett	B. D. Jones	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	88	88	6	5	893	10	....	10	70	65
Mt. Vernon	(E. W. Elayer)	300	60	360	300	60	360	....	52	52	5	5	417	10	....	10	70	60
Osceola	J. W. Needham	500	120	620	550	120	670	....	68	73	6	6	749	16	....	16	50	65
Peirce City and Purdy	S. A. French	†525	60	585	420	60	480	105	62	52	5	3	535	4	....	4	100	106
Republic	(L. G. Reser)	400	60	460	261	60	321	139	51	55	4	2	378	3	....	3	75	55
SPRINGFIELD-Benton Av	W. V. Hamel	1000	.....	1000	810	.. ..	810	190	110	89	9	8	907	8	...	8	328	180
" Circuit	(G. E. McMillan)	†100	.....	100	95	.....	95	5	14	10	2	....	105	..	....	....	10	6
Daily Chapel	H. A. Dougherty	‡550	150	700	550	150	700	...	83	82	5	5	787	13	...	13	100	85
Grace	H. A. Jones	1400	250	1650	1400	250	1650	....	182	180	16	16	1846	30	....	30	450	115
Mt. Carmel	L. G. Adams	†350	.....	350	335	15	350	....	50	28	3	1	379	2	....	2	60	52
Taneyville	T. B. Griffin	†140	.....	140	105	.....	105	35	28	17	3	3	125	6	....	6	10	11
		12851	1336	14211	11210	1331	12541	934	1628	1406	127	98	14945	220	...	220	2276	1423

†Has Missionary Appropriation.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	Membership.				Baptisms.		Sunday Schools.			Church Property.							
	Probationers.	Ful Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No of Schools.	No Officers and Tchrs.	No. of Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on old Indebtedness of Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
Carthage	664	5161	20	47	51	392	51	643	5395	52	141800	20	23800	4268	3413	11874
Farmington	487	3112	32	21	109	284	45	364	3310	60	62810	18	11700	1214	199	2106
Kansas City ...	497	5980	8	44	112	201	37	600	4790	38¼	356100	14	32700	40289	4889	57718
Lebanon	280	3167	20	33	31	129	40	333	2511	59⅓	63350	18	10000	1036	493	1136
St. Louis.....	293	3133	10	33	139	90	23	413	3647	23	317050	6	29050	3717	7139	10913
Sedalia	300	4808	14	46	31	132	48	501	3712	56⅓	154900	20	15550	5050	3409	13448
Springfield	455	4604	36	41	66	196	38	491	3329	59½	115050	19	14750	4359	3101	1678
Totals.....	2976	29965	140	265	539	1424	282	3345	26694	347½	1211060	115	137550	59933	22643	97873
Last year.. .	3883	28680	155	340	517	1705	297	3483	26548	346½	1203430	112	130425	41184	25228	92911
Increase this yr	....	1285	....	....	22	....	....	....	156	1	7630	3	7125	18749	.....	4962
Decrease this yr	907	.....	15	75	....	281	15	178	.....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	2585	.. ..

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	Benevolent Collections.															
	Missions.							Education.								
	From Churches.	Fr'm Sunday Schools	Total.	Board of Church Extension.	Sunday School Union.	Tract Society.	Freedman's Aid and Southern Education	Public Educational Collections.	Children's Fund	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	Woman's Home Missionary Society.	Total other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Con't Expenses	20th Cen. Thank Offering
Carthage	1084	349	1433	223	41	30	206	141	96	13	775	79	327	12	2135
Farmington	302	126	428	66	17	17	52	224	32	11	8	3	21	9	93
Kansas City ...	4198	803	5001	621	96	74	518	338	154	32	1693	1759	4237	29	3048
Lebanon	273	59	332	65	13	7	39	51	38	6	54	3	35	...	55
St. Louis.....	2146	665	2811	240	31	26	256	140	68	28	1731	1108	5185	51	5383
Sedalia	928	266	1194	195	36	31	175	116	100	19	309	5	117	1	41
Springfield	886	228	1114	180	32	27	158	136	43	15	221	644	245	64	168
Totals.....	9817	2496	12313	1590	266	212	1404	1146	531	124	5791	3601	10167	166	8923
Last year.. .	7903	2371	10274	1497	229	210	1383	1072	604	100	4049	2837	5238	5	24990
Increase this yr	1914	125	2039	93	37	2	21	74	....	24	1742	764	5929	161	.....
Decrease this yr	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	73	....	.	....	....	....	16067

Errors (by the Statician) in Members, Independence Circuit, 40, Dundee Place, 200, are here corrected and will increase the members in this table 240 over that in the District total, and also the total for the Conference that much.

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NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders, and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec. From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves. Books, etc.
Carthage	16908	2015	18923	14916	2025	16941	741	1888	1665	166	144	18750	344	16	360	2891	2345
Farmington	9051	1331	10382	7080	1309	8389	2001	1124	975	53	39	9402	86	3	89	708	641
Kansas City	23614	1858	25472	22540	2778	25318	539	2543	2478	283	199	28006	808	4	812	14167	2647
Lebanon	8546	885	9431	7292	885	8177	1276	1118	1061	88	41	9279	79	1	80	930	685
St Louis	19000	2080	21080	18075	1960	20035	492	1648	1589	330	258	21882	581	....	581	14758	2305
Sedalia	13638	1222	14860	12737	1237	13974	951	1621	1513	175	116	15601	300	....	300	2637	1295
Springfield	12851	1360	14211	11210	1331	12541	934	1628	1406	127	98	14045	220	....	220	2276	1423
Totals	103608	10751	114359	93850	11525	105375	6934	11570	10687	1222	855	116665	2418	24	2442	38367	11341
Last year	99157	11536	110120	89167	11491	100658	9624	11486	10624	1323	898	112080	2521	18	2539	38305	10306
Increase	4451	....	4239	4683	34	4717	...	84	63	....	....	4885	....	6	....	62	1035
Decrease	....	785	....	....	....	....	2690	....	....	101	3	....	103	....	97	....	....

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Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99, Nevada; '00, '02, P. E. Carthage Dist.

Ashley, Jno.—St. L. Conf. 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler; '88, '89, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '90, '91, Lebanon; '92, '93, Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca; '00-'02, Bloomfield.

Babbitt, H. A.—1888, '89, High Point; '90, '91, Cuba; '92, '93, Butler Ct.; '94,-'97, Oak Grove; '98-'00, East Lynne; '01, Rockville; '02, Smithton.

Baird, E. H.—Pitts. Conf., 1859 Senecaville; '60, Edinburg; '61, Butler; '62, Newton; '63, '64, New Lexington; '65, Bible Agt.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '66, '67, Buffalo; '68-'75, Bible Agt.; '76, '77, Republic; '78-'02, Sup'ted.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'95, Austin; '96,'97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton; '02, Rockville.

Baker, C.—Ark. Conf., 1892, West Side Mission, Little Rock; St. Louis Conf., 1893, Festus; '94, Fair Play; '95, '96, Billings; '97, Springfield, Daily Chapel; '98-'00, Humansville; '01, Liberal; '02, Schell City.

Baldwin, L. E.—1895, '96, Bonne Terre; '97, Puxico; '98, Galena; '99, '01, Cassville; '02, Republic.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00-'02, P. E. Farmington Dist.

Barber, A.—Upper Iowa Conf., '65,'66, Ackley Ct.; Mo. and Ark. Conf.,'67, Ozark; '68-'70, Buffalo; '71, '72, Ash Grove; '73-'75, Mt. Vernon; '76, '77, Buffalo; '78, Carthage Ct.; '79, '80, Avilla; '81, Sup'ry; '82-'89, Sup'ted; '90, Seneca; '91-'02, Sup'ted.

Beaty, C. B.—In the Ministry of U. B. Ch. 1876-'91; M. E. Ch. Austin Conf., '91, '92, Velasco; '93, Dallas, Grace Ch.; '94, Clarendon and P. C.; '95-'97, Iowa Park; '98, Dennison; St. Louis Conf., '99, Carl Junction; '00, Peirce City; '01, '02, Sup'ted. Died at Buffalo, Mo., May 9, 1902.

Beggs, F. S.—1859, '60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63, '64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67, '68, Cape Girardeau; '69, '70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, St. L. Central; '83, K. C., Summit St.; '84, St. L. Carondelet; '85, '86, Sup'ry (with work); '87-'91, P. E. Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93, '94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95, '96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L., Tower Grove; '99, Goode Av.; '00-'02, Rolla.

Bell, M.—1877, '78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80, '81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87 '88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93, '94, Adrian; '95-'02, Sup'ted.

Bell, J. C.—W. Neb. Conf., 1896, Grant; '97, Paxton; St. L. Conf., '98, Oronogo; '99, '00, Nashville; '01, '02, Hume and Foster.

Benefiel, T. S.—1866, Lebanon and L. Ct.; '67, '68, Butler Ct.; '69, Deepwater Ct.; '70-'72, Greenfield; '73, Knobnoster; '74, Prairie City; '75, '76, Butler Ct.; '77, '78, Appleton City; '79, Nevada; '80-'84, Sup'ry; '85-'02, Sup'ted.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; 83 Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Genl. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia 1st Ch., '00,'02, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association Sup'ry.

Bradford, G. H.—W. Neb. Conf., '93, Bertrand Ct.; '94-96, in school; Mo. Conf. '97-'01, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; St. L. Conf.'01(in part),'02, Kansas City, Oakley.

Brewer, R. J.—M. E. Ch. So., 1890-'00; M. E. Ch. So., Ill. Conf., 1901, Hindsboro Ct.; St. L. Conf., '02, Doe Run.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82, '83, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85, Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield; '89-91, Rich Hill; '92, Peirce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '95, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97, 98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., 00, Buffalo; '01 (in part), Pacific, (in part) Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place.

Buck, N. H.—1870, '71, Leesburg; '72, St. James; '73, '74, Licking; '75, 76, Potosi; '77, Webster; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80, Houston; '81-'83, West Plains; '84, Greenfield; '85, Avilla; '86, Billings; '87, Dixon; '88-'00, Sup'ry; '01, '02, Sup'ted.

Burress, A. D.—1899-'01, Doe Run; '02, at school.

Carlos, C. R.—Ill. Conf., 1889, '90, Cisco; '91, St. Joseph; '92, '93, Grove City; '94, Raymond; '95-'97, Springfield, Kumler Ch.; '98 (in part), Greenfield; '99, '00, Anti-Saloon Work; St. Louis Conf., '00 (in part) '01, St. L., Trinity Ch.; '02, P. E. St. L. Dist.

Carpenter, L. R.—1874, Dadeville; '75, '76, Mecklin; '77-'79, Butler Ct.; '80, '81, Austin; '82, K. C., 16th St.; '83, 84, K. C., Dundee Place; '85-'87, Sup'ry; '88-'02, Sup'ted.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76, '77, Cambridge; '78, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa; '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L., Trinity; '86, Clinton; '87-'89, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01, '02, Pleasant Hill.

Coleman, W. C.—Kansas Conf., 1893-'95, DeSoto; St. L. Conf., '96-'00, Kansas City, Summit St.; '01, '02, Warrensburg.

Coons, C. E.—1891-'94, Licking; '95, Huntingdale; '96, Green Ridge; '97, Lamonte; '98, Centerview; '99, Cabool; '00, Sup'ry; '01, '02, Missionary.

Corrington, J. F.—1873, '74, Dresden; '75, '76, Independence; '77, '78, Butler, '79-'81, St. L., St. Luke's; '82, '83, Water Tower; '84-'87, P. E. St. L. District; '88, Springfield, Grace Church; '89-'93, St. L., Water Tower; '94-'98, St. Luke's; '99, Tower Gr.; '00, -'02, Financial Agt. 20th Century Offering.

Cosper, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1885, Ellsworth; '86, '87, West. Fort Co.; '88, Argenta; '89, Little Rock, Ebenezer; '90, '91, Rodgers; '92, Eureka Spgs.; St. Louis Conf.; '93-'97, Bolivar; '98-'00, Rich Hill; '01, '02, Lamar.

Creamer, W. M.—1873-'85, in Ohio Conf., M. P. Ch.; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86, '87, Salem; '88, '89, Farmington; '90, Sup'ry; '91 Fredericktown; '92-'94, Malta Bend; '95, Gr. Ridge; '96, Osceola; '97, Rockville; '98, '99, Sup'ry; '00, Linn Creek; '01, Iberia; '02, Phillipsburg.

Criss, C. V.—1877, '78, Lamar; '79, '80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82, '83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92, '93, P. E. Carthage Dist. '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'02, P. E. Springfield Dist.

Crissman, B. F.—1893, Lamonte; '94, Osceola; '95, 96, Pleasant Hill; '97 at school; '98-'00 Warrensburg; '01, '02, K. C. Dundee Place.

Crow, D. W.—1881, '82, Marble Hill; '83 '85, Bloomfield; '86, '87, Crystal City; '88-'92, Desoto; '93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '00-'02, DeSoto.

Curl, M. L.—Ill. Conf., 1868, Paxton Ct.; '69, Farmer City Ct.; '70, '71, Farmer City; '72, Arcola, '73, Champaign, University Ch.; Mo. Conf. '74-'76, Louisiana; '77, Glasgow; '78-'80, Chillicothe; '81, '82, Hannibal; '83-'86, P. E. Kirksville Dist.; '87-'89, Pres. Lewis Col.; Ark. Conf., '90-'92, Pres. Little Rock University; '93, P. E. L. R. Dist; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part) '98, Marionville and President of Institute; '99-'01, Clinton; '02, St. L., Fry Memorial.

Dougherty, H. A.—1890-'92, Humansville; '93, Stockton; '94, East Lynne; '95, Harrisonville; '96, '97, East Lynne; '98-'00, Belton; '01, Oak Grove; '02, Springfield, Daily Ch.

Dorchester, D. Jr.—N. E. Conf., 1875-'76, Prof. Montpelier Sem'y; '76,'77, Springfield, Vt.; '77, 79, Hopkinton, Mass.; '80, Boston, Winthrop St.; '81, Newton, Mass.; '82-'95, Prof. in Boston University; Pittsburg Conf., '95-'99, Christ's Ch., Pittsburg; St. L. Conf., '00-'02, St. Louis, Lindell Ave.

Dugger, E. M.—S. Kan. Conf., 1889, 90, Girard Ct.; '91, Walnut; '92 (in part) Strong City; Des Moines Conf., '92, '93, DeSoto; '94, Macedonia; '95, '96, Panora; Montana Conf., '97, '98, Helena; St. Louis Conf., '99 (in part), '00, Marshall; '01, K. C., Howard Memorial; '02, Lee's Summit.

Elayer, E. W.—1897, Urbana; '98, '99, California; '00, '01, Mountain Grove; 02, Aurora and Mt. Vernon.

Entwisle, I.—1856, Jackson Ct.; '67, '68, Franklin; '69, '70, Stockton; '71, Carthage Ct., '72, Buffalo; '73 Urbana; '74, '75, Osage; '76, Centerview; '77, '78, High Point; '79, '80, Pilot Gr.; '81, Montrose; '82, Warsaw; '83, '84, Buffalo and Urbana; '85, Dadeville; '86, Orongo; '87, '88, Carthage Ct.; '89-'02, Sup'ted., Died July 30th, 1902, at Indianapolis, Ind.

Ferguson, W. T.—1897, '98, Carl Junction; '99, Carthage Ct.; '00, 01, Carl Junction; '02, Jasper and Mt. Moriah.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70,'71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73,'74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84, '85, Sup'ry; '86, '87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91-'92, Knobnoster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Spgs.; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02, Windsor and Leeton.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton. '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor, '93, '94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'02, Green Ridge.

Foster, H. B.—Kan. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Church; St. L. Conf., '92, Mt. Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94, '95, Mt. Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00, '02, P. E. Lebanon, Dist.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83; Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94, '95 Carterville; '97, Golden City; '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01, '02, Peirce City.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80 Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83, '84 Prairie Grove; '85, '86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., 87, Avilla; '88, '89, Billings; '90, '91, Dadeville; '92, '93, Fair Play; '94 Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98 Cabool; '99, '00, Bolivar Ct., '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85, '86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98-'99, Carterville; '00, '01, Eldorado Springs; '02, Sup'ry.

Gideon, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1878, '79, Magazine; '80, '81, Charleston; '82, 83, Ellsworth; '84, '85, Magazine; '86-'88, Amity; '89, Hot Springs; St. L. Conf., '90-'92, Festus, '93, '94, DeSoto; '95, Hartville; '96, '97, Buffalo; '98, '99, Hume and Foster; '00, '01, Golden City; '02, Carl Junction.

Gideon, T. J.—1897, Billings; '98 Cassville; '99, '00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02, Hartville.

Giliespie, J. H.—1873, '74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78, '79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83, '84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88, '89, Pleasant Hill; '90-'02, Missionary to Wyoming.

Glens, G. A.—1886, '87, Cuba; '88,'89, Salem; '90,'91, Sarcoxie; '92, Mt. Vernon; '93, '94, Appleton City; '95, '96, Malta Bend; '97, '98, Tipton; '99-'01, Smithson; '02, Belton.

Gower, L. E.—1891, Ash Grove; '92, Billings; '93,'94, Lincoln; '95, Dresden; '96,'98, Austin; '99' '00, Independence; '01, Osceola; '02, Sup'ry.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855, '56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58, '59, Newark; '60, '61, Princeton; '62, '63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf., '64, St. Joe; '65,-'68, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '69,-'72, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '73,-'75, P. E. St. Louis Dist.; '76, '77, Jefferson City; '78, '79, Pleasant Hill; '79, '80, K. C. Liberty St.; '81,-'83, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '84,-'86, St. L. Water Tower; '87,-'02, Chaplain St. Louis Institutions.

Hamel, W. V.—1878, K. C., 16th St.; '79, '80, Cuba; '81,-'83, Appleton City; '84, '85, Smithton and P. Gr.; '86,-'91, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '92, Carthage; '93,-'97, Warrensburg; '98, Smithton; '99,-'02, Springfield, Benton Av.

Hammons, R. P.—S. Ill. Conf., 1880-'83, Vienna; '84, Hawthorn; '85, Enfield; S. Kan. Conf., '86, '87, Walnut; '88,-'91, Oswego; '92-'95, Parsons; '96, Ft. Scott; '97, Baldwin; (in part) Idaho Conf., '97, (in part) '00, Boise; St. L. Conf., 1901-'02, Joplin, First Church.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64, '65, Brighton; '66, '67, Salem; '68, Duquoin; '69,-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72,-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76,-'78, P. E. Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79,-'85, Prof. McKendree, Col.; '86, '87, Sup'ry; St. L. Conf., '88, '89, St. L. Trinity; '90, '91, St. Luke; '92, '93, Sup'ry; '94, St. L., Jennings; '95 Union, Ass't Pastor; '96,-'02, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73, '74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76, '77, Ironton; '78, DeSoto; '79, Schell City; '80, '81, Lebeck; '82, transferred to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92, '93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96,-'02, Sup'ted.

Hatcher, G. S.—1891, S. W. City; '92, Carl Junction; '93, Liberal; '94, Peirce City; '95, '96, Rich Hill; '97,-'99, Missionary to Nevada; '00, '02, Sup'ry.

Heaton, S. J.—1892, '93, Pleasant Hill; '94,-'98, Clinton; '99,-'02, Kansas City, Arlington.

Hughes, M. S.—Iowa Conf., 1887, Ewart Ct.; '88, '89, Malcom; '90, Grinnell; Maine Conf., '90,-'94, Portland, Chestnut St.; N. Minn. Conf., '95,-'98, Minneapolis, Wesley Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '99,-'02, Kansas City, Independence Av.

Hughey, G. W.—S. Ill., 1850-1878; St. L. Conf., 1879-'81, St. Louis, Trinity; '82,'83, Carondelet; '84, Conf. Tem. Agt.; '85, Carondelet; '86,-'88, Carthage; '89-'93, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '94,'95, Benton Ave.; '96,-'02 Sup'td.

Hunt, E. J.—1878, '79, Walnut, '80,-'82, Osceola; '83,-'85, Malta Bend; '86, East Lynne; '87,-'90, Holden; '91, '92, Lee's Summit; '93, K. C., Arlington; '94,-'99, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '00,'01, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '02, P. E. Sedalia Dist.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry C'y; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S.; '96,-'00, Lamar; '01, '02, Lebanon.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84, '85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnell Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in School; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf.—St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96, '97, California; '98, Urbana; '99,'00, Licking; '01, Hartville; '02, Knobnoster.

Ing, S. —1858, '59, Salem; '60, Rolla; '61, Leesburg, '62, U. S. A.; '63, Otterville; '64, '65, Middletown; '66,-'69, P. E Rolla Dist.; '70,-'72, Knobnoster; '73,'74, Windsor; '75,-'77, Marshall; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80,-'82, Aullville; '83, '84, Sup'ted; '85,-'87, Mecklin; '88, Aullville; '89,-'02, Sup'ted.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94,-'96, Pacific; '97,-'02, Malta Bend.

Janssen, J. J. —1896, '97, Marshall; '98,-00, Schell City; '01, '02, Seneca.

January, B. F.—1880, Harrisonville; '81, '82, Warrensburg Ct.; '83, '84, Mecklin; '85, Austin; '86, '87, Richland; '88,-'90, West Plains; '91, Marshfield; '92, Appleton City; '93, Aurora; '94, Willow Spgs; '95, '96, DeSoto; '97, Pacific; '98; '99, Cuba; '00, '01, Richland; '02, Buffalo.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89,-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93,-'97, Smithton; '98,-'02, Butler.

Jones, Sam'l—1873, '74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77 Brownsville; '78; N. Clinton; '79,-00, Sup'ry; '01,-'02, Sup'ted.

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1878, Huntsville; '79, '80, Yellville; '81, '82, Mountain Home; '83, '84, Waldron; '85, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part); St. L. Conf., '93,-'97, Marshfield; '98, '99, Bolivar; '00,-'02, Monett.

Jones, D. B.—1893, Moundville; '94, Stockton; '95, '96, at school; '97, '98, Hartville; '99,-'02, Sup'ry.

Jones, H. A.—1892, '93, Miss. in Utah; '94, at school; '95,-'98, St. L., Goode av.; '99,-'02, Springfield, Grace Ch.

Keast, A. G.—1899, '00, Iantna; '01,-'02, Humansville.

King, H. A. —1898, Kansas City, Liberty St.; '99, Kansas avenue; '00, '01, Oakley; mid-year at school; '02, at school.

King, G. W.—1886,-'88, Bloomfield; '89,-'92, Cape Girardeau; '93, Fruitland; '94, '95, Farmington; '96, Willow Spgs.; '97, Graniteville; '98, '99, Lutesville; '00, Fruitland; '01, '02, Licking.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75, '76, Springfield; '77, '78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84, '85, Cassville; '86, '87, Mt. Vernon; '88, '89, Urbana; '90, '91, Strafford; '92,-'02, Sup'ted.

Koeth, E. D. C.—1896, Graniteville; '97,'98, Bonne Terre; '99,-'01, Tipton; '02, Liberal.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88,-'92, Farina; '93, '94, Pinckneyville; '95,-'98, Evangelistic Work; St. L. Conf., '99,-'01, Joplin, Central av.; '02, Neosho.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00,' 01, Mt. Vernon; '02, Miss. to Montana.

Lehr, A. M.—1898 Alberta; '99, '00, Knobnoster, '01, Marshall; '02, Sup'ry.

Leigh, W. R. – Kan. Conf., 1880, Salt Creek; '81,-'82, Gypsum; N. W. Kan. Conf. (by div.), '83, Ellsworth; '84,-'86, N. Salina; '87, Aola; '88, '89, Sup'ry; '90,'91, Sharon Spgs.; Kan. Conf., '92, '93, Linn; '94, Morrowville; '95, Lyndon Ct.; '96, located; Oklahoma Conf., (Readm.), '99, Lehigh; '00, Nowata; St. L. Conf., '01, '02 Lowry City, Mid-year transf. to Okla. Conf.

Lenig, F. —1881, Greenfield; '82, Bolivar; '83,-'85, N. Springfield; '86, St. L., Central; '87,-'91, Goode av.; '92,-'95, Dr. Fry Memorial; '96, '01, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '02, Trans"d to S. Kans. Conf.

Lokey, J. —Ark. Conf., 1879, '80, Clear Cr.; '81,-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Batesville; '85, Harrison; '86,-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Ks.; St. Louis Conf., '90, '91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93, '94, Purdy; '95,-'97, Mt. Vernon; '98, '99, Purdy; '00, Billings; '01, '02, Boaz.

Luccock, N. —Pittsburg Conf., 1874, '75, Tippecanoe, O.; '76, Addison, Pa.; '77, '78, Somerset, Pa.; '79,-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82,-'84, Pittsburg, Oakland Ch.; '85 -'87, Prof. Allegheny Col.; '88,-'91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92,-'96, Pittsburg, Smithfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897,-'02, St. Louis, Union Ch.

Luce, F. W.—N. W. Iowa Conf., 1881, '82, Battle Creek; '83, '84, Correctionville; '85, Sheldon; '86,-'90, Clear Lake; U. Iowa Conf., '91,-'94, Hampton; '95, '96, Davenport, First Ch.; '97, '98, Marion; '99,-'02 (in part) Cedar Falls; St. Louis Conf., 1902, St. Louis, Maple Av.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870, '71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72, '73, K. C., 16th St.; '74, '75, Rolla; '76,-'78, Greenfield; '78, '79, Carthage; '80 -'82, Lebanon; '82,-'85, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87,-'91, Rolla; '92, Nevada; '93,-'95, Holden; '96,-'01, Lee's Summit; '02, Kansas City, Phoenix Park.

Mais, H. G. —1895, '96, St. Louis, Trinity; '97,-'02, Carondelet.

Martin, W. F.—1897, '98, Lincoln; '99,-'01, at school; '02, Marshall.

Martin, J. J. —1878, '79, Seneca; '80, '81, Oronogo; '82, '83, Avilla; '84, '85, Golden City; '86,-'89, Marionville; '90, '91, Mt. Vernon; '92,-'94, Joplin; '95, '96, West Plains; '97,-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden.

McCoard, C.—Central Ohio Conf., '93,'94, Celina Circuit; '95,-'98, Utah Mission. '99,'00, Drew Seminary; St. Louis Conf., '01, Holden; '02, K. C., Linwood av.

McCormack, W. R.—1894,-'98, Doe Run; '99,'00, Ironton; '01, '02, Fruitland.

Meracle, J. S.—1896, Seymour; '97, '98, Eldon; '99,-'01, Prof. Carleton Col.; '02, Farmington.

Mitchell, C. A.—1896, '97, Neosho; '98, '99, Peirce City; '00,-'02, Financial Agt. Marionville Col. Ins.

Moore, J. N.—1874, '75, Lebanon Ct.; '76, '77, Cuba; '78,-'80, Richland; '81, Oronogo; '82,-'84, Webb City; '85,-'87, Peirce City; N. W. Kansas Conf., '88, Ellis, '89, '90, Jewell City; Ark. Conf., '91,-'93, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part). Prof. L. R. Un.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '95,-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '00, City Missions; '01, '02, Hammond Place.

Mullen, H. C.—1897, Ava; '98, Richland; '99, Buffalo; '00, '01, Aurora; later Carterville; '02, Carterville.

Martin, S. S.—1877, '78, Iowa Conf.; '79, Melrose; '80, '81, Morning Sun; '82,-'84, Koeta; '85, Agency; S. Kan. Conf., '86,-'88, Howard; '89,'90, Chanute; '91,'92, Independence; '93,-'98, P. E. Ottawa Dist.; '99,-'01, Ft. Scott; St. L. Conf., 1902, Sedalia, 1st Ch.

Munsell, L. W.—Ohio Conf, 1841, Malta; '42, Braxton; '43, Ravenswood; '44,'45 Sup'ry; '46, Diverton; '47, Patriot; '48, Jackson; '49, '50, Gallia; '51, '52, Richmondale; '53, Amesville; '54,'55, Coolville; '56,'57, Barlow; '58, located because of ill health. During location served various charges in Ill. and Ohio Conf. as supply. From '72,-'79, supplied work in St. Louis Conf.; '80, re-admitted to St. L. Conf., appt'd to Barnesville; '81,-'02, Sup'ted. ('83,-'94, acted as supply).

Nations, J. L.—From Meth. Pr. Ch. 1898, Winona; '99, '00, Willow Springs; '01, Alton; '02, Koshkoning.

Needham, J. W.—1890, '91, Winona; '92, '93, at school; '94,-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98,-'01, Marshfield; '02, Osceola.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S. 1897, '98, Conway; '99, '00, Sarcoxie; '01, '02, Butler Ct.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75, '76, Warsaw; '77,'78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80,-'82, Butler Ct.; '83,'84, Austin and Pl. Val. '85,'86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88,-'91, Oak Grove; '92,'93, East Lynne; '94; Drexel; '95, Belton; '96,-'98, Sup'ry; '99,-'02, Sup'ted.

Pare, W. T.—1886, '87, Hermitage; '88,'89, Conway; '90,-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96,-'00, Sup'ry; '01,'02, Newberg and Dixon.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1859, '60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61, '62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63,-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; St. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67,'68, K. C., Grand Ave.; '69,-'71, St. L., Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73, '74 Warrensburg; '75, '76, Carthage; '77,-'80, P. E. Sedalia Dist; '81, '82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85,-'90, Sup'ry; '91, '92, Lowry City; '93,-'00, Sup'ry; '01,'02, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97,-'99, Liberal; '00,-'2, Joplin, Byers Ave.

Porter, J. S.—1873, '74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownsville; '77,-'79, Malta Bend; '80,'81, Knobnoster; '82,'83, Tipton; '84,-'86, Windsor; '87, '88, East Lynne; '89, Knobnoster; '90,-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95,-'02, Sup'ted.

Porter, J. H.—1896, Mountain View; '97, Potterville; '98, Appleton City Ct.; '99, '00, Lowry City; '01, '02, Eldorado Springs Ct.

Potter, Jas.—1896, '97, Hume and F.; '98, '99, Mt. Vernon; '00, '02, at school.

Pyles, W. T.—S. W. Mo. Conf., M. E. Ch. S., 1883, Vienna; '84, Altoona; '85, Exeter St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-88, Knobnoster; '89-90, Smithton and Pilot Grove '91, Malta Bend; '92, '93, Buffalo; S. Kan. Conf., '94, Cedarville; St. L. Conf., '95 Golden City; '96, '97, Carterville; '98, Butler Ct.; '99, '00, Austin; '01, '02, Rich Hill.

Quayle, W. A.—Kan. Conf., 1886, Osage Ct.; '87,-'89, Prof. Baker U.; '90,-'94, Pres Baker U.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), '98, Kansas City, Independence Av.; '99 transferred to Indiana Conf.; '99 (in part), '01, Indianapolis, Meridian St.; St L. Conf., '01 (in part) '02, Kansas City, Grand Av.

Reno, F. P.—1894, Carl Junction; '95, '96, Rockville; '97,-'00, Huntingdale; '01, La monte; '02, Tipton.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93, '94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at school; '97, K. C., Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99(in part), Pleasant Hill; '99 '02, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf. to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97, '98, Pleasant Hill; '99, '00, Higginsville; '01, '02, Sup'ted.

Risley, H. M.—1895, Carl Junction; '96, '97, Webb City; '98, '99, Adrian; '00, Pleasant Hill; '01, Schell City; '02, Supernumerary.

Rose, C. I.—1893, '94, Urbana; '95,-'97, Galena; '98,-01, Springfield, Dailey Ch.; '02 Mountain Grove.

Sapp, E. H.—1899,-'02, Webb City.

Scott, W. T.—1894,-'96, St. L., Tower Gr.; '97,-'00, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '01, '02 K. C., Summit St.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899, '00, Hartville; '00 (in part), '01, California; '02, Richland.

Sidman, W. D.—1895,-'97, Stockton; '98, '99, Republic; '00,-'02, Greenfield.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876, '77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79,-'80, Russellville; '81,-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85, '86, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '87 Cassville; '88,-'90, Greenfield; '91, '92, West Plains; '95,-'98 P. E. Springfield Dist.; '99,-'02, Marionville.

Simmons, D. T.—1892, '93, Carthage Ct.; '94,-'96, Republic; '97,-'01, Fair Play '02, Marshfield.

impson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97,-'00, Osceola; '01, '02, Sedalia, Epworth Ch,

Simpson, E.—1899, '00, Avilla; '01, '02, Sarcoxie.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89, '90, Hartville; '91,-'93, Republic '94, Schell City; '95, '96, Montrose; '97, '98, Green Ridge; '99, '00, Lamonte; '01 Windsor and Leeton; '02, Sup'ry.

Smith, R. T.—1883, Sheldon; '84,-'86, at school; '87,-'89, Peirce City; '90,-'92, Payson, Utah; '93,-'95, K. C., Summit St.; '96,-'98, Springfield, Benton Av.; '99, '00 Anti-Saloon League; '01, '02, Conf. Evangelist.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67,-'69, Marshall; '70, '71, Independence; '72, '73 High Point; '74,-'76, Butler and A.; '77, '78, Holden; '79,-'82, P. E. K. C. Dist. '83,-'86, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '87, '88, Smithton; '89,-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton '93,-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97, '98, Drexel; '99,-'02, Odessa.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kan. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84,-'86, Galesburg; '87,-'90, Virgil; '91, '92, Americus; '93,-'96, Waverly; '97,-'99, Galena; '00,-'0 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02, Nevada.

Steves, H. L.—East O. Conf., 1882, Bissells; '83, '84, Thompson; North O. Conf '85, '86, Vermillion; '87, '88 (in part) Bloomville; '88,-'90 (in part), Utah Mission, Logan; '90,-'94, LaGrange, O.; '95,-'97 (in part), Medina; Austin Conf. '98-'00 (in part), Dallas Tabernacle Ch.; St. L. Conf., '00, '01, St. Louis, Fry Memorial; '02, Trinity.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65, '66, Manor Hill; '67, '68 Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69, '70, Neosho; '71,-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield

'75 -'77, St. L., Trinity; '78,-'80. Warrensburg; '81, '82, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '83,-'85. Carthage; '86, K. C., Summit St.; '87,-'92, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '93,-'98, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '99, '00, K. C., Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Av.; '02, Clinton.

Stewart, J. W. —S. Kan. Conf., 1877, '78, Oxford; '79,-'81, in school; '82, '83, Buelah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87, '88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E. Emporia Dist.; '91,-'93, Emporia, 1st Ch.; '94,-'96, Ottawa, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part),-'02, Carthage.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76,-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81, '82, Calvey; '83,-'85, Sullivan; '86,-'89, Iberia; '90 Linn Cr.; '91,-'00, Sup'ry; '01, '02, Sup'ted.

Thackrey, J. E.—N. W. Neb. Conf., 1894, Crawford; '95,-'98 (in part), at school; Kan. Conf., 1898,-'01 (in part), Chapman; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part)-'02, Kansas City, Grace Ch.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96,-'98, Sarcoxie; '99,-'02, Appleton City.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70, '71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72, '73, Clinton Ct.; '74,-'76, Lebeck; '77, '78, Mecklin; '79,-'80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82, '83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86, '87, Conway; '88,-'89, Dadeville; '90, '91, Galena; '92, '93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94,-'02, Sup'ted.

Toland, H. A.—1885, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87, '88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90,-'02, Sup'ted.

Van Petten, J. B. —Black Riv. Conf., 1852, '53, Cape Vincent; '54,-'60, Fairfield Sem'y; '61, Chaplain in the Army; '62,-'65, in Military Service; '66, located; St. L. Conf. (re-admitted), '80, '84, Sedalia Seminary; '85,-'99, Claverack Col., N. Y.; '00,-'02, Sup'ted.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82, '83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86,-'89, St. L., Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91, '92, Holden; '93,-'95, Lee's Summit; '96, '97, Kan. City, Howard Mem.; '98,-'00, (29th St.) Grace Ch.; '01, '02, Bennington Heights.

Welch, Jno. —Iowa Conf.—Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville, Mo. and Ark. Conf., 1866, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68, Linn Creek; '69, Washington; '70, '71, Linn Creek; '72, Versailles; St. L. Conf., '73, Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80,-'02, Sup'ted.

White, H. —1895, '96, Seneca; '97, '98, DeSoto; '99, '00, St. Louis, St. Luke's; '01, '02 West Plains.

Wood, M. B.—N. W. Ind. Conf., 1867, Wheeler; '68, Calumet; '69, Argus; '70,-'72, Pittsburg; '73, '74, Summit Grove; '75, Wheeler; '76, '77, Jamestown; '78,-'82, located; St. L. Conf., '83, St. Goode Av.; '84, Farmington; '85, Carterville; '86, Jasper; '87, Tipton; '88,-'02, Sup'ted.

Wright, W. T.—1886,-'88, Seneca; '89,-'92, Golden City; '93, '94, Carterville; '95,-'98, Joplin; '99,-'02, P. E. Kansas City Dist.

Wright, A. C.—1890,-'98, Missionary to China; '99, returned; '00,-'02, Sup'ry.

Yeager, W. F.—1880,-'82, Cassville; '83, '84, Dadeville; '85, '86, Buffalo; '87, '88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90, '91, Fairplay; '92, '93, Dadeville; '94,-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '99,-'00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena; '02, Marionville Ct.

Yount, W. H.—1893, Perryville; '94, Marquand; '95, Cross Roads; '96,-'98, Hartville; '99, Urbana; '00, Newburg; '01, '02, Seymour.

PURINTON'S FINANCIAL SYSTEM.

I have found the Purinton Financial System to be the best adapted for the general needs of a church of any plan which has ever came under my notice. A majority of the charges in the Boone District are using the system, and without an exception have made a splendid financial showing this year. In several churches there has been substantial increase in salaries, and the stewards would not think of going back to the old methods of doing business. To pastors and officials needing an improved system of finances, I most heartily recommend the Purinton system. Properly worked it cannot fail to bring beneficit results in any community. W. T. SMITH,
Presiding Elder, Boone Dist. Des Moines Conference.

Dr. Smith also informs us that in addition to increased salaries in a number of charges that not one dollar of deficits has occurred in the district during the year, and we find that more money for general purposes has been raised the past year than in any district in the State.

We note with pleasure that the churches, who have adopted our system and followed our directions as to working it, have uniformly made a fine showing in their financial work and are encouraged along all other lines. In the Boone District we would refer to the pastors of M. E. churches at Ames, Carroll, Collins, Paton, Boone, Coon Rapids, Scranton, Glidden, Maxwell, Ogden, and in fact all of the other charges in the district. Hundreds of churches in every state in the Union are now using the System and find it helpful in country, town and city work.

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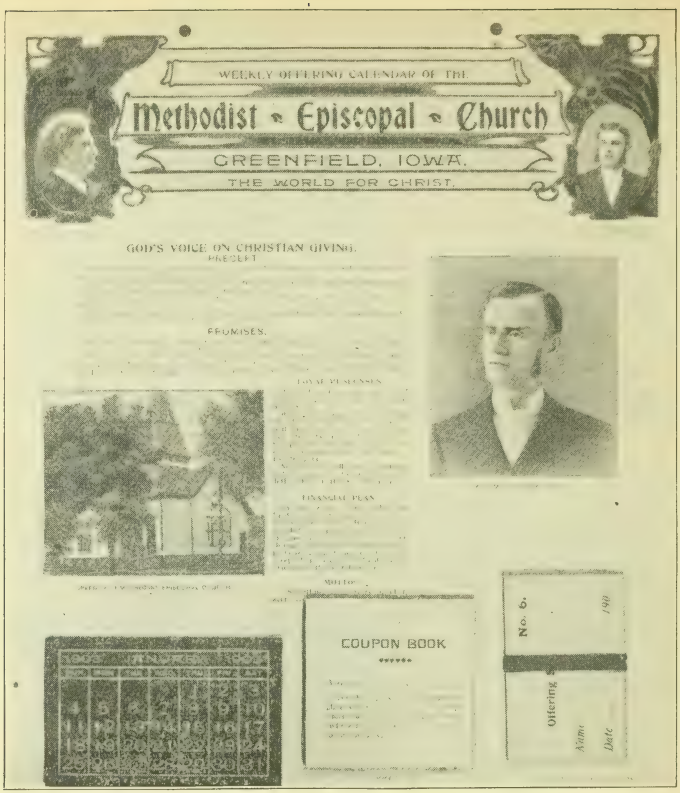

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Babbitt, Homer A.	1888	1888	Smithton
Baird, Edwin H.*	1859	1860	Marionville
Baker, William F.	1880	1880	Rockville
Baker, Clarke.	1892	1893	Schell City
Ball, Albert D.	1891	1891	De Soto
Barber, Alanson*	1865	1868	Baxter Springs, Kan.
Barker, Joel A.		1901	St. Louis, 7108 Virginia Av.
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Bell, Mordecia*	1877	1877	Golden City
Bell, James C.**	1897	1899	Greencastle, Ind.
Benefiel, Theo. S.*	1866	1866	Lamar
Bitler, Jas. S.*	1878	1899	Chicago, Ill., 728 63rd Court
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Brannon, Landor L.**	1900	1900	Green Ridge
Brewington, Jas. B.*	1880	1880	
Buck, Noble H.*	1870	1870	Seneca
Burnham, De Kalb**	1900	1900	Baldwin, Kan.
Burress, Allen D.* **	1897	1897	Marshall, Texas
Campbell, Arthur B.**	1897	1903	Bloomfield
Campbell, Stephen B.	1887	1903	2922 Wabash Av., Kansas City
Carlos, Chas. R.	1889	1900	St. Louis, 3662 Finney Av.
Carpenter, Lewis R.*	1874	1874	Butler
Coen, Marcus E.*	1894	1899	
Coleman, Wm. C.	1894	1895	Warrensburg
Collins, Wm. K.	1876	1883	Lee's Summit
Coons, Charles F.	1891	1891	
Coontz, John W.	1898	1903	Holden
Corrington, Jas. F.	1873	1873	St. Louis, 3053 Glasgow Place
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Curl, Martin L.	1868	1895	St. Louis, 2123 Clifton Av., Clift. H.
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Foster, Henry B.	1889	1895	Lebanon
French, Silas A.	1884	1895	Seneca
Fry, Charles D.	1875	1887	Ava
Galbraith, Isaac M.*	1881	1881	Virgil City
Gideon, Geo. H.	1878	1890	Carl Junction
Gideon, Thos. J.	1882	1897	Hartville
Gillespie, John H.	1873	1873	Douglass, Wyoming
Glens, Geo. A.	1886	1886	Belton
Gower, Lewis E.*	1891	1891	Watonga, Okla.
Hagerty, Thos. H.	1855	1863	St. Louis, 1909 N. Grand Av.
Hallock, Leander*	1853	1877	St. Louis, Clifton Heights
Hall, John E.**	1901	1901	Webb City
Halterman, Chas. L.**		1903	Salem
Hamel, Wm. V.	1878	1878	Springfield
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Meracle, John S.	1891	1896	Farmington
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Neff, Frank**	1901	1901	Clinton
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Turrentine, Edward**	1901	1901	Lowry City
Turrentine, Wm. O.**	1896	1896	Billings
Van Petten, John B.*	1852	1880	Cazenovia, N. Y.
Warner, Samuel.	1881	1881	Kansas City, 1322 Ewing Av.
Welch, John*	1858	1866	Eldorado Springs
White, Harry.	1895	1895	West Plains
Wood, Milton B.*	1867	1883	Sheldon, Ill.
Wright, Wm. T.	1886	1886	Kansas City, 511 E. 31st St.
Wright, Amzi C.*	1890	1890	North Ontario, California
Wright, Zed.**	1901	1901	Deep Water
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1	Edwin E. Sparks.	1903	Moundville
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1	Ralph Wakefield.	1903	4371a Gibson Av., St. Louis

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Errata.

(a) Ralph Wakefield was admitted on trial at the time he was elected to Deacon's Orders, and it should have appeared in the Journal.

(b) John H. Hall in the Ordination Certificate should be John E. Hall.

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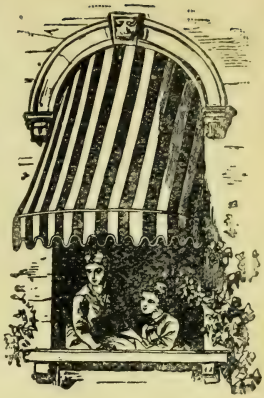

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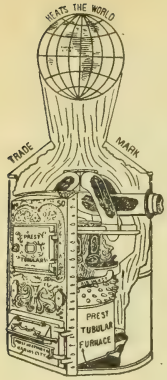

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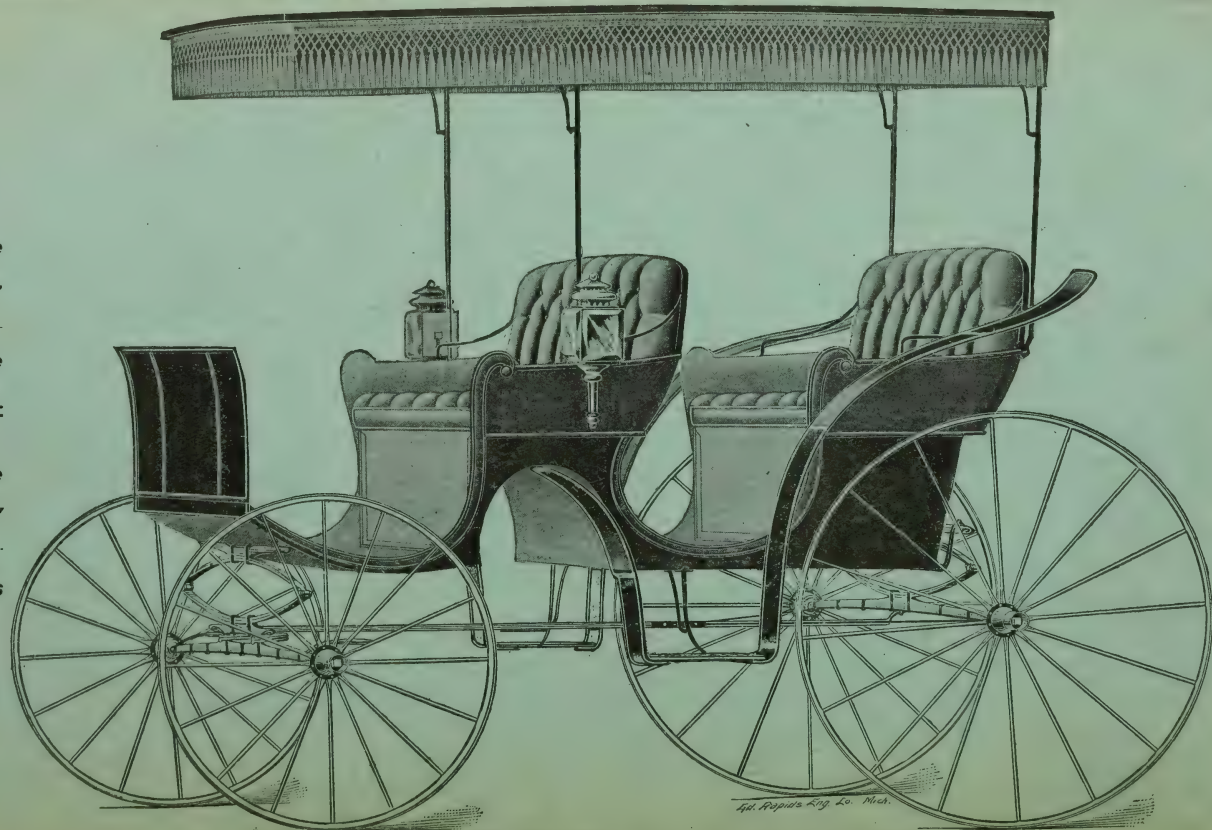

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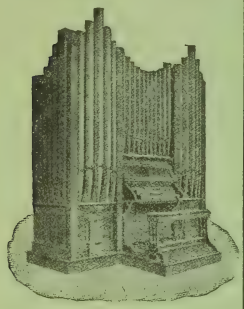

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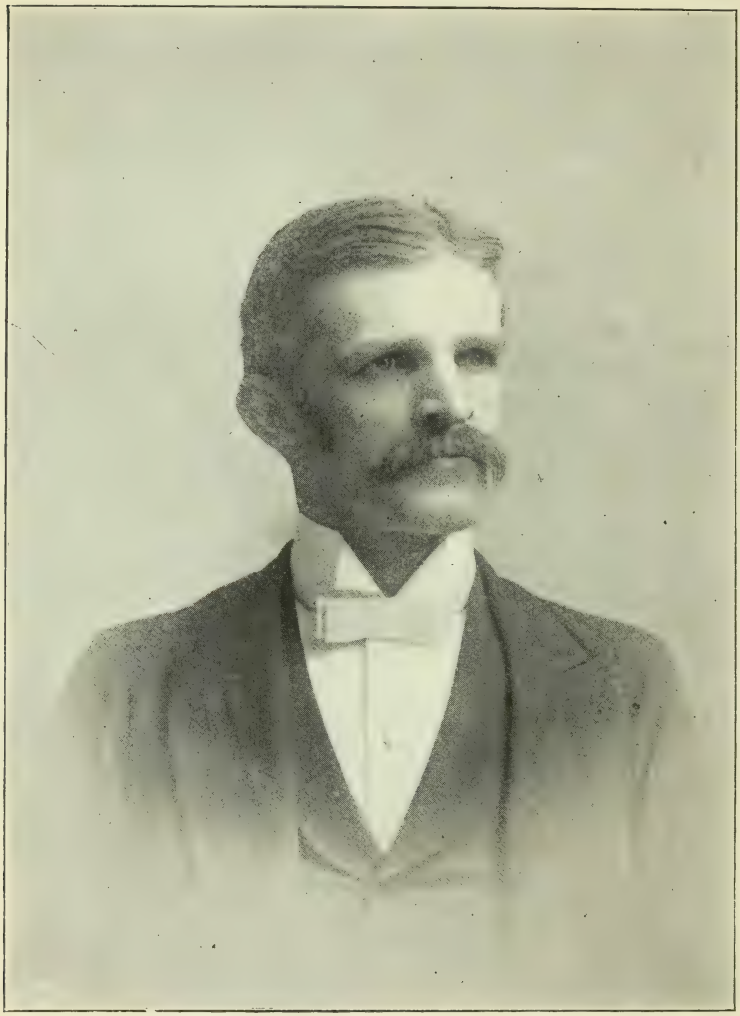

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Rules for Government of Conference.

Re-Adopted March 23, 1905.

I. The Conference shall meet at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and hold religious services for half an hour, and adjourn at 12 m.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference; but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate (except that the President may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member requests it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene—namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till every one desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a subject has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless, for special reasons, the Conference shall excuse him

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer; and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of the Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instructions? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

XV. The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, and the Officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the Officers and Managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitous Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1 What is your age and present state of health?

2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned; of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

St. Louis Conference

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 22, 1905.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its thirty-seventh session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Farmington, Missouri, March 22, 1905, Bishop William F. McDowell presiding.

Opening Services—The Conference was called to order by the Bishop at 9:00 a. m.

Hymn No. 211, beginning

"When I survey the wondrous Cross,"

was announced and sung.

The administration of the Lord's Supper was conducted by the Bishop, assisted by the Presiding Elders, closing with prayer by the Bishop.

Hymn No. 593, beginning

"Am I a Soldier of the Cross?"

was announced and sung.

Roll Call—William Stephens, the Secretary of the last session of the Conference, called the roll, and 107 members and probationers were present, viz:

E. P. Anderson, Laban Anderson, H. A. Babbitt, W. F. Baker, Clarke Baker, A. D. Ball, J. A. Barker, F. S. Beggs, G. H. Bradford, L. L. Brannon, J. B. Brewington, S. B. Campbell, C. R. Carlos, W. C. Coleman, W. K. Collins, J. W. Coontz, G. H. Cosper, A. M. Crippin, C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, M. L. Curl, A. M. Dixon, L. H. Dorchester, H. A. Dougherty, W. T. Ferguson, G. M. Foster, H. B. Foster, W. T. Gatley, T. J. Gideon, T. H. Hagerty, J. E. Hall, C. L. Halterman, W. V. Hamel, S. J. Heaton, G. W. Hughey, E. J. Hunt, G. J. Hunt, J. H. Hurley, T. W. Jeffrey, Samuel Jones, W. F. Jones, H. A. Jones, A. G.

Keast, E. D. C. Koeth, William Leatherman, F. P. Leckliter, F. W. Luce, H. C. Leonard, I. J. K. Lunbeck, H. G. Mais, J. J. Martin, S. S. Martin, S. W. McClure, W. R. McCormack, C. A. Mitchell, H. A. Mitchell, G. Z. Moore, J. W. Needham, Frank Neff, B. E. Niblack, W. T. Pare, P. E. Pierce, T. E. Prall, W. T. Pyles, L. G. Reser, E. H. Sapp, T. P. Shaffer, G. W. Shepherd, W. D. Sidman, W. J. Simmons, D. T. Simmons, F. W. Simpson, E. Simpson, J. W. Slusher, R. T. Smith, William Stephens, S. F. Stevens, H. L. Steves, O. M. Stewart, J. W. Stewart, E. A. Squier, J. E. Thackrey, L. M. Thompson, E. Turrentine, W. B. Van Valkenburg, Samuel Warner, Harry White, W. T. Wright, W. F. Yeager.

PROBATIONERS.

C. T. Cotton, E. E. Sparks, E. F. Miller, L. R. Nichols, Ralph Wakefield, E. T. Rice, W. L. Requa, W. E. Brown, G. C. Bechtel, J. C. Kirk, G. B. Thomas, A. J. May, F. O. Moore, Wm. Frank Baker, D. E. Standard, Clinton Senneff, C. T. Harrison, M. D. Cox.

Organization—On the nomination of T. H. Hagerty, William Stephens was re-elected Secretary; and on his nomination Perry E. Pierce and Edwin T. Rice were elected Assistant Secretaries.

On the nomination of P. E. Pierce, W. D. Sidman was elected Statistical Secretary; and on his nomination T. P. Shaffer, Ralph Wakefield, A. G. Keast, E. E. Sparks, C. T. Cotton, T. E. Prall and A. M. Crippin were chosen Assistants.

On nomination I. J. K. Lunbeck was re-elected Treasurer. He nominated for his Assistants, E. H. Sapp, G. B. Thomas, J. E. Thackrey, H. G. Mais, Chas. McCoard, H A. Mitchell, M. D. Cox, and they were elected.

Rules—The rules of the last session of the Conference were adopted, and the bar of the Conference was fixed at the seventh pew from the chancel.

On motion of M. L. Curl, a column was ordered to be added to Statistical Table No. IV, viz: "For Deaconess Work."

Drafts—Drafts on the Chartered Fund for $22 and on the Book Concern for $1,124 were ordered.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference by the Bishop, viz: Dr. Robert Forbes, one of the Secretaries of the Board of Church Extension; Dr. D. L. Aultman, representing the Book Concern; Dr. F. L. Hart, of the Church Insurance Society; Rev. W. E. Brown, returned missionary from the Philippines; Geo. L. Kleinschmidt, of Kansas City, Mo., collector for the Methodist Book Concern; Dr. H. L. Steves, president of Carleton College, and Miss E. A. Carleton, the founder of Carleton College.

On motion of F. S. Beggs, Miss Carleton was invited to a seat on the platform during the sessions of the Conference.

Dr. Aultman addressed the Conference in the interest of the Book Concern.

Statistics—On call the Statistical Secretary received the statistics from the various charges.

Dr. Robert Forbes most effectively addressed the Conference in the interests of Church Extension.

Souvenir—T. H. Hagerty, in an apt and interesting address, presented the Bishop a souvenir made of materials from the old John St. Church, of New York, the McKendree Chapel of Missouri, and the first church occupied in St. Louis after the Civil War.

F. S. Beggs also called attention to the claims of old Ebenezer Church as once a landmark of our work in St. Louis.

Bishop McDowell responded hopefully as to the future of Methodism in Missouri and the West.

Floral Offering—L. M. Thompon called attention to the beautiful and munificent floral offering, presented to the Conference, and on his motion the Secretary was instructed to convey the grateful appreciation of the Conference to the generous donor, Mr. George M. Kellogg, of Pleasant Hill, Missouri.

Question XIII. The Thirteenth Question was taken up, viz.: *Was the character of each preacher examined?*

Carthage District—The character of E. P. Anderson, Presiding Elder of Carthage District, passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders of the District were called, their characters passed, and they reported their collections, viz:

J. A. Barker, G. Z. Moore, G. H. Gideon, T. W. Jeffrey, W. M. Creamer, W. T. Ferguson, D. W. Crow, W. F. Jones, S. F. Stevens, G. M. Foster, W. J. Simmons and G. H. Cosper.

Transfers—C. C. James was announced as transferred to the St. John's River Conference, and Rufus B. Templeton as transferred from that Conference to this. His name was placed on the roll.

Farmington District—The character of A. D. Ball, Presiding Elder of Farmington District, passed and he read the report of his district.

The characters of the following effective Elders passed, and they reported their collections, viz: Wm. Leatherman, E. D. C. Koeth, W. R. McCormack, Harry White.

Kansas City District—The character of W. T. Wright, Presiding Elder of Kansas City District, passed and he represented his district by a written report.

Testimonial—At the close of this report, Bishop McDowell, in behalf of the preachers of the District, presented Dr. Wright with a handsome set of Hasting's Bible Dictionary, as a token of their personal regard and their appreciation of his services during the term just ending.

A few well chosen words expressed the grateful feelings of the recipient.

Carleton College—Miss E. A. Carleton, on special invitation, addressed the Conference, respecting her life and educational work in Missouri, and especially concerning Carleton College.

Dr. F. L. Hart was presented and addressed the Conference on Church Insurance.

Miss Hewitt, Deaconess of Bethany Hospital, Kansas City, Kansas, was introduced, and gave notice as to the Hospital.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following Standing Committees were appointed, viz:

Auditing—W. T. Pyles, J. A. Barker, B. E. Niblack.

Benevolences—S. F. Stevens, D. W. Crow, F. W. Luce, H. A. Jones, H. A. Mitchell, F. S. Beggs, Wm. Stephens.

Conference Relations—S. B. Campbell, G. J. Hunt, Wm. Leatherman, H. White, M. L. Curl, H. G. Mais.

Committee on Reference—S. S. Martin, H. A. Babbitt, R. T. Smith, John E. Thackrey.

Education—M. S. Hughes, G. H. Bradford, N. Luccock, H. L. Steves, L. G. Reser, J. W. Stewart, Frank Neff, W. R. McCormack, S. J. Heaton, Fred Simpson, T. W. Jeffrey, C. F. Tippin, G. J. Hunt.

Insurance—M. L. Curl, O. M. Stewart, T. W. Jeffrey, G. J. Hunt, S. S. Martin, H. A. Jones.

Memoirs—F. S. Beggs, J. B. Brewington, O. M. Stewart, T. H. Hagerty, Wm. Stephens.

Postmaster—H. A. Dougherty.

Public Worship—The Presiding Elder and the Pastor of Farmington.

Publication of Minutes—The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, and Treasurer.

Publishing Interests—L. H. Dorchester, H. R. Osborne, Clarke Baker, W. J. Simmons, G. H. Cosper, W. D. Sidman.

Reforms—S. W. McClure, J. J. Martin, Frank Neff, G. W. Shepherd.

Railroad Secretary—W. R. McCormack.

Resolutions—W. C. Coleman, O. M. Stewart, D. W. Crow, G. W. Hughey, F. S. Beggs, Chas. McCoard.

Stewards—W. V. Hamel, S. Warner, G. M. Foster, Wm. Leatherman, W. F. Jones, F. S. Beggs, D. W. Crow.

Woman's Work—T. H. Hagerty, J. W. Slusher, D. T. Simmons, J. H. Hurley.

Young People's Work—Ralph Wakefield, T. E. Prall, J. W. Coontz, A. M. Dixon, E. Simpson, E. D. C. Koeth, F. P. Leckliter, T. P. Shaffer.

Notices were given and the session closed with benediction by Dr. Forbes.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., Bishop McDowell presiding. Dr. McFarland assisted in the devotional services.

Minutes—The minutes of yesterday's session were read, corrected and approved.

Roll Call—The roll of absentees was called and Mordecai Bell, J. S. Bitler, G. H. Gideon, F. C. Johnston, Naphtali Luccock, V. C. Thomas, H. R. Osborne, Chas. McCoard, F. P. Reno, M. S. Hughes, W. O. Turrentine and C. F. Tippin were present.

The further calling of the roll was dispensed with.

The Statistical Secretary called for delinquent statistics.

By request the Secretary was authorized to return to Rev. W. T. Pyles the credentials upon which he was received fro mthe M. E. Church South.

W. T. Wright was elected Trustee of the Conference.

C. C. James—A communication from C. C. James was read, and a resolution touching his transfer was adopted as follows.

Whereas, the Rev. C. C. James, one of our promising young men, has been transferred to another Conference,

Resolved, That we sincerely regret the ill health of his family that has made this change necessary. We assure him of our sympathy and prayers, and should the future open up the way for his return, he will receive a cordial welcome.

William Stephens,
F. S. Beggs.

Federation—The Secretary called attention to certain official papers from the St. Louis and Southwest Missouri Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, touching the subject of "Federation." On his motion a committee of three was appointed by the Bishop to take into consideration these overtures, and to report at an early date. The following is the committee appointed: L. H. Dorchester, O. M. Stewart, T. W. Jeffrey.

W. T. Pare was added to the Board of Stewards.

Kansas City District—The Thirteenth Question was resumed. The character of the following effective Elders of the Kansas City District passed and reports were given: B. E. Niblack, G. A. Glens, J. J. Martin, S. J. Heaton, Samuel Warner, J. E. Thackrey, W. A. Quayle, J. W. Coontz, M. S. Hughes, S. B. Campbell, G. H. Bradford, I. J. K. Lunbeck, O. M. Stewart, L. M. Thompson, H. R. Osborne, V. C. Thomas and W. K. Collins.

Withdrawn—J. N. Moore was reported as withdrawn from the connection in order to unite with the Methodist Protestant Church.

Conference Board—The report of the Conference Board of Church Extension, presented by M. L. Curl, was adopted and ordered printed in the minutes.

Lebanon District—The character of H. B. Foster, Presiding Elder of Lebanon District, passed and he read his report.

The characters of the following effective Elders passed and reports were given: C. D. Fry, E. P. Reno, T. J. Gideon, J. L. Nations, H. G. Mais, B. D. Jones, T. P. Shaffer, F. S. Beggs, J. H. Frazier, J. W. Slusher and W. H. Yount.

J. L. Nations was granted a location at his own request, and B. F. January was reported as deceased.

Reference—Papers presented by E. P. Anderson were referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference: Dr. J. T. McFarland, Secretary of the Sunday School Union; Dr. E. H. Hughes, President of De Pauw

University; Rev. Miller, of the Northwest Kansas Conference; Mrs. Carrie Barge, of the Woman's Home Missionary Sciety; H. R. Osborne, V. C. Thomas, A. M. Livingston, A. M. Dixon, W. B. Van Valkenburg, transferred to this Conference; also Rev. L. Woolrich, city pastor.

Bethany Hospital—Miss Ethelyn Hewitt, of Bethany Hospital, was presented, and addressed the Conference as to the Hospital work.

St. Louis District—The character of C. R. Carlos, Presiding Elder of St. Louis District, passed and he presented a written report of his district.

The characters of the following effective Elders passed and reports were given: R. T. Smith, F. W. Simpson, M. L. Curl, Chas. McCoard, L. H. Dorchester, F. W. Luce, H. L. Harvey, G. W. Shepherd, W. B. Van Valkenburg, N. Luccock and W. T. Pare.

Sedalia District—The character of E. J. Hunt, Presiding Elder of Sedalia District, passed and he reported his district.

The characters of the following effective Elders passed and reports were given: Perry E. Pierce, W. F. Baker, J. H. Hurley, H. A. Dougherty, Laban Anderson, S. S. Martin, T. E. Prall, H. A. Babbitt, S. W. McClure, Clarke Baker and W. C. Coleman.

Dr. J. T. McFarland, representing the Sunday School Union and Tract Society, addressed the Conference.

Transfers—The following transfers into the Conference were announced: H. R. Osborne, from the Gulf Gal 3..St. Louis Conference..Horn & C tom Conference; V. C. Thomas, from the N. W. Iowa; A. M. Livingston, from the S. W. Kansas; Thomas H. Corkhill, from the Austin; also the following transfers out of the Conference: W. A. Quayle, to the Rock River; G. A. Glens, to the Austin; A. C. Boyd, to Des Moines; A. C. Spencer, to the North, Minn., and W. H. Yount, to S. Illinois Conference.

Reference—The candidates for admission, to the class of the second year, all cases of those coming from other

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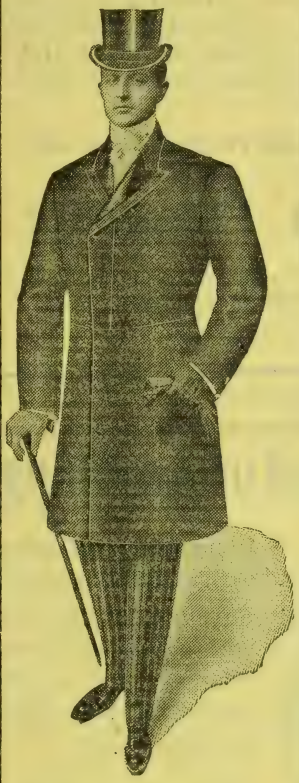

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churches, and all Supernumerary preachers were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Seat of Next Conference—The fixing of the seat of the next Conference was made the order of the day for Friday at the close of the reading of the journal.

Addresses—Dr. E. H. Hughes addressed the Conference respecting DePauw University.

Dr. H. L. Steves, President of Carleton College, addressed the Conference in behalf of his school.

Prof. L. G. Reser represented Marionville Col. Institute, of which he is the president.

Excused—C. T. Harrison was excused from further attendance at the Conference, because of the revival meeting in his charge.

The announcements were made and the session closed with the benediction by Dr. McFarland.

THIRD DAY.

Friday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m., Bishop McDowell presiding.

The Bishop conducted the devotional services.

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session were read, corrected and approved.

The report on Education was made the order of the day for Saturday at the close of the reading of the journal.

Order of the Day—The order of the day, the choice of the seat of the next session of the Conference was taken up.

Frank Neff nominated Clinton; S. S. Martin nominated First Church, Sedalia; W. F. Jones nominated First Church, Joplin; J. W. Stewart nominated Howard Memorial Church, Kansas City.

These places were duly and fully represented. Before the vote was taken, Howard Memorial was withdrawn. The First Church, Joplin, was chosen, and the selection was made unanimous.

Springfield District—The Thirteenth Question was resumed.

The character of C. V. Criss, Presiding Elder of Springfield District, passed and he reported the district.

Testimonial—In view of the close of Bro. Criss's term as presiding elder, H. A. Jones, in behalf of the preachers of Springfield District, presented to him a beautiful gold watch as a testimonial of their high regard for him, and his service, to which he feelingly responded.

The characters of the following effective elders passed, viz. F. C. Johnston, Jas. Lokey, G. J. Hunt, W. T. Pyles, D. T. Simmons, J. W. Needham, W. D. Sidman, J. J. Janssen, W. V. Hamel, H. A. Jones, and they reported their collections.

The characters of J. H. Gillespie, J. S. Meracle, W. F. Martin, L. G. Reser and T. H. Hagerty, passed.

Transfers—J. S. Meracle was announced as transferred to the N. W. Ind. Conference, and W. F. Martin to the Cincinnati, and A. B. Campbell to the S. Ill. Conference.

Book Accounts—H. G. Mais, L. M. Thompson and J. E. Hall were appointed a committee on Book Concern Accounts.

Change of Relation—C. V. Criss asked for C. D. Fry the Superannuated relation, and that he be placed on the Claimant's list.

E. P. Anderson presented the same request for W. M. Creamer.

C. R. Carlos requested the Superannuated relation for A. H. Miller.

All these cases were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Credentials—Geo. H. Worthington, a Local Deacon, having withdrawn from the church, his credentials were returned to the Conference.

Introductions—Revs. Hiccock, pastor of this city; Lindsay, of the Anti-Saloon League; Robbins and Burris, of the Mo. Conference; Smith, of the Upper Iowa Conference; Mrs. I. C. Hodson, of the Woman's F. M. Society;

Miss Elliott, of Fiske Training School, Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. I. M. Venard, of Epworth Deaconess Institute, St. Louis, were introduced.

Mrs. Venard and Miss Elliott addressed the Conference.

W. F. Lindsay addressed the Conference concerning the Anti-Saloon League.

Dr. C. B. Spencer, Editor of the **Central Christian Advocate,** was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Question X. The Tenth Question was taken up, viz.: *Who have completed the Conference Course of Study?*

The characters of John E. Hall, Edward Turrentine, H. A. Mitchell, W. O. Turrentine, L. L. Brannon, Frank Neff, C. L. Halterman, Everett Simpson, A. G. Keast, Ralph Wakefield and W. T. Gatley passed; they reported their collections and were elected to Elder's orders.

J. C. Bell was continued in the studies of the fourth year, and the Bishop was requested to leave him without appointment to attend one of our schools.

H. M. Risley was located at his own request.

Question VII. The Seventh Question was taken up, viz.: *Who have been admitted into Full Membership?*

Carlton T. Cotton, Edwin F. Miller and Wm. L. Requa were favorably reported in studies and their characters passed.

The characters of E. E. Sparks and H. G. Humphrey passed, and they were continued in the class of the second year.

This Bishop was requested to leave H. G. Humphrey without appointment to attend one of our schools.

Transfer—L. L. Thomas was represented by the Committee on Conference Relations; also by W. T. Wright, the Presiding Elder, after which he was transferred to the Colorado Conference.

The Committee on Conference Relations was instructed to convey to the Colorado Conference his credentials, and other papers in the case.

Question XI. The Eleventh Question was taken up, viz.: *What others have been elected and ordained Deacons?*

J. R. Postlethwaite, being duly recommended, was elected to Deacon's orders as a local preacher.

Class of Second Year—The class for Full Membership was called forward and addressed by the Bishop.

Carlton T. Cotton, Edwin F. Miller, Wm. L. Requa were admitted to full membership, and elected to Deacon's orders. Ralph Wakefield, already a Deacon, was admitted into full membership, and all were advanced to the class of the third year.

The session closed with prayer, and the benediction by the Bishop.

FOURTH DAY.

Saturday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., Bishop McDowell in the chair. He also conducted the devotional services.

The journal of the previous session was read and approved.

Excused—F. W. Luce and W. T. Ferguson were excused from further attendance after the present session.

Everett Simpson was appointed to canvass for the **Methodist Review.**

Reports—The order of the day, the Report on Education, was taken up, and Matt S. Hughes presented the report.

After the rejection of several substitutes and amendments, the report was adopted. (See Reports).

A Partial Report from the Board of Stewards, Report of the Treasurer of the Permanent Fund, and the Report on "Federation," were presented and adopted.

Invitation—J. J. Martin presented an invitation to the Conference from the Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane, at Farmington, to visit in a body the Institution at such a time as the Conference may find convenient.

The Conference extended their thanks to the Superintendent for this courteous invitation.

Introduction—Dr. Trimble, Field Secretary of the Missionary Society, and Rev. J. A. R. Vaughan, Presiding Elder of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, were introduced to the Conference.

Dr. W. P. Thirkield, of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Education Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Question V. The Fifth Question was taken up, viz.: *Who are continued on Trial?*

The characters of the following, passed, viz: Walter E. Brown, J. C. Kirk, E. T. Rice, G. B. Thomas, F. O. Moore, Wm. Frank Baker, D. E. Standard, Clinton Senneff, C. T. Harrison, M. D. Cox, and they were continued on trial and all advanced. G. C. Bechtel was continued on trial in the studies of the third year. A. J. May was continued on trial in the studies of the first year. R. N. Jones was discontinued.

Question XXII. The Twenty-Second Question was taken up, viz.: *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

The characters of the following passed, and their relation was continued, viz: H. Smith, L. E. Gower, I. M. Galbraith, A. M. Lehr, A. D. Burress, J. H. Porter, E. A. Squier, J. F. Corrington, John Ashley.

M. E. Coen, J. S. Bitler, E. P. Leckliter, were made effective.

M. E. Coen was transferred to the Idaho Conference, and the Bishop was requested to appoint J. S. Bitler Conference Evangelist.

A. H. Miller was granted the Superannuated relation.

Question IX. The Ninth Question was taken up, viz.: *What Members are in Studies of the Fourth Year?*

After due representation, the characters of the following passed, viz: Harry C. Leonard, E. H. Sapp, C. A. Mitchell, A. M. Dixon, who were advanced to the studies of the fourth year. C. F. Tippin, A. M. Crippin, J. H. Por-

ter, D. K. Burnham, L. G. Adams, A. D. Burress, who were continued in studies of the third year.

G. E. Tuttle was transferred to the Southwest Kansas Conference.

The Statistical Report was presented and adopted.

Question XXIII. The Twenty-Third Question was taken up, viz.: *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

J. B. Van Petten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Jos. Harris, J. S. Harris, Jno. Welch, T. S. Benefiel, M. B. Wood, L. W. Munsell, Alanson Barber, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgway, N. H. Buck, Wm. Stephens, J. B. Brewington, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, passed in character and were continued in the Superannuated relation. C. D. Fry and W. M. Creamer were granted the Superannuated relation, and placed on the Claimant's list.

Philmer A. Sample was discontinued at his own request.

Question XXI. The Twenty-First Question was taken up, viz.: *What other personal notation should be made?*

Orders Recognized—L. R. Fitch's orders as Deacon from the Congregational Church; John C. Jones's orders as Deacon from the Christian Union Church; W. S. Winkler's orders as Deacon from the Cumberland Presbyterian Church; Seth G. McKee's orders as a Deacon from the Missionary Baptist Church; Ira F. Walker's orders as Deacon from the Methodist Episcopal Church South; Jared M. Crisel's orders as Deacon from the General Baptist Church; Andrew F. Slinkhard's orders as Deacon from the Congregational Methodist Church; John L. Beard's orders as Elder from the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and James L. Tay's orders as Elder from the Free Methodist Church were recognized without admission to the Conference.

Marion A. Kerr was admitted on trial as a Deacon on his credentials from the Baptist Church.

The announcements were made and the session closed with Doxology and Benediction by the Bishop.

FIFTH DAY.

Sunday, 9:30 a. m.

Love Feast—The Love Feast began at the Methodist Episcopal Church at 9:30 a. m., J. J. Martin presiding. After the opening services ninety-seven persons testified for Christ, and the entire audience gave testimony **en masse** of a desire to be washed in the Blood of the Lamb.

Sermon—At 10:30 Bishop McDowell preached from John 20:30, 31. His theme was "Redemption the Heart of the Bible." An audience that taxed the capacity of the church listened eagerly and tearfully while the Bishop brought a message from God. It was a masterly discourse and will long be remembered.

Ordination Service—At 2:30 the Conference met for Ordinations, etc.

First. Four persons were ordained as Deacons, and eleven as Elders, according to the Ritual of the Church.

Second: One young woman, Miss H. Rebecca Bell, was duly consecrated by the Bishop as a Deaconess in the Church.

Memorial Service—The Memorial Service followed, F. S. Beggs presiding.

William T. Pyles read the Memoir of Mrs. Sarah J. Baird, and A. D. Ball of Mrs. Mary T. Munsell. Tributes of respect to Mrs. Baird were given by M. L. Curl, and to Mrs. Munsell by D. W. Crow.

The Memoir of Benjamin F. January was read by J. B. Brewington and words of tender regard were added by H. B. Foster, his Presiding Elder.

The Memoir of Stanford Ing was read by William Stephens, and T. H. Hagerty, O. M. Stewart, G. W. Hughey, also spoke words of appreciation concerning his life and work.

Anniversary—At 7:30 the Missionary Anniversary was held, with an address by Dr. F. H. Sheets of Chicago.

SIXTH DAY.

Monday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference convened at 8:30 a. m. Dr. Matt S. Hughes conducted the devotional services.

At 9 o'clock the Bishop took the chair.

The Journal of the previous session was read and approved.

A. M. Livingston was continued in the studies of the third year.

Resolutions—The following were presented and adopted:

Whereas, In the Providence of God and the economy of the Church, our beloved friend, brother and co-worker, Dr. W. A. Quayle, has been removed to another field, and whereas, his life has been honorable, his character above reproach, and his ministry in Grand Avenue Church of unusual merit and attractiveness; therefore, be it

Resolved, First, that we express to him our high appreciation of his worth as a brother and a minister in the Church of Christ, and our confidence in him as a fellow-laborer in the cause of righteousness.

Second—That we will remember him in our prayers, and follow him with deep interest in his great work for the Master.

He will always find among us a hearty welcome when in any interest he may return to us.

Whereas, Under the direction of the Church of God, Rev. G. A. Glens, a brother among us, and fellow-worker with us, for nineteen years, has been removed to another field; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we express to him our appreciation of his character and faithfulness in the service of the Master, that we will remember him in our prayers, and that we commend him to the new associates and associations where he has gone.

W. T. WRIGHT,
HARVEY A. JONES.

Rev. L. R. Jenkins, pastor of the M. E. Church South, of Farmington, was introduced.

The subscription for the publication of the Conference Minutes was then taken.

Question IV. The Fourth Question was taken up, viz: *Who Have Been Received on Trial?*

The following being duly represented as to character and studies were admitted on trial and placed in the studies of the first year: John H. Boner, Alfred M. Stickney,

Ralph Martin, Thomas P. Woodson, William W. Hendrickson, Newton H. Hudson and Clinton A. Harris.

William L. Gray was received on trial, placed in the studies of the third year and was elected to Deacons' orders as a local preacher.

Transfer—Andrew L. Pritchett was transferred from the Oklahoma Conference and was placed in the studies of the first year.

Oscar V. Suter was admitted into full membership on credentials from the United Brethren Church as a Deacon and placed in the studies of the third year.

Transfer—Upon the request of the Conference George P. Miller, a supernumerary member of the Northwest Kansas Conference, was transferred to this Conference.

The transfer of J. W. Borah from the Southern Illinois Conference was announced.

The Bishop was requested to appoint S. A. French as a Conference Evangelist.

L. R. Nichols was continued on trial in the studies of the third year.

The Bishop announced to preach the missionary sermon, S. S. Martin, alternate L. H. Dorchester.

Also the Conference Board of Examiners. (See list.)

Reports—The following reports were presented and adopted: Treasurer, Trustees of Permanent Fund, Memoirs, Education, Stewards, Deaconess Board, Woman's Work, Auditing, Young People's Work, Benevolences, Reforms, Publishing Interests.

Missionary Society—A paper looking to the reorganization of the Conference Missionary Society was presented by H. B. Foster. Pending its adoption Dr. Trimble was introduced and addressed the conference on the subject.

The paper was then adopted. See Reports.

The following resolutions were adopted, viz:

Resolved, That as a Conference and as individuals we express our delight with the appearance of the City of Farmington, and our visit has afforded us very great pleasure, and we return our thanks to the citizens for their generous and hospitable entertainment.

Resolved, That personally and as a conference we hereby convey

to the Pastor, Rev. W. R. McCormack, our appreciation of his skillful and well considered management for our entertainment.

Resolved, That we hereby present our thanks to our sister churches of this city for the use of their edifices during our session and for their generous and liberal financial aid in the erection of our beautiful church.

Resolved, That we have been delighted with the presence and counsel of Miss Eliza A. Carleton in the Conference, and pledge ourselves to renewed devotion to Carleton College, which she has founded.

Resolved, That we return our thanks to Dr. Samuel Warner, Chairman of the Board of Examiners, for his very efficient work in securing eminent lecturers, whose services have given us great satisfaction.

Resolved, That we again take pleasure in thanking the Secretaries and Treasurer for their painstaking and correct business methods in the work of their offices.

Resolved, That our visit to the State Hospital No. 4 has given us much information and pleasure in noting the provision made for the unfortunate inmates and we return our thanks to the citizens for furnishing transportation thereto.

Resolved, That we appreciate the courtesies of the various railroad companies in giving us reduced rates.

Resolved, That we are under many obligations to the editors of the various papers of the city and especially to the Denman Bros. for their full and accurate report of the proceedings, lectures, addresses, etc., in *The Daily Conference News.*

Whereas, A number of our brethren have been transferred this year to other Conferences;

Resolved, That we bespeak for them brotherly reception and large usefulness in their new fields of labor.

Resolved, That we commend with unfeigned pleasure the urbane, brotherly and Christian administration of Bishop McDowell, and any future visits to our Conference shall be cordially welcomed.

W. C. Coleman,
Chairman.
F. S. Beggs,
Secretary.

The Triers of Appeals were elected.

The Boards of Church Extension, Deaconess, Church Location and Conference Societies were appointed. (See Miscellaneous Appointments.)

Elmer Lacy, General Secretary Missouri State Sunday School Association, was introduced.

A collection was taken for the janitor amounting to $11.68.

The Conference concurred in the election of G. J. Hunt as trustee of Marionville Collegiate Institute by the Board of Trustees of that institution.

Ordination—W. L. Gray was ordained as a local preacher, according to the ritual.

Report on Domestic Mission adopted. (See Reports.)

Certificates of Ordination—This certifies that at Farmington, Mo., on March 26, 1905, I did ordain as Deacons Carlton T. Cotton, Edwin F. Miller, William L. Requa and J. Roy Postlethwaite; also William L. Gray on the 27th; and that at the same place and on the same date, assisted by a number of Elders present, I did ordain as Elders Ralph Wakefield, John E. Hall, Edward Turrentine, Harry A. Mitchell, William O. Turrentine, Landor L. Brannon, Frank Neff, William T. Gatley, Charles L. Halterman, Everett Simpson and Alfred G. Keast.

Given under my hand, this 27th day of March, 1905.

WILLIAM F. MCDOWELL, Bishop.

This certifies that at Farmington, Mo., on the 26th day of March, 1905, I did consecrate H. Rebecca Bell as a Deaconess.

WILLIAM F. MCDOWELL, Bishop.

Condolence—The Secretary was instructed to convey to Rev. Dr. E. H. Hughes the condolences of the Conference, and to assure him of our sincerest sympathy and prayers for him in his recent bereavement and afflictions.

The Minutes of the morning session were then read and approved.

The Bishop very tenderly and thoughtfully addressed the Conference.

The Appointments were then read. And this most harmonious and helpful Annual Session adjourned sine die, with prayer and the benediction by the Bishop.

William F. McDowell

PRESIDENT.

William Stephens

SECRETARY.

The Appointments.

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Carthage Ct...W. E. Brown 2
Chitwood.....**E. T. Everett** 1
Diamond....**F. M. Richmond** 1
Golden City..Edwin T. Rice 3
Hume and Foster.J. C. Kirk 3
Iantha.....**W. C. Heiskell** 1
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Joplin:
Byers Ave..David W. Crow 2
Central Av.. Geo. M. Foster 1
First Church.Wm. F. Jones 2
Mission.....**Ray True** 1
Lamar.....Scott F. Stevens 2
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Nevada.....Geo. H. Cosper 2
Oronogo and Alba.....
.....Cyrus T. Harrison 3
Rich Hill.Rufus B. Templeton 1
Sarcoxie....Wm. J. Simmons 1
Seneca.....Edwin E. Sparks 1
Sheldon.....John H. Boner 2
Webb City.....John E. Hall 3
30 Charges.

Silas A. French, Conference Evangelist, Neosho Quarterly Conference.

Jas C. Bell and De Kalb Burnham, without appointments to attend school.

Farmington District.

ALBERT D. BALL, P. E., 6. De Soto, Mo.

Advance ....**E. H. Enyeart** 1
Bismarck.... **Carl Stevenson** 1
Bloomfield....**S. Z. Winkler** 1
Bonne Terre.....**J. C. Jones** 1
Carter Co. Ct....**J. M. Crisel** 1
Cross Roads..To be supplied
Dexter Ct.....**M. S. Bumpus** 2
De Soto...Harry C. Leonard 1
De Soto Ct.....**R. H. Shute** 1
Doe Run..Edw'd D. C. Koeth 3
Farmington.....
.....Wm. R. McCormack 4
Fairview.....**Wm. Johns** 1
Flat River...To be supplied
Fruitland....Artie M. Dixon 2
Graniteville...**E. H. Maynard** 1
Ironton....**Thos. G. Peterson** 1
Koshkonong....**J. M. Willard** 1
Lutesville.Alfred M. Stickney 3
Mount'n View...**C. W. Sample** 1
Palmer.....**Dall P. Cole** 4
Perryville.....**W. S. Winkler**..1
Poplar Bluff.Geo. B. Thomas 2
Puxico.....**Ira F. Walker** 1
West Plains...Harry White 5
West Plains Ct..**S. G. McKee** 1
Willow Spgs..Andrew J. May 2
Winona and Birch Tree.....
.....**David L. Walker** 1
27 Charges.

Henry L. Steves, President of Carleton College, Farmington Quarterly Conference.

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Garden City..To be supplied
Harrisonville..To be supplied
Holden.....Thos. H. Corkill 1
Independence..Jno. J. Martin 3
Kansas City:
Arlington.Sam'l. J. Heaton 7
Bennington Heights.....
.....Samuel Warner 5
Grace...John E. Thackrey 5
Grand Ave..To be supplied
Howard Memorial .....
.....John W. Stewart 3
Independence Avenue.....
.....Matt. S. Hughes 7
Linwood Boulevard.....
.....Wm. T. Wright 1
Oakley...Geo. H. Bradford 5
Oakhurst..John W. Coontz 2
Phoenix Park and Mt. Washington..J. F. Odom 1
Summit St.....
.....Oliver M. Stewart 3
Kingsville....To be supplied
Lee's Summit..Wm. K. Collins 3
Oak Grove..Basil E. Niblack 1
Pleasant Hill.....Leon M. Thompson 2

26 Charges.

Isaac J. K. Lunbeck, Corresponding Secretary of Evangelization and Church Extension Society, Kansas City, Mo.

Harry G. Humphrey and Edwin F. Miller without appointment to attend one of our schools.

Lebanon District.

HENRY B. FOSTER, P. E., 6. Lebanon, Mo.

Ava.....L. R. Fitch..1.
Buffalo.....Frank P. Reno 2
Buffalo Ct....To be supplied
California.....Geo. P. Miller 1
Conway.....Thos. J. Gideon 1
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.....Wm. W. Hendrickson 1
Hartville.....G. G. Maple 1
Houston and Cabool.....
.....R. A. Sawyer 1
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Lebanon.....Henry G. Mais 3
Licking..Newton H. Hudson 2
Linn Creek.....R. J. Meyers 1
Macomb.....Chas. D. Fry 1
Mount'n Grove...B. D. Jones 2
Newburg and Dixon.....
.....Geo. C. Bechtel 1
Orla.....Wm. McClanahan 7
Phillipsburg...F. D. Stickney 2
Richland....Thos. P. Shaffer 4
Richland Ct..To be supplied
Rolla.....Francis S. Beggs 6
Seymour.....J. W. Slusher 1
Success.....Wm. Baker 1
Tuscumbia...F. M. Stickney 8
Upshaw Ct....To be supplied
Urbana.....To be supplied
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27 Charges.

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Pacific....Milton H. Wright 2
St. Louis:
Bowman.....
...Frederick W. Simpson 3
Calvary.....A. L. Prichett 1
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.....Wm. Leatherman 1
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.....Martin L. Curl 4
Goode Ave..Chas. McCord 3
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Lindell Av.....
..Liverus H. Dorchester 3
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Neidringhaus .....
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Trinity...Geo. W. Shepherd 1
Tuxedo and Shrewsbury..
.....Wm. L. Gray 1
Union....Naphtali Luccock 9
Wagoner Memorial.....
.....Ralph Wakefield 4
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Sligo.....Wm. T. Pare 2
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22 Charges.

Thos. H. Hagerty, Chaplain St. Louis Missions, Union Quarterly Conference.

Sedalia District.

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.....Perry E. Pierce 2
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Deepwater..Laban Anderson 1
Dresden.Edward Turrentine 2
Eldorado Springs .....
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.....Geo. T. Beard 1
Malta Bend.....
.....Henry A. Dougherty 3
Montrose.....C. E. Wharton 1
Marshall...Harry B. Osborne 1
Pilot Grove...O. T. Usleman 3
Rockville.....Clinton Senneff 1
Schell City....Thos. E. Prall 2
Sedalia:
Epworth .....
...Sylvester W. McClure 3
First Church .....
.....Sebern S. Martin 4
Smithton.....Clarke Baker 2
Tipton...Adelbert M. Crippin 2
Warrensburg.....
.....Wm. C. Coleman 5
Windsor.....Ralph Martin 1
24 Charges.

John H. Gillespie, Missionary to Wyoming, 16th year.
James S. Bitler, Conference Evangelist, First Church, Sedalia, Quarterly Conference.

Springfield, District.

WILLIAM V. HAMEL, P. E., 1. Springfield, Mo.

Ash Grove	**C. J. Gilbraith**	1
Aurora	**R. W. Moore**	1
Billings	Marvin D. Cox	1
Boaz	James Lokey	5
Bolivar	Geo. J. Hunt	3
Bolivar Ct.	To be supplied	
Cassville	**Justin Wilton**	1
Dadeville	John H. Hurley	1
Fairplay	**David Keeton**	2
Galena	**Geo. W. Hughey**	1
Greenfield	A. M. Livingstone	1
Humansville	**Walter Ross**	1
Lockwood	Alfred G. Keast	3
Marionville	Wm. T. Pyles	3
Marionville Ct.	**A. M. Hall**	2
Marshfield	Chas. F. Tippin	1
Osceola	Wm. D. Sidman	2
Monett	John W. Needham	2
Mt. Vernon	Thos. P. Woodson	1
Peirce City and Purdy	Wm. O. Turrentine	1
Republic	John J. Janssen	3
Springfield:		
Benton Ave.	Curtis V. Criss	1
Circuit	To be supplied	
Daily	Francis P. Leckliter	1
Grace Church	Harvey A. Jones	7
Mt. Carmel	Carlton T. Cotton	1
Stockton	To be supplied	
Taneyvile	To be supplied	
Wheatland	**Geo. W. Britton**	2

29 Charges.

Lewis G. Reser, President of Marionville Collegiate Institute, Marionville Quarterly Conference, and Chas. A. Mitchell, Financial Agent of Turrentine Hall, same Quarterly Conference.

Total number of charges in the Conference, 185.

Disciplinary Questions.

1. *Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*
   Harry R. Osborne, from the Gulf Conference; Valentine C. Thomas, Northwest Iowa; Alva M. Livingstone, (3d year), Southwest Kansas; Thomas H. Corkill, Austin; Marion A. Kerr from the Baptist church; Oscar V. Suter Rufus B. Templeton, St. John's River; George P. Miller, Northwest Kansas; Andrew L. Prichett (1st year), Oklahoma; John W. Borah, Southern Illinois.
2. *Who have been Readmitted?*
   None.
3. *Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?*
   Marion A. Kerr from the Baptist church; Oscar V. Suter from the United Brethren church; Clinton A. Harris from the M. E. Church, South.
4. *Who have been Received on Trial?*
   (a) In studies of first year.
   Marion A. Kerr, Andrew L. Pritchett, Clinton A. Harris, John H. Boner, Alfred M. Stickney, Ralph Martin, Thos. P. Woodson, Wm. Hendrickson, Newton H. Hudson.
   (b) In studies of third year.
   William L. Gray.
5. *Who have been Continued on Trial?*
   (a) In studies of the first year.
   Andrew J. May.
   (b) In studies of second year.
   Walter E. Brown, J. C. Kirk, Edwin, T. Rice, George B. Thomas, Floyd O. Moore, William Frank Baker, D. E. Standard, Clinton Senneff, Cyrus T. Harrison, Marvin D. Cox, Harry G. Humphrey, Edwin E. Sparks.
   (c) In studies of third year.
   George C. Bechtel, L. R. Nichols.
6. *Who have been Discontinued?*
   Rudolph N. Jones, Philmer A. Sample.
7. *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*
   (a) Elected and ordained Deacons this year.
   Carlton T. Cotton, Edwin F. Miller, Wm. L. Requa.
   (b) Elected and ordained Deacons previously.
   Ralph Wakefield, Oscar V. Suter.
8. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?*
   (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
   Carlton T. Cotton, Edwin F. Miller, William L. Requa, Oscar V. Suter, *Ralph Wakefield.
   *See Tenth Question.

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(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
Charles F. Tippin, Adelbert M. Croppin, John H. Porter, De Kalb Burnham, Lewis G. Adams, Allen D. Burress,

9. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?*
Harry C. Leonard, Electious H. Sapp, Charles A. Mitchell, Artie M. Dixon, J. C. Bell, A. M. Lehr.

10. *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*
(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
Ralph Wakefield, John E. Hall, Edward Turrentine, Henry A. Mitchell, William O. Turrentine, Landor L. Brannon, Frank Neff, William T. Gatley, Charles L. Halterman, Everett Simpson, Alfred G. Keast.
(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.

11. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*
(a) As Local Preachers.
J. Roy Postlethwaite, Wm. L. Gray.
(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.

12. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?*
(a) As Local Deacons.
None.
(b) Missionary Rule.
None.

13. *Was the Character of each Preacher examined?*
This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

14. *Who have been transferred, and to what Conferences?*
William A. Quayle to Rock River; Geo. A. Glens to Austin; Alex. C. Boyd to Des Moines; Azara C. Spencer to Northern Minnesota; William H. Yount and Arthur B. Campbell to Southern Illinois; George E. Tuttle (third year) to Southwest Kansas; William F. Martin to Cincinnati; John S. Meracle to Northwest Indiana; Lewis L. Thomas to Colorado; Marcus E. Coen to Idaho; J. H. Frazier to Newark; J. F. Deal to Texas; Charles C. James to St. Johns River Conference.

15. *Who have Died?*
Stanford Ing, Benjamin F. January.

16. *Who have been Located at their own Request?*
John L. Nations, Harry M. Risley.

17. *Who have been Located?*
None.

18. *Who have Withdrawn?*
John N. Moore.

19. *Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*
None.

20. *Who have been Expelled?*
None.

21. *What other personal Notation should be made?*
The credentials of G. W. Worthington as local deacon were surrendered, he having withdrawn from the church. L. R. Fitch, Deacon, from the Congregational Church; John C. Jones, Deacon, Christian Union; W. S. Winkler, Deacon, Cumberland Presbyterian; Seth G. McKee, Deacon, Missionary Baptist; Ira F. Walker, Deacon, M. E. Church South; Jared M. Crisel, Deacon, General Baptist; Andrew F. Slinkhard, Deacon, Congregational; John L. Beard, Elder, M. E. Church South; Jas. L. Tays, Elder, Free Methodist; Marion A. Kerr, Deacon, Baptist Church; whose orders were recognized.

22. *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*
Hervey Smith, four years; L. E. Gower, four years; I. M. Galbraith, four years; A. M. Lehr, four years; A. D. Burress, three years; J. H. Porter, three years; E. A. Squier, two years; J. F. Corrington, two years; John Ashley, two years.

23. *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*
J. B. Van Petten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Joseph Harris, J. S. Harris, John Welch, T. S. Benefiel, M. B. Wood, L. W. Munsell, Alanson Barber, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgway, N. H. Buck, William Stephens, J. B. Brewington, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, William M. Creamer, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce.

24. *Who are the Triers of Appeals?*
F. S. Beggs, W. J. Simmons, S. J. Heaton, Harry White, Fred W. Simpson, H. A. Babbitt, J. W. Needham.

25. *What is the Statistical Report for this year?*
See statistical tables.

26. *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?*
$29,940.00.

27. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*
$9,675.00.

28. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?*
$4,221.00. See Conference Claimants' Directory.

29. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?*
See Appointments.

30. *Where shall the Next Conference be held?*
First Church, Joplin, Mo.

Examiners and Their Work for 1905-6.

President—Samuel Warner.

Registrar and Treasurer—William Stephens.

O. M. Stewart, W. K. Collins, Naphtali Luccock, M. L. Curl, L. M. Thompson, R. T. Smith, B. D. Jones, M. S. Hughes, G. J. Hunt, D. W. Crow, T. W. Jeffrey, J. J. Martin, F. S. Beggs, J. W. Stewart, H. A. Jones, S. J. Heaton, W. R. McCormack, H. G. Mais.

SUBJECT FOR ESSAYS—"The Distinguishing Characteristics of the Gospel According to Luke."

TEXTS FOR SERMONS—Admission, Acts 10:34; First year, Lk. 10:27; Third year, Acts 2:39.

G. J. HUNT—Analogy of Religion.

H. A. JONES—Harman's Introduction, First and Second years.

F. S. BEGGS—Manual of Bible History; Manual of Christian Doctrine.

T. W. JEFFREY—Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief.

L. M. THOMPSON—History of Christian Church, Third and Fourth years.

J. W. STEWART—Systematic Theology, Vol. I.

W. K. COLLINS—Christian Perfection; Land of Israel.

D. W. CROW—English Branches.

M. S. HUGHES—Christian Ethics; Essays.

M. L. CURL—Lectures on Homiletics; Sermons.

S. J. HEATON—Systematic Theology, Vol. II.

W. R. McCORMACK—Logic.

R. T. SMITH—Outlines of Universal History.

B. D. JONES—Students American History.

H. G. MAIS—Hermeneutics.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK—Outlines of Descriptive Psychology.

J. J. MARTIN—Short History of the English People.

O. M. STEWART—Discipline; John Wesley the Methodist.

SAMUEL WARNER—To have general supervision.

WILLIAM STEPHENS—To enter all grades and receive all fees.

To examine for Local Elder's Orders, S. J. Heaton.

To examine for Local Deacon's Orders, D. W. Crow.

N. B.—At the earliest possible moment let each Examiner send to the Chairman the needed number of sets of questions for the books assigned him.

Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months. Let claims for College credits be presented at once to the Chairman.

No Syllabi will be required this quadrennium.

SAMUEL WARNER, Chairman.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDER-GRADUATES. 1905-08.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the Studies of the four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference, for Undergraduates:

MONTHS	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May JUNE	1. Harman's Introduction. O. T. pp. 1-447. TO BE READ; 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol 1.—Sermons 1-33. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Harman's Introduction. N. T. pp. 448-770. TO BE READ, 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. II.—Sermon 34-58. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Biblical Hermeneutics. 2. Land of Israel. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. II. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief. 2. Outlines of Un. History, Part III. TO BE READ; 1. History of the Ritual M. E. Church. 2. The Pentateuch.—Bissell. 3. Methodist Review.
July August SEPT.	1. Lectures on Homiletics. TO BE READ; 1. Compendious History of American Methodism. 2. The Heart of Asbury's Journal. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Lessons in Logic. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. 1. 2. The General Conference and Episcopacy. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Outlines of Universal History, Parts I and II. TO BE READ; 1. History of Western Europe. 2. The Supernatural Book. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. II. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. III. 2. Governing Conference in Methodism. 3. Methodist Review.
Oct Nov. DEC.	1. Systematic Theology.—Miley, Vol.1. TO BE READ; 1. Digest of Methodist Law. 2. Extemporaneous Oratory. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Systematic Theology, Vol. II. TO BE READ; 1. English and American Literature. 2. Eccl. Architecture. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. 1. TO BE READ; 1. Christian Archaelogy. 2. Political Economy. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Butler's Analogy. TO BE READ; 1. Sociology. 2. Life and Epistles of Paul. 3. Methodist Review.
Jan. FEB.	1. Student's American History. 2. Written Sermon. TO BE READ; 1. Methodist Review.	1. Short History of the English People.—Green. 2. Essay. TO BE READ, 1. Methodist Review.	1. Psychology. 2. Written Sermon. TO BE READ; 1. Methodist Review.	1. Christian Ethics, 2. Essay. TO BE READ; 1. Methodist Review.

Rules of Examining Board.

St. Louis Conference, 1905.

I. Examinations and Examiners.

1st. All examinations on the Conference course must be taken in the months of June, September, December and February, as per plan published in the Conference minutes. Page opposite.

2nd. All examinations must be taken before the Board member in charge of the study, or an appointee, of the chairman, who must be a member of a Conference, and such sub-examiner must authenticate the examination and transmit all questions and answers to the said Board Examiner. See Discipline, 1904, Appendix par. 64, sec. 5.

3rd. All papers must emanate from the chairman, but the name of the examiner in each case will be made known to the student. Within 60 days from adjournment of the Conference each examiner will deposit with the Chairman a suitable number of sets of questions on each of the studies he has charge of. The minimum number of questions on one study being ten and the maximum twenty.

4th. No examinations will be granted at the seat of Conference except in cases of the most extreme necessity, and no re-examination shall be granted. A candidate for admission on trial will be granted examination at any time, on the request of his Presiding Elder, but the earliest date is desirable.

5th. Conference Examiners will report to the Registrar at the end of each schedule term as to the grades they have given.

II. Students.

1st. All candidates for examination who are present at the session of the Conference shall sometime during the session be convened before the Board for mutual consultation.

2nd. In no case shall two or more examination papers be bound together, but each must be made separate; on paper of uniform size designated by the Board, viz. "letter" size. All must be neatly written in ink or type-written, on one side only, and being properly dated, paged, fastened together and signed.

3rd. No undergraduate shall be advanced from the class of the first year or of the third year who has failed in any of the requirements of said year, except on the recommendation of two-thirds of the Board present and voting. In case of the continuance of any undergraduates in the same class or year, or their advance, they shall be permanently credited with the grades of the studies in which they passed.

4th. All students must certify in writing that they have "read the books carefully."

5th. Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months.

6th. No grades will be furnished students before reporting thereon in Conference.

III. Credits and Fees.

1st. In view of the expense on the part of the chairman and others, in postage, printing, etc., it is required that a fee of fifty cents be paid in advance to the Treasurer by each student annually while in the course. No papers will be sent without compliance with this rule.

2nd. Credits will be given by the Board through the chairman in harmony with the provisions of the Discipline (1904), Appendix par. 63. Notice must be given the chairman at the opening of the Conference year by those who intend to make claims for credits.

IV. Itinerant Club.

1st. The Board shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three, the chairman and registrar being members ex-officio, who shall have charge of the program of the "Itinerant Club" such program to be published not later than one month before the meeting of the Annual Conference.

Miscellaneous Appointments.

Triers of Appeals.

F. S. Beggs, W. J. Simmons, S. J. Heaton, Harry White, Fred W. Simpson, H. A. Babbitt, J. W. Needham.

District Missionary Secretaries.

Carthage—D. W. Crow.
Farmington—W. R. McCormack.
Kansas City—J. W. Coontz.
Lebanon—H. G. Mais.
St. Louis—Frederick W. Simpson.
Sedalia—P. E. Pierce.
Springfield—J. W. Needham.

Conference Societies.

Missionary Society—This Society shall consist of the Presiding Elder, District Missionary Secretary and District Epworth League President of each District, and three additional members as follows:

Carthage District—Scott F. Stevens, J. R. Postlethwaite, Miss Eulah Freeman.

Farmington District—E. D. C. Koeth, W. T. Robertson, Fred Pease.

Kansas City District—W. N. Grant, L. M. Thompson, J. W. McKee.

Lebanon District—B. D. Jones, Ed. Lingsweiler, J. W. McKeen.
Sedalia District—W. C. Coleman, H. L. Hunter, M. Harter.
Springfield District—G. J. Hunt, F. A. Dunlap, Geo. Dillard.
St. Louis District—L. H. Dorchester, J. E. Pace, Geo. W. Brown.

D. W. Crow, President of the Conference Society.

Educational Society—S. J. Heaton, President; H. A. Jones, Vice-President; Fred. Simpson, Secretary; W. V. Hamel, Wm. F. Jones, M. S. Hughes, Managers.

Conference Historical Society.

Managers—O. M. Stewart, M. L. Curl, H. B. Foster, W. S. Platt, T. H. Hagerty.

Committees of Visitation—(See Report on Education.)

Commission of Aggressive Evangelism.

J. S. Bitler, W. T. Ferguson, W. R. McCormack, T. W. Legg, Presiding Elder of Kansas City District; T. J. Langston, John W. Jenkins, H. G. Mais, J. W. Scott, E. J. Hunt, F. P. Leckliter, E. W. Crone, C. R. Carlos, W. S. McAdoo, Wm. Sharp.

Board of Church Extension.

President—Hanford Crawford.
Vice-President—Naphtali Luccock.
Secretary—M. L. Curl.
Treasurer—E. P. V. Ritter.
Additional Members—Wm. Leatherman, F. L. Magoon, M.D., F. S. Beggs, H. H. Humphrey, Presiding Elders, Members Ex-officio.

Conference Deaconess Board.

President—S. B. Campbell.
Secretary—Samuel Warner.
S. J. Heaton, J. W. Stewart, J. H. Garnsey, Mrs. J. W. Bush, Mrs. Avis Blanchard, M. L. Curl, Mrs. A. T. Mathews.

Officers and Trustees of the Permanent Fund.

President—T. H. Hagerty.
Vice-President—O. M. Stewart.
Secretary—J. E. Thackrey.
Treasurer—I. J. K. Lunbeck.
Trustees to serve three years—O. M. Stewart, J. E. Thackrey, Geo. Kleinschmidt.
Trustees to serve two years—T. H. Hagerty, I. J. K. Lunbeck, Hanford Crawford.
Trustees to serve one year—N. Luccock, W. F. Jones, M. S. Hughes.
Advisory Board—E. P. Anderson, O. M. Stewart, J. E. Thackrey, and the District Secretaries, Viz.: W. F. Jones, W. R. McCormack, H. G. Mais, J. E. Thackrey, P. E. Pierce, W. D. Sidman and M. L. Curl. (See Report.)

Boards of Church Location.

..**Carthage District**—Presiding Elder, T. W. Jeffrey, D. W. Crow, W. H. Waters, Otto J. Gosh, J. S. Walker, W. F. Jones, W. T. Ferguson, C. T. Orr.
Farmington District—Presiding Elder, A. M. Dixon, J. W. Karsch, H. L. Steves, T. J. Langston.
Kansas City District—Presiding Elder, J. W. Stewart, S. Warner, L. A. Pierce, J. D. Clough,
Lebanon District—Presiding Elder, T. P. Shaffer, J. W. Slusher, John T. Cassel, John G. Lingsweiler.
St. Louis District—Presiding Elder, Geo. W. Shepherd, N. Luccock, F. P. Hays, J. C. Lea.
Sedalia District—Presiding Elder, S. S. Martin, Clarke Baker, Jacob Brandt, Geo. Griffin.
Springfield District—Presiding Elder, Ely Paxon, J. H. Dameron, F. P. Leckliter, C. V. Criss.

To Preach the Missionary Sermon.

Sebern S. Martin; Alternate, Liverus H. Dorchester.

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

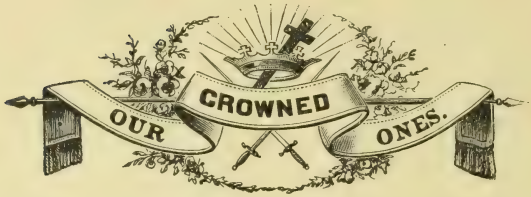
	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons.*	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevolences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21 762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av. K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

	TIME	PLACE	BISHOP	SECRETARY	STATISTICAL SECRETARY	TREASURER	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in Full.	Rec. by Re-ad. Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons	Ordained Elders*	Located	Withdrawn	Transferred	Discontinued	Death	Lay Members†	Benevolences‡
33	1901, March 20	Bolivar.....	Andrews	Wm, Stephens.....	L. E. Gower.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	6	3	11	3	6	3	..	20	2	3	s2,338	18,815
34	1902, March 26	Butler.....	Warren.....	Wm. Stephens..	P. E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	8	8	9	7	4	..	..	17	1	..	32,573	22,189
35	1903, March 25	Marshall	Hamilton.....	Wm. Stephens.....	P. E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	5	8	10	6	2	..	..	10	1	2	30,025	26,025
36	1004, March 23	Carthage.....	Walden.....	Wm. Stephens.	P. E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	12	4	10	3	3	3	1	9	1	..	33,882	27,259
37	1905, March 22	Farmington ..	McDowell, ...	Wm, Stephens	Wm, D. Sidman.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck...	12	5	8	3	11	2	1	14	2	2	34,350	29,940

No Apportionments received up to time of going to press.

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	183[illegible]	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj. F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary..	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland.	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark.	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

L. W. BERRY entered the Ministry 1836.

IN MEMORIAM—CONTINUED.

Robert I. Fleming.....	1886	Aug. 28, '94.....	Seattle, Wash.....	34	Effective.....	8
Benj. F. Poole.....	1875	Nov. 25, '94.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	43	Effective.....	19
Thos. M. Durham.....	1872	July 30, '95.....	Irwin, Mo.....	49	Supernumerary	23
Rolan Moffat.....	1851	Aug. 27, '95....	Washburn, Mo.....	80	Superannuated	44
Erastus A. Porter.....	1872	Oct. 21, '95.. ...	Rich Hill, Mo.....	50	Superannuated	23
Jas. W. Cowden.....	1866	Aug. 23, '96.....	Lebanon, Mo.....	72	Superannuated	39
Wilbur G. Williams....	1876	April 16, '97.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	44	Effective.....	20
William Jones.....	1862	Jan. 1, '98.....	Kansas City, Mo....	64	Effective.....	34
Francis Ballaine.....	1880	Aug. 15, '98.....	Horine, Mo.....	65	Superannuated	18
Jacob Miller.....	1859	April 16, '99.....	Kelleyville, I. N...	73	Superannuated	40
Cyrus Brough.....	1878	May 8, '99.....	St. Louis, Mo.....	52	Superannuated	21
Wm. M. Beatty.....	1887	Sept. 17, '99.....	Marshall, Mo.	51	Effective.	12
Harry M. Hackney.....	1875	Dec. 3, '99.....	Ashland, Neb.....	50	Superannuated	24
Jas. H. Vaughan.....	1859	April 15, '00.....	St. Clair Co., Mo....	80	Superannuated	41
Jas. D. Daniel.....	1867	Aug. 28, '00.....	Sedalia, Mo.....	65	Superannuated	33
Albert Jump.....	1877	Jan. 5, '01.....	Holden, Mo.....	60	Effective.....	24
Clark B. Beaty.....	1876	May 9, '02.....	Buffalo, Mo.....	52	Superannuated	16
Isaac Entwisle.....	1866	July 30, '02.....	Indianapolis, Ind..	78	Superannuated	36
Stanford Ing.....	1858	Nov. 11, 1904....	Thompsonville, Ill.	84	Superannuated	46
Benj. F. January.....	1880	Nov. 15, 1904. ..	Dixon, Mo.....	71	Effective.....	24

Memoirs.

Rev. Stanford Ing.

"Stanford Ing was born near Nashville, Tenn., February 2, 1820. His mother died when he was 6 years old, and in 1829 he was taken by his father to Franklin county, Ill., where he passed his youth and early manhood. His opportunities for an education were very meager, but by improving the moments gleaned from the labors of the day, aided by the flickering torch light, he succeeded to a large extent in gratifying his desire for knowledge. He was often heard to say: 'I would rather be able to read and write than to be king.' He was united in marraige to Miss Mary Summers, June 17, 1839. They had eleven children, three of whom died in infancy, and two in early womanhood. The surviving children are, John Ing, Clara Goss, Sarah A. Blankenship, Martha A. Brady, Hattie E. Rutherford and Flora N. Elliott."

He was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal church in his eighteenth year, ten years later he was licensed to exhort, and two years afterward to preach. He improved his opportunities as a local preacher with efficiency and faithfulness. In the autumn of 1857 he, with his family, removed to Missouri, and in the following spring, 1858, he was admitted to the Missouri and Arkansas Conference. Upon the division of that Conference his lot fell with the St. Louis Conference.

He entered the intinerant ministry at a time, in some respects, the most trying in the history of the Church in Missouri. These were the years of prelude to the storm period of the Civil War, years to try the souls of men, even the most stout-hearted and true. The conditions in Missouri, even as early as May, 1861, when he was on the Rolla circuit, were such as frequently, if not constantly, to endanger his life from mob violence. He said at that time in a public meeting, with many of the rabble present, "I am sorry to see our preachers leaving the state * * * * * for by the grace of God we will hold on to Missouri. Let us preach as long as we can, and then if we must be stopped, let us fight in

the defence of our rights, and fight in the same way we preached; and the God of battles will help us." In taking his own counsel, 1862 finds him a captain in the 8th Missouri cavalry. This year he was located, a merely nominal necessity, for he did not in fact lay down the one to take up the other, but he bore with equal zeal and honor, both the standard of his Church and his country.

In 1863 he was re-admitted to the Conference relation and continued his ministry. In the years from 1858 to 1888, he served twelve different charges with marked acceptability. He was Presiding Elder of Rolla district, 1866-'69. During the latter part of his term he was also Chaplain of the House of the 25th General Assembly of Missouri. Also in these years he was Supernumerary for two years, for rest; then longing for the active work, he gave to it three more years, when he was superannuated two years. Again his restless, impetuous soul pushed him into the effective ranks, and four more years, among the most eventful, were put upon the altar.

Sixteen years ago this veteran man of God appeared before his Conference "scarred and worn, and old and weather beaten," and asked for the superannuated relation. "He had to cease going to the battle."

His brethren were deeply affected. They gathered about him, and embraced him, and shook his withered hand. Well did Dr. Crary from the Golden Gate, say editorially at that time: "He is a hero and almost a martyr * * * a saint as well as a hero. He deserves a palace and a throne, and God will give him these."

With something of a controversial spirit he became a debater of no mean ability, especially on the lines of Baptism, to which he had given large attention. As a preacher he was spiritual, practical and instructive. As a pastor and friend he was pre-eminently social and companionable. His visits were made both a pleasure and a profit. The writter in traversing, in after years, many of his fields of labor, has never heard from our people one reprehensible word against him, but the rather many and multiplied assurances of affection and appreciation.

His character was marked by simplicity, guilelessness and transparency. He was of a meek and quiet spirit. Amidst frequently recurring assaults upon his honor and humanity as a man and Christian soldier; assaults requiring more courage and grace to meet than any of the battle field, yet in all his faith and peace of mind never failed, nor did he yield to retaliation or vindictiveness, but remained firm and serene in defence of his integrity.

In the spring of 1892, he with his invalid wife, who now survives him, returned to the home of their youth in Illinois, to spend the remainder of their days. Here their home, for the last eight years, was shared and brightened by the presence and care of their daughter, Mrs. Rutherford.

The closing two decades of his life were tinged with sadness. he was feeling the growing infirmities of age. "The summit had been reached, the decline was passing, and only the valley with its shadows awaited him. His physical and mental powers gradually failed, until October 8, 1902, when he received a shock which left him broken in body and clouded in mind, and unable to render any dying testimony, but his feet had been placed on the solid rock. On November 11, 1904, he peacefully passed beyond, aged 84 years, 9 months and 9 days."

The funeral services were held at the M. E. Church at Liberty, Ill., in charge of Rev. T. J. Davis, his pastor. His remains were interred in the adjoining cemetery. There let his body rest until the resurrection of the just. He has "fought a good fight, he has finished the course he has kept the faith, henceforth there is laid up for him a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, shall give him at that day, and not to im only, but unto all them also that love his appearing." WILLIAM STEPHENS.

Mrs. Mary T. Munsell.

Mary T. Dean, daughter of Gulliver and Mary C. Dean, and granddaughter of the Hon. Ephraim Cutler, of Marietta, Ohio, who was well known two generations ago in the State of Ohio. She was born near Athens, Ohio, January 8, 1820; was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in her thirteenth year. She was educated in and near Marietta and taught school for about seven years. She was married to Rev. L. W. Munsell, a member of the Ohio Conference, now of the St. Louis Conference, August 22, 1843. She experience the blessing of perfect love in the winter of 1843, and maintained a consistent Christian life, giving ample evidence of deep piety ever afterwards. Brother Munsell with his family moved to Missouri in 1872 and settled in Shannon county, where their home was the home of our preachers since that time. In 1903 she and her husband moved to Carter county, making their home with their eldest daughter, Mrs. Mary Schupp, from which she went to heaven November 22, 1904. Sister Munsell was the mother of eight children, two sons and six daughters. One son, three daughters and her life companion survive her, to cherish the memory of a saintly mother and wife. Her uncomplaining, loving care of family in sickness or health, making her a true helpmate, more than bearing her part in all the cares of life, making her memory as ointment poured forth. She was in comfortable health until two months ago, when she was taken with spasmodic rheumatism, which did not seem severe at first, but resulting in her death. A few days before her death in conversing with her husband, he expressed a desire to go with her, even to the Valley of Death, she said she saw no dark valley or shadow of death. "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want; He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside still waters; He restoreth my soul." From the nature of the disease, her sufferings were very severe, but she bore them with Christian patience, saying: "It is all right, I am in the Lord's hands." Her trust in God was unwavering to the end. It was the writer's happy experience to spend many days at the home of Brother and Sister Munsell, and always found her a delightful Christian woman, shedding the light of a loving heart all around. A loveable character shone wherever she went, giving the strongest evidence of a deep and sincere Christian heart. The Church which she loved so much on earth is poorer by her translation to the skies; but another saint has been numbered with the Church in heaven. "The best of all is, God is with us."—F. S. BEGGS.

Benjamin Franklin January,

Benjamin Franklin January, was born in Greene county, Ohio, August 21, 1833. At an early age he became a Christian, and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church. In 1863, at Hillsboro, Ohio, he enlisted in the Sixtieth Ohio Volunteer Infantry and served his country for more than three years as a soldier. For a number of years he taught school, both in his native state and in Illinois. In 1880 he came to Missouri and joined the St. Louis Conference, and served as a traveling preacher until his death, which occurred November 15, 1904, at Dixon, Mo. During his ministry of twenty-four years, Brother January served eleven charges, being appointed to Harrisonville, Warrensburg, West Plains, De Soto, Aurora, Richland, Buffalo, Dixon and others. As a preacher he was a good student, mastered the subject in hand and preached an instructive discourse. He was perhaps above the average as a speaker. He was fearless and uncompromising in his war against sin; he never failed to do his duty faithfully for fear of making enemies. As a result his ministry was not as peaceful as might be desired. But with every enemy he made a multitude of fast friends. The frankness of his intercourse with others left no doubt of his sincerity and integrity of purpose. We may well say, he was faithful to his trust. He desired to die in the work. He resented the idea of superannuation, but stated at Conference that this would be his last appointment. He preached until the Sabbath day before he died. He was granted his desire in dying while still at the altar. The funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. T. P. Shaffer, of Richland, and John Holy, of Dixon. H. B. FOSTER.

Mrs. Sarah J. Baird.

Mrs. Sarah J. Baird, nee Bracken, wife of Rev. E. H. Baird, a superannuated member of the St. Louis Conference, was born March 15, 1846, in Cambria county, Pennsylvania. She was married to Mr. Baird in her native county, February 25, 1864. A few months after their marriage they came West, and Brother Baird served as Bible agent in the Missouri and Arkansas Conference during the year 1865. During the years 1866-67 they served the Buffalo circuit. In July 1868 they removed to Marionville, Mo. Seven children were born to them, six of whom with their father, survive their devoted mother. When Brother and Sister Baird came to Marionville there was no Methodist organization and only occasional Methodist preaching in the town. Shortly after their arrival the few Methodists who had come to the town and vicinity were gathered together by Brother Baird in his own home and formed into a class. Sister Baird was one of the members of that class, out of which has grown the present Methodist Episcopal Church of Marionville. Her self-sacrifice and earnest efforts are incorporated into all that pertains to Methodism here. While other preachers of the Conference and their wives were making records on the charges, Brother and Sister Baird were no less faithful, toiling and spending hundreds of their hard earned dollars to establish the Marion Collegiate Institute and to build the church and parsonage at this place. Sister Baird was converted at a

camp meeting when but a little girl. She at once joined the Church and has all her life loved its ordinances and been a faithful attendant upon the means of grace. During her whole life she loved to provide for her pastors, and to have them visit her home. She furnished regularly plants and flowers of her own growing for the church. Her place was always filled at the preaching services, the Sunday-school, the class meeting and the prayer meeting. Her constant nearness to the Savior made her an invaluable help in revival meetings. The Woman's Foreign Missionary society, the Board of Stewards and the Ladies' Aid society will miss her presence and counsels. Sister Baird's was a singularly beautiful Christian character. Her death was sudden, caused by heart failure. She passed away May 19, 1904. An impressive funeral service was held in the church, in which the Revs. W. F. Yeager, C. A. Mitchell, L. G. Reser and W. T. Pyles, all members of the St. Louis Conference spoke appropriate words concerning her life work. The body was interred in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Marionville.

W.T.PYLES.

Conference Claimants' Directory.

NAME	ADDRESS	AM'T REC'D.
Baird, E. H.	Marionville, Mo.	$ 70 00
Barber, Alanson	Baxter Springs, Kas.	95 00
Beatty, Mrs. W. M.	905 Harrison Ave., San Diego, Cal.	100 00
Beaty, Mrs. C. B.	309 W. Cherry St., Bluffton, Ind.	70 00
Bell, Mordecai	Golden City, Mo.	135 00
Benefiel, T. S.	Lamar, Mo.	60 00
Buck, N. H.	Seneca, Mo.	50 00
Bewley, Miss C. A.	408 Prospect Ave., Hot Sp'gs, Ark.	100 00
Brewington, J. B.	1631a Texas Ave., St. Louis, Mo.	100 00
Brough, Mrs. Anna B.	7325 Penn Ave., S. Louis, Mo.	150 00
Clifford, Mrs. A. J.	1317 N. 7th St., Kansas City, Kas.	80 00
Cowden, Mrs. H. R.	Bourbon, Mo.	80 00
Daniel, Mrs. Sadie B.	1100 Mass. Ave., Sedalia, Mo.	160 00
Durham, Mrs. M. M.	Lamar, Mo.	110 00
Finley, J. W.	Eldorado Springs, Mo.	80 00
Garner, Mrs. Eliza	1622 W. Walker St., Denison, Tex.	60 00
Hackney, Mrs. Hattie	3212 Charlotte St., Kansas City, Mo.	80 00
Harris, J. S.	Cuba, Mo.	160 00
Harris, Joseph	16 Summit St., W. Somerville, Mass.	60 00
Heinlein, Mrs. J. J.	1660 Sheridan Av. N.W., Wash., D. C.	50 00
Houts, Mrs. M. A.	Centerview, Mo.	60 00
Hughey, G. W.	309 E. Walnut St., Springfield, Mo.	160 00
January, Mrs. M. B.	Dixon, Mo.	110 00
Jump, Mrs. H. A.	304 Wabash Ave., Kansas City, Mo.	135 00
Knease, T. H.	Seymour, Mo.	140 00
Little, Mrs. Corilla	Cartersbury, Ind.	50 00
McKee, Mrs. Rachel	5157 Morgan St., St. Louis, Mo.	60 00
Miller, Mrs. L. E.	Steeleville, Mo.	60 00
Moffatt, Mrs. A. J.	Washburn, Barry County, Mo.	100 00
Mortland, Mrs. R. B.	2147 E. 24th St., Kansas City, Mo.	90 00
Munsell, L. W.	Peggy, Carter County, Mo.	60 00
Oechsli, Frank	Baldwin, Kas.	85 00
Porter, J. S.	Knob Noster, Mo.	165 00
Porter, Mrs. L. A.	Rich Hill, Mo.	50 00
Ridgway, D. C.	66 Pearl St., Springfield, Ohio	65 00
Sallaway, Mrs. M. E.	Smithton, Mo.	130 00
Stephens, William	Belton, Mo.	165 00
Stickney, F. M.	Eldon, Mo.	75 00
Threlfall, Henry	Galena, Mo., R. D. No. 1	130 00
Toland, H. A.	39 W. Burkitt St., Sheridan, Wyo.	75 00
Walker, Mrs. C. B.	Marionville, Mo.	80 00
Welch, John	Eldorado Springs, Mo.	125 00
Wood, M. B.	1815 New Eng'd Av., Los Ang's, Cal.	75 00
Yeager, W. F.	Marionville, Mo.	25 00
Creamer, Wesley M.	Iantha, Mo.	65 00
Fry, C. D.	Ava, Mo.	35 00

Number of claimants, 46.

PASTORAL RECORD.

(INCLUDING 1904).

This Record is intended to include only the appointments during membership in Conference, and not those as supplies.

Adams, L. G.—1899-'00, Moundville; '01-'04, Springfield, Mt. Carmel.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-99, Nevada; '00-'04; P. E. Carthage Dist.

Anderson, Laban—M. E. Ch. So.; St. Lo. Conf. M. E. Ch., 1904, Montrose.

Ashley, Jno.—St. L. Conf. 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler; '88, '89, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '90, '91, Lebanon; '92, '93, Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca; '00-'02, Bloomfield; '03, Pacific; '04, Sup'ry.

Babbitt, H. A.—1888, '89, High Point; '90, '91, Cuba; '92, '93, Butler Ct.; '94-'97, Oak Grove; '98-'00, East Lynne; '01, Rockville; '02-'03, Smith ton; '04, Odessa.

Baird, E. H.—Pitts. Conf., 1859, Senecaville; '60, Edinburg; '61, Butler; '62, Newton; '63, '64, New Lexington; '65, Bible Agt.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '66, '67, Buffalo; '68-'75, Bible Agt.; '76, '77, Republic; '78-'04, Sup'ted.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'95, Austin; '96-'97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton; '02, '03, Rockville; '04, Deepwater.

Baker, C.—Ark. Conf., 1892, West Side Mission, Little Rock; St. L. Conf., 1893, Festus; '94, Fair Play; '95, '96, Billings; '97, Springfield, Daily Chapel; '98-'00, Humansville; '01, Liberal; '02, '03, Schell City; '04, Smithton.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00-'04, P. E. Farmington Dist.

Barber, A.—Upper Iowa Conf., '65, '66, Ackley Ct.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '67, Ozark; '68-'70, Buffalo; '71, '72, Ash Grove; '73-'75, Mt. Vernon; '76, '77, Buffalo; '78, Carthage Ct.; '79, '80, Avilla; '81, Sup'ry; '82-'89, Sup'ted; '90, Seneca; '91-'04, Sup'ted.

Barker, J. A.—Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., 1901, '02, St. Louis, Bowman; '03, Carondelet; '04, Butler.

Beggs, F. S.—1859-'60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63, '64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67, '68, Cape Girardeau; '69, '70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, St. L. Central; '83, K. C., Summit St.; '84, St. L. Carondelet; '85, '86, Sup'ry (with work); '87-'91, P. E. Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93, '94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95, '96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L., Tower Grove; '99, Goode Av.; '00-'04, Rolla.

Bell, M.—1877, '78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80, '81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87, '88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93, '94, Adrian; '95-'04, Supt'ed.

Bell, J. C.—W. Neb. Conf., 1896, Grant; '97, Paxton; St. L. Conf., '98, Oronogo; '99, '00, Nashville; '01, '02, Hume and Foster; '03, '04, at school.

Benefiel, T. S.—1866, Lebanon and L. Ct.; '67, '68, Butler Ct.; '69, Deepwater Ct.; '70-'72, Greenfield; '73, Knobnoster; '74, Prairie City; '75, '76, Butler Ct.; '77, '78, Appleton City; '79, Nevada; '80-'84, Sup'ry; '85-'04, Sup'ted.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Genl. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-'93, Kokomo, Mulbery St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'04, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association, Sup'ry.

Boyd, A C.—Iowa Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03; '04, Knobnoster; transf'd mid-year to Des Moines Conf.

Bradford, G. H.—W. Neb. Conf., '93, Bertrand Ct.; '94-'96, in school; Mo. Conf., '97-'01, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part)-'04, Kansas City, Oakley.

Brannon, L. L.—1900, Eldorado Sp's Ct.; '01, '02, Huntingdale; '03, '04, Green Ridge.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82, '83, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85, Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield; '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Peirce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '95, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97, '98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part, Pacific (in part), Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place; '03, '04, Sup'ted.

Buck, N. H.—1870, '71, Leesburg; '72, St. James; '73, '74, Licking; '75, '76, Potosi; '77, Webster; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80, Houston; '81-'83, West Plains; '84, Greenfield; '85, Avilla; '86, Billings; '87, Dixon; '88-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'04, Sup'ted.

Burnham, D. K.—1900, Carthage Ct.; '01, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '02, Moundville; '03-'04, at school.

Burress, A. D.—1899-'01, Doe Run; '02, at school; '03, '04, Sup'ry.

Campbell, S. B.—1887, '88, Osceola; '89-'91, Nevada; '92, St. Louis, Goode Av.; '93-'97, Maple Av.; Mo. Conf., '98-'02, St. Joseph, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, K. C., Linwood Av.

Campbell, A. B.—Ill. Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., '03, '04, Bloomfield; trans'fd mid-year to S. Ill. Conf.

Carlos, C. R.—Ill. Conf., 1889, '90, Cisco; '91, St. Joseph; '92, '93, Grove City; '94, Raymond; '95-'97, Springfield, Kumler Ch.; '98 (in part), Greenfield; '99, '00, Anti-Saloon Work; St. Louis Conf., '00 (in part), '01, St. Louis, Trinity Ch.; '02-'04, P. E. St. L. Dist.

Carpenter, L. R.—1874, Dadeville; '75, '76, Mecklin; '77-'79, Butler Ct.; '80-'81, Austin; '82, K. C., 16th St.; '83, '84, K. C., Dundee Place; '85-'87, Sup'ry; '88-'04, Sup'ted.

Coleman, W. C.—Kansas Conf., 1893-'95, DeSoto; St. L. Conf., '96-'00, Kansas City, Summit St.; '01,'04, Warrensburg.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76, '77, Cambridge; '78, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa; '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L., Trinity; '86, Clinton; '87-'89, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01, '02, Pleasant Hill; '03, '04, Lee's Summit.

Coons, C. E.—1891-'94, Licking; '95, Huntingdale; '96, Green Ridge; '97, Lamonte; '98, Centerview; '99, Cabool; '00, Sup'ry; '01-'03, Missionary; '04, Located.

Coontz, J. W.—S. W. Mo. Conf. (M. E. Ch. So.), 1898--'00, K. C., Washington St.; '01, '02, Neosho; St. L. Conf. (M. E. Ch.); '03, Holden; '04, K. C., Hammond Place.

Corrington, J. F.—1873, '74, Dresden; '75, '76, Independence; '77, '78, Butler; '79-'81, St. L., St. Luke's; '82, '83, Water Tower; '84-'87, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '88, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '89-'93, St. L., Water Tower; '94-'98, St. Luke's; '99, Tower Gr.; '00-'03, Financial Agt. 20th Century Offering; '04, Sup'ry.

Cosper, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1885, Ellsworth; '86, '87, West Fort Co.; '88, Argenta; '89, Little Rock, Ebenezer; '90, '91, Rodgers; '92, Eureka Springs; St. Louis Conf., '93-'97, Bolivar; '98-'00, Rich Hill; '01-'03, Lamar; '04, Nevada.

Creamer, W. M.—1873-'85, in Ohio Conf., M. P. Ch.; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86, '87, Salem; '88, '89, Farmington; '90, Sup'ry; '91, Fredericktown; '92-'94, Malta Bend; '95, Gr. Ridge; '96, Osceola; '97, Rockville; '98, '99, Sup'ry; '00, Linn Creek; '01, Iberia; '02, Phillipsburg; '03, Sheldon; '04, Iantha.

Crippin, A. M.—1902, '03, La Monte; '04, Tipton.

Criss, C. V.—1877, '78, Lamar; '79, '80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82, '83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92, '93, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'04, P. E. Springfield Dist.

Crow, D. W.—1881, '82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86, '87, Crystal City; '88-'92, DeSoto; '93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '00-'03, DeSoto; '04, Joplin, Byers Av.

Crowder, R. H.—St. L. Conf., 1903, Fruitland; Transf'd mid-year to N. W. Ind. Conf.

Curl, M. L.—Ill. Conf., 1868, Paxton, Ct.; '69, Farmer City Ct.; '70, '71, Farmer City; '72, Arcola; '73, Champaign, University Ch.; Mo. Conf., '74-'76, Louisiana; '77, Glasgow; '78-'80, Chillicothe; '81, '82, Hannibal; '83-'86, P. E. Kirksville Dist.; '87-'89, Pres. Lewis Col.; Ark. Conf., '90-'92, Pres. Little Rock University; '93, P. E. L. R. Dist.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part)-'98, Marionville and Pres. of Institute; '99-'01, Clinton; '02-'04, St. L., Fry Memorial.

Deal, J. F.—W. V. Conf. (Readm.), ——; St. L. Conf., '04, Conf. Evang.

Dixon, A. M.—Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch. So., 1900, West End; '01-'03, Du Quoin. S. Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch., '03, Mt. Vernon Ct.; St. Louis Conf., '04, Fruitland.

Dougherty, H. A.—1890-'92, Humansville; '93, Stockton; '94, East Lynne; '95, Harrisonville; '96, '97, East Lynne; '98-'00, Belton; '01, Oak Grove; '02, Springfield, Daily Ch.; '03-'04, Malta Bend.

Dorchester, L. H.—N. E. Conf., 1889-'93, Springfield, St. Luke's; '94-'98, Westfield, First Church; '99-'01, Boston, People's Temple; '02, Newton Centre; (the above in Mass.) St. Louis Con., 1903, '04, St. Louis, Lindell Ave.

Elayer, E. W.—1897, Urbana; '98, '99, California; '00, '01, Mountain Gr.; '02-'03, Aurora and Mt. Vernon; Transf'd mid-year to Columbia Riv. Conf.

Ferguson, W. T.—1897, '98, Carl Junction;'99, Carthage Ct.; '00, '01, Carl Junction; '02-'04, Jasper and Mt. Moriah.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70, '71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73, '74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84, '85, Sup'ry; '86, '87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91, '92, Knobnoster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Springs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Windsor and Leeton; '04, Sup'ted.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93, '94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'02, Green Ridge; '03, '04, Liberal.

Foster, H. B.—Kan. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Church; St. L. Conf., '92, Mountain Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94, '95, Mountain Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00-'4, P. E. Lebanon Dist.

Frazier, J. H.—Newark Conf., 1885, '86, Raritan; N. Neb. Conf., '87, Bancroft; '88, Miss'y to New Mex.; N. Neb. Conf., '89, Ponca; '90, Pilger; '91, '92, Coleridge; '93-'97, Newark Conf., N. Neb. Conf., '98, Arlington; '99, Laurel; '00, Villey; '01 Wakefield; Ark. Conf., '02, Beebe; St. L. Conf., '03, Cuba; '04, Seymour.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83; Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94, '95, Carterville; '96, Golden City, '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01, '02, Peirce City; '03, '04, Seneca.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83, '84, Prairie Grove; '85, '86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Avilla; '88, '89, Billings; '90, '91, Dadeville; '92, '93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99, '00, Bolivar Ct.; '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool; '03, '04, Ava.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85, '86, Huntingdale; '87--'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98-'99, Carterville; '00, '01, Eldorado Springs; '02,-'04, Sup'ry.

Gatley, W. T.—1900-'02, Wheatland; N. Neb. Conf., '03, Bancroft; St. L. Conf., '04, East Lynne.

Gideon, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1878, '79, Magazine; '80, '81, Charleston; '82, '83, Ellsworth; '84, '85, Magazine; '86-'88, Amity; '89, Hot Springs; St. L. Conf., '90-'92, Festus; '93, '94, DeSoto; '95, Hartville; '96, '97, Buffalo; '98, '99, Hume and Foster; '00, '01, Golden City; '02, '03, Carl Junction; '04, Carterville.

Gideon, T. J.—1897, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99, '00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02-'04, Hartville.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873, '74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78, '79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83, '84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88, '89, Pleasant Hill; '90-'04, Missionary to Wyoming.

Glens, G. A.—1886, '87, Cuba; '88, '89, Salem; '90, '91, Sarcoxie; '92, Mt. Vernon; '93, '94, Appleton City; '95, '96, Malta Bend; '97, '98, Tipton; '99-'01, Smithton; '02, '03, Belton; '04, Holden.

Gower, L. E.—1891, Ash Grove; '92, Billings; '93, '94, Lincoln; '95, Dresden; '96-'98, Austin; '99, '00, Independence; '01, Osceola; '02-'04, Sup'ry.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855, '56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58, '59, Newark; '60, '61, Princeton; '62, '63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf., '64, St. Joe; '65-'68, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '69-'72, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '73-'75, P. E. St. Louis Dist.; '76, '77, Jefferson City; '78, '79, Pleasant Hill; '79, '80, K C., Liberty St.; '81-'83, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '84-'86, St. L., Water Tower; '87-'04, Chaplain St. L. Institutions.

Hall, J. E.—1901, '02, Adrian; '03, '04, Webb City.

Halterman, C. L.—Congregational Ch., ——; M. E. Ch., St. Louis Conf., '03, Salem; '04, St. L., Carondelet.

Hamel, W. V.—1878, K. C., 16th St.; '79, '80, Cuba; '81-'83, Appleton City; '84, '85, Smithton and P. Gr.; '86-'91, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '92, Carthage; '93-'97, Warrensburg; '98, Smithton; '99-'04, Springfield, Benton Av.

Hammons, R. P.—S. Ill. Conf., 1880-'83, Vienna; '84, Hawthorn; '85, Enfield; S. Kan. Conf., '86, '87, Walnut; '88-'91, Oswego; '92-'95, Parsons; '96, Ft. Scott; '97, Baldwin; (in part) Idaho Conf., '97, (in part) '00, Boise; St. L. Conf., 1901-'03, Joplin, 1st Ch.; '04, Transf'd to S. Kan. Conf.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64, '65, Brighton; '66, '67, Salem; '68, Duquoin; '69-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E. Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree, Col.; '86, '87, Sup'ry; (with work) St. L. Conf., '88, '89, St. L., Trinity; '90, '91, St. Luke; '92, '93, Sup'ry; (with work) '94, St. L., Jennings; '95, Union, Ass't Pastor; '96-'04, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73, '74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76, '77, Ironton; '78, DeSoto; '79, Schell City; '80, '81, Lebeck; '82, transf'd to Ark. Conf, remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92, '93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96-'04, Sup'ted.

Harvey, H. L.—W. Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, St. L., Neidringhaus Memorial.

Hatcher, G. S.—1891, S. W. City; '92, Carl Junction; '93, Liberal; '94, Peirce City; '95, '96, Rich Hill; '97-'99, Missionary to Nevada; '00-'03, Sup'ry; '04, Located.

Heaton, S. J.—1892, '93, Pleasant Hill; '94-'98, Clinton; '99-'04, Kansas City, Arlington.

Hughes, M. S.—Iowa Conf., 1887, Ewart Ct.; '88, '89, Malcom; '90, Grinnell; Maine Conf., '90-'94, Portland, Chestnut St ; N. Minn. Conf., '95-'98, Minneapolis, Wesley Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '99-'04, K. C. Indep. Av.

Hughey, G. W.—S. Ill., 1850-1878; St. L. Conf., '79-'81, St. L., Trinity; '82, '83, Carondelet; '84, Conf. Tem. Agt ; '85, Carondelet; '86-'88, Carthage; '89-'93, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '94, '95, Benton Av.; '96-'04, Sup'ted.

Hunt, E. J.—1878, '79, Walnut; '80-'82, Osceola; '83-'85, Malta Bend; '86, East Lynne; '87-'90, Holden; '91, '92, Lee's Summit; '93, K. C., Arlington; '94-'99, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '00, '01, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '02-'04, P. E. Sedalia Dist.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry C'y; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S ; '96-'00, Lamar; '01, '02, Lebanon; '03, '04, Bolivar.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84, '85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnel Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in school; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf., (mid-year) St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96, '97, California; '98, Urbana; '99, '00, Licking; '01, Hartville; '02, Knobnoster; '03, '04, Huntingdale.

Ing, S.—1858, '59, Salem; '60, Rolla; '61, Leesburg; '62, U. S. A.; '63, Otterville; '64, '65, Middletown; '66-'69, P. E. Rolla Dist; '70-'72, Knobnoster; '73, '74, Windsor; '75-'77, Marshall; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80-'82, Aullville; '83, '84, Sup'ted; '85-'87, Mecklin; '88, Aullville; '89-'04, Sup'ted. Died Nov. 11, 1904.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97-'02, Malta Bend; '03, '04, Rich Hill.

Janssen, J. J.—1896, '97, Marshall; '98-'00, Schell City; '01, '02, Seneca; '03, '04, Republic.

January, B. F.—1880, Harrisonville; '81, '82, Warrensburg Ct.; '83, '84, Mecklin; '85, Austin; '86, '87, Richland; '88-'90, West Plains; '91, Marshfield; '92, Appleton City; '93, Aurora; '94, Willow Springs; '95, '96, DeSoto; '97, Pacific; '98, '99, Cuba; '00, '01, Richland; '02, '03, Buffalo; '04, Newberg and Dixon. Died Nov. 13, 1904.

Jeffrey, T. W.—S. W. Kan. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, Carthage.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton; '98-'03, Butler; '04, Joplin, 1st Ch.

Johnston, F. C.—N. D. Conf., 1889, '90, Leonard; '91, '92, Steel; '93-'95, Dickinson & Gladstone; '96, Ludden; '97, '98, Tower City; '99, Rolla; '00, '01, Leeds; '02, '03, Bottineau; St. L. Conf., '03, (in part) Mountain Grove; '04, Aurora.

Jones, Sam'l—1873, '74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'04, Sup'ted.

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1878, Huntsville; '79, '80, Yellville; '81, '82, Mountain Home; '83, '84, Waldron; '85, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '87-'89, P. E. Harrison & Ft. Smith Districts; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part); St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Marshfield; '98, '99, Bolivar; '00-'03, Monett; '04, Mountain Grove.

Jones, D. B.—1893, Moundville; '94, Stockton; '95, '96, at school; '97, '98, Hartville; '99-'03, Sup'ry; '04, withdrawn.

Jones, H. A.—1892, '93, Missionary in Utah; '94, at school; '95'-98, St. L., Goode Av.; '99-'04, Springfield, Grace Ch.

Keast, A. G.—1899, '00, Iantha; '01, '02, Humansville; '03, '04, Lockwood.

King, H. A.—1898, K. C., Liberty St.; '99, Kansas Av.; '00, '01, Oakley; mid-year at school; '02, '03, at school; '04, Transf'd to Maine Conf.

King, G. W.—1886-'88, Bloomfield; '89-'92, Cape Girardeau; '93, Fruitland; '94, '95, Farmington; '96, Willow Springs; '97, Graniteville; '98, '99, Lutesville; '00, Fruitland; '01-'03, Licking; '04, Transf'd to Mo. Conf.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75, '76, Springfield; '77, '78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84, '85, Cassville; '86, '87, Mt. Vernon; '88, '89, Urbana; '90, '91, Stafford; '92,-'04, Sup'ted.

Koeth, E. D. C.—1896, Graniteville; '97, '98, Bonne Terre; '99-'01, Tipton; '02, Liberal; '03, '04, Doe Run.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-92, Farina; '93, '94, Pinckneyville; '95-'98, Evangelistic Work; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Av.; '02, '03, Neosho; '04, DeSoto.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00, '01, Mt. Vernon; '02, '03, Missionary to Montana; '04, Sup'ry.

Lehr, A. M.—1898, Alberta; '99, '00, Knobnoster; '01, Marshall; '02-'04, Sup'ry.

Leonard, H. C.—1892, St. L. Neidringhaus Mem; 1903, '04, Harlem Place.

Lokey, J.—Ark. Conf., 1879, '80, Clear Cr.; '81-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Batesville; '85, Harrison; '86-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Ks.; St. L. Conf., '90, '91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93, '94, Purdy; '95-'97, Mt. Vernon; '98, '99, Purdy; '00, Billings; '01-'04, Boaz.

Luccock, N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1874, '75, Tippecanoe, O.; '76, Addison, Pa.; '77, '78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-'84, Pittsburg, Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Allegheny Col.; '88-'91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92-'96, Pittsburg, Smithfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897-'04, St. Louis, Union Ch.

Luce, F. W.—N. W. Iowa Conf., 1881, '82, Battle Creek; '83, '84, Correctionville; '85, Sheldon; '86-'90, Clear Lake; U. Iowa Conf., '91-'94, Hampton; '95, '96, Davenport, 1st Ch.; '97, '98, Marion; '99-'02 (in part), Cedar Falls; St. L. Conf., '02-'04, St. Louis, Maple Av.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870, '71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72, '73, K. C., 16th St.; '74, '75, Rolla, '76-'78, Greenfield; '78, '79, Carthage; '80, '82, Lebanon; '82-'85, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-'91, Rolla, '92, Nevada, '93-'95, Holden; '96-'01, Lee's Summit; '02, '04, Kansas City, Phoenix Park.

Mais, H. G.—1895-'96, St. Louis Trinity; '97-'02, Carondelet; '03, '04, Leb-

Martin, W. F.—1897, '98, Lincoln; '99-'01, at school; '02, Marshall; '03, '04, Springfield, Daily Ch., transf'd mid-year to Cin. Conf.

Martin, J. J.—1878, '79, Seneca; '80, '81, Oronogo; '82, '83, Avilla; '84, '85, Golden City, '86,-'89, Marionville; '90, '91, Mt. Vernon; '92-'94, Joplin; '95, '96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden; '03, '04, Independence.

Martin, S. S.—1877, 78, Iowa Conf., '79, Melrose; '80, '81, Morning Sun, '82-'84, Koeta, '85, Agency; S. Kan. Conf., '86-'88, Howard; '89, '90, Chanute; '91, '92, Independence; '93-'98, P. E. Ottawa Dist.; '99-'01, Ft. Scott; St. L. Conf., 1902, '04, Sedalia, 1st Ch.

McClure, S. W.—E. Ohio Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., 1901, '02, St. Louis Goode av.; '03, '04, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.

McCoard, C.—Central Ohio Conf., '93, '94, Celina Circuit; '95-'98, Utah Mission; '99, '00, Drew Seminary; St. Louis Conf., '01, Holden; '02, K. C., Linwood av.; '03, '04, St. Louis, Goode av.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Doe Run; '99, '00, Ironton; '01, '02, Fruitland; '03, '04, Farmington.

Meracle, J. S.—1896, Seymour; '97, '98, Eldon; '99-'01, Prof. Carleton Col.; '02, Farmington; '03, '04, Pres. Carleton Col. Transf'd mid-year to N. W. Ind. Conf.

Mitchell, C. A.—1896, '97, Neosho; '98, '99, Peirce City; '00-'04, Financial Agt. Marionville Col. Institute.

Mitchell, H. A.—1900, '01, Lincoln and Warsaw; '02-'04, Eldorado Spgs.

Moore, G. Z.—1900, Sheldon; '01-'03, Nashville; '04, Carl Junction.

Moore, J. N.—1874, '75, Lebanon Ct.; '76, '77, Cuba; '78-'80, Richland; '81, Oronogo; '82-'84, Webb City, '85-'87, Peirce City; N. W. Kansas Conf., '88, Ellis; '89,'90, Jewell City; Ark. Conf., '91-'93, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part), Prof. L. R. Un.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part) Pleasant Hill; '95-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '00, City Missions; '01-'03, Hammond Place; '04, Amsterdam.

Munsell, L. W.—Ohio Conf., 1841, Malta; '42, Braxton, '43, Ravenswood; '44, '45, Sup'ry; '46, Diverton; '47, Patriot; '48, Jackson; '49, '50, Gallia; '51, '52, Richmondale; '53, Amesville; '54, '55, Coolville; '56, '57, Barlow; '58, located because of ill health. During location served various charges in Ill. and Ohio Conf., as supply. From '72-'79 supplied work in St. L. Conf.; '80, re-admitted to St. L. Conf., app't'd to Barnesville; '81-'04, Sup'ted. ('83-'94, acted as supply.)

Nations, J. L.—From Meth. Pr. Ch. 1898, Winona; '99, '00, Willow Springs; '01, Alton; '02, Koshkonong, '03, '04, Iberia.

Needham, J. W.—1890, '91, Winona; '92, '93, at school; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield; '02, '03, Osceola; '04, Monett.

Neff, F.—1901, '02, Bolivar, '03, '04, Clinton.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S. 1897, '98, Conway; '99, '00, Sarcoxie; '01, '02, Butler Ct.; '03, Austin; '04, Drexel.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75, '76, Warsaw; '77, '78, East Sedalia; '79, De Soto; '80-'82, Butler Ct.; '83-'84, Austin and Pl. Val.; '85, '86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92, '93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; '99-'04, Sup'ted.

Pare, W. T.—1886, '87, Hermitage; '88, '89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry, '01-'03, Newberg and Dixon; '04, Sligo.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1859, '60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61, 62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; St. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67-'68, K. C. Grand Ave.; '69-'71, St. L. Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73, '74, Warrensburg; '75, '76, Carthage; '77-'80, P. E. Sedalia District; '81, '82, Clinton; '86, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85-'90, Sup'ry, '91, '92, Lowry City; '93-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'04, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00-'03, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '04, Appleton City.

Porter, J. S.—1873, '74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownsville; '77-'79, Malta Bend; '80, '81, Knobnoster; '82, '83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87, '88, East Lynne; '89, Knobnoster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'04, Sup'ted.

Porter, J. H.—1896, Mountain View; '97, Potterville; '98, Appleton City Ct.; '99, '00, Lowry City; '01, '02, Eldorado Spgs. Ct.; '03, '04, Sup'ry.

Prall, T. E.—1897-'99, Sullivan; '00, '01 (in part), Old Orchard; '01-'03, Pilot Grove; mid year to Montrose; '04, Schell City.

Pyles, W. T.—S. W. Mo. Conf., M. E. Ch. S., 1883, Vienna; '84, Altoona; '85, Exeter; S. L. Conf., M E Ch., '86-'88, Knobnoster; '89, '90, Smithton and Pilot G.; '91, Malta Bend; '92, '93, Buffalo; S. Kan. Conf., '94, Cedarville; St. L. Conf., '95, Golden City; '96, '97, Carterville; '98, Butler Ct.; '99, '00, Austin; '01, '02, Rich Hill; '03, '04, Marlonville.

Quayle, W. A.—Kan. Conf., 1886, Osage Ct.; '87-'89, Prof. Baker U.; '90-'94, Pres. Baker U.; St. L. Conf., '94, (in part), '98, Kansas City, Independence Av.; '99 transferred to Indiana Conf.; '99 (in part), '01, Indianapolis, Meridian St.; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part), '04, Kansas City, Grand av.

Reno, F. P.—1894, Carl Junction; '95, '96, Rockville; '97-'00, Huntingdale; '01, Lamonte; '02, '03, Tipton; '04, Buffalo.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93, '94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at school; '97, K. C. Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '99-'04, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf., to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97, '98, Pleasant Hill; '99, '00, Higginsville; '01-'04, Sup'ted.

Risley, H. M.—1895, Carl Junction; '96, '97, Webb City; '98, '99, Adrian; '00, Pleasant Hill; '01, Schell City, '02, '04, Sup'ry.

Rose, C. I.—1893, '04, Urbana; '95-'97, Galena; '98-'01, Springfield, Daily Ch.; '02, '03, Mountain Grove; '04, Transf'd to S. Kan. Conf.

Sapp, E. H.—1899-'02, Webb City; '03-'04, Butler Ct.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899, '00, Hartville; '00 (in part), '01, California; '02-'04, Richland.

Shepherd, Geo. W.—S. Ill. Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., '03, St. Louis, Maplewood; '04, Anti Saloon League Work.

Sidman, W D.—1895-'97, Stockton; '98, '99, Republic; '00-'03, Greenfield; '04, Osceola.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876, '77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79-'80, Russellville; '81-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85, '86, Siloam Springs. St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville; '88-'90, Greenfield; '91, '92, West Plains; '93-'98, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '99-'02, Marionville; '03, Carterville; '04, Neosho.

Simmons, D. T.—1892, '93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-'01, Fair Play; '02, '04, Marshfield.

Simpson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97-'00, Osceola; '01, '02, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '03, '04, St. Louis Bowman Ch.

Simpson, E.—1899, '00, Avilla; '01-'04, Sarcoxie.

Slusher, J. W.—Ark. Conf., 1887, Yellville; '88, Greenbrier; '89, Wildcherry; '90, Oxford; '91, L. Rock Ct.; '92, L. Rock, North Side; '93-'97, Atkins; '98-'00, (in part) Almyra; Okla. Conf., '00-'02, Lehigh & C.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, Conway.

Smith, H.—1887; Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89, '90, Hartville; '91-'93, Republic; '94, Schell City; '95, '96, Montrose; '97, '98, Green Ridge, '99, '00, Lamonte; '01, Windsor and Leeton, '02, '04, Sup'ry.

Smith, R. T.—1883, Sheldon; '84-'86, at school; '87-'89, Peirce City; '90-'92, Payson, Utah; '93-'95, K. C. Summit St.; '96-'98, Springfield, Benton, Av.; '99, '00, Anti-Saloon League; '01, '02, Conf. Evangelist; '03-'04, St. Louis, Baden.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67-'69, Marshall; '70, '71, Independence; '72, '73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77, '78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '87, '88, Smithton; '89-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97, '98, Drexel; '99-'02, Odessa; '03, '04, Sup'ted.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kan. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84-'86, Galesburg; '87-'90, Virgil; '91, '92, Americus; '93-'96, Waverly; '97-'99, Galena; '00-'02 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02, '03, Nevada;; '04, Lamar.

Steves, H. L.—East O. Conf., 1882, Bissells; '83, '84, Thompson; North O. Conf., '85, '86, Vermillion; '87, '88 (in part), Bloomville; '88-'90, (in part), Utah Mission, Logan; '90-'94, LaGrange, O.; '95-'97 (in part), Medina; Austin Conf., '98-'00 (in part), Dallas Tabernacle Ch.; St. L. Conf., '00, '01, St. Louis, Fry Memorial; '02, '04, Trinity.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65, '66, Manor Hill; '67, '68 Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69, '70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield; '75-'77, St. L., Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81, '82, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '83-'85, Carthage; '86, K. C. Summit St.; '87-'92, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '93-'98, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '99, '00, K. C., Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Av.; '02, Clinton; '03, '04, Kansas City, Summit St.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kan. Conf., 1877, '78, Oxford; '79-'81, in school; '82, '83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87, '88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E. Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, 1st Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part), '02, Carthage; '03, '04, Kansas City, Howard Mem.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74 Dixon; '75, Houston; '76-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81, '82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'89, Iberia; '90, Linn Cr.; '91-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'04, Sup'ted.

Squier, E. A.—So. Ill. Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., 1900, West Plains; '01, Sup-ry; '02, '03, Webster Grove; '04, Sup'ry.

Thackrey, J. E.—N. W. Neb. Conf., 1894, Crawford; '95-'98 (in part), at school; Kan. Conf., 1898-'01 (in part), Chapman; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part), '04, Kansas City, Grace Ch.

Thomas, V. C.—N. W. Iowa Conf., 1891, Whitemore; '92, Larrabee; '93, Moville; '94, Mt. Hope; '95, '96, Holy Sp's; '97, (in part) Whiting; '98, Washta; '99, '00, W. Ft. Dodge; '01, Newell; '02, '03, (in part) Hull; transf'd mid-year to St. L. Conf., and app't'd to Belton.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'03, Appleton City; '04, Pleasant Hill.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View, '70, '71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72, '73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77, '78, Mecklin; '79, '80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82 '83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86, '87, Conway; '88, '89, Dadeville; '90, '91, Galena; '92, '93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'04, Sup'ted.

Tippin, C. F.—1896, '97, Newberg and Dixon; '98-'00, Seymour; '01-'04, Eldon.

Toland, H. A.—1885, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87, '88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90-'04, Sup'ted.

Turrentine, E.—1901, Houston and Cabool; '02, '03, Lowry City; '04, La-Monte.

Turrentine, W. O.—1896-'98, Dadeville; '99-'02, Conway; '03-'04, Billings.

Tuttle, G. E.—1902, Billings; '03-'04, Humansville. Transf'd mid-year to S. W. Kan. Conf.

Van Petten, J. B.—Black Riv. Conf. 1852, '53, Cape Vincent; '54-'60, Fairfield Sem'y; '61, Chaplain in the Army; '62-'65, in Military Service; '66, located; St. L. Conf., (re-admitted), '80, '84, Sedalia Seminary; '85-'99, Claverack Col., N. Y.; '00-'04, Sup'ted.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82, '83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-'89, St. L. Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91, '92, Holden; '93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96, '97, Kan. City, Howard Mem.; '98-'00, (29th St.) Grace Ch.; '01-'04, Bennington Heights.

Welch, Jno.—Iowa Conf.—Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville; Mo., and Ark. Conf., 1866, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68, Linn Creek; '69, Washington; '70, '71, Linn Creek; '72, Versailles; St. L. Conf., '73, Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80-'04, Sup'ted.

White, H.—1895, '96, Seneca; '97, '98, De Soto; '99, '00, St. Louis, St. Luke's '01, '04, West Plains.

Wood M. B.—N. W. Ind. Conf., 1867, Wheeler; '68, Calumet; '69, Argus; '70-'72, Pittsburg; '73, '74, Summit Grove; '75, Wheeler; '76, '77, Jamestown; '78-'82; located; St. L. Conf., '83, St. L., Goode Av.; '84, Farmington; '85, Carterville; '86, Jasper; '87, Tipton; '88-'04, Sup'ted.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88 Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93, '94, Carterville; 95-'98, Joplin; '99-'04, P. E. Kansas City Dist.

Wright, A. C.—1890-'98, Missionary to China; '99, returned; '00-'03 Sup'ry, '04, located.

Yeager, W. F.—1880-'82, Cassville; '83, '84, Dadeville; '85, '86, Buffalo; '87, '88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90, '91, Fairplay; '92, '93, Dadeville; '94-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '99, '00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena; '02, Marionville Ct.; '03, '04, Sup'ted.

Yount, W. H.—1893, Perryville; '94, Marquand; '95, Cross Roads; '96-'98, Hartville; '99, Uurbana; '00, Newberg; '01-'03, Seymour; '04, California.

Reports.

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session in March, 1905.

Wm Stephens.

Secretary.

Auditing.

Having carefully examined the accounts of the Conference Secretary, Treasurer, Stewards and Presiding Elders, we find them to be correct.

W. T. PYLES,
JOEL A. BARKER,
B. E. NIBLACK.

Benevolences.

We lay upon the hearts of our pastors and people the importance of our various Church benevolences.

MISSIONS.

"Go ye into all the world" never came to the Church with such tremendous force as now. The fields are white everywhere. God's missionary call is "Now!"

First—That all our Sunday Schools be organized into Missionary Societies according to the discipline, and that the offering on the first Sunday in each month be for missions.

Second—That the Epworth Leagues not only observe the monthly Missionary topics, but read also the missionary course, and take a collection for this cause.

Third—That we urge our people in giving to special fields, for special work, not to neglect nor decrease the regular collection for Missions, assuring them that the Missionary Board can justly distribute all funds because of their thorough knowledge of the needs everywhere.

CHURCH EXTENSION.

We congratulate the Board of Church Extension on its success in the past.

We recognize still the vast needs of unoccupied fields, and urge the Church to give heroically to house these needy people.

FREEDMEN'S AID.

The needs of our work in the South are vast and urgent. The problems in the South are to be solved only by Christian education and applied Christianity. We urge our people not to fail in their interest and gifts to this work. Because of the withdrawal of the field secretaries pastors should press the cause more earnestly.

TRACTS.

Our Tracts are vital forces in presenting the best Christian teaching in the most attractive and economic way, and we recommend a greater interest in their distribution.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

The vast number of people in the bounds of our Conference who are beyond the reach of Sunday Schools call loudly to us that we aid the Sunday School Union in its work of organizing Sunday Schools and meeting their needs; to this end,

We indorse and will aid the Missouri Sunday School Association in its systematic conventional and interdenominational work.

We recommend that Rev. W. D. Sidman be appointed Conference Secretary for the Sunday School Union, to co-operate with the General Secretary in carrying on the work of the Society in the bounds of this Conference.

S. F. STEVENS, Chairman.
HARVEY A. JONES, Secretary.

Board of Church Extension.

St. Louis, Mo., March 20, 1905.

Dear Brethren: The last session of the General Conference added to the duties of the Conference Board of Church Extension, by enacting that the said board shall report to the Annual Conference its proceedings, including its recommendations in the disposition of funds appropriated by the Parent Board, together with an accurate statement of the debits and credits of the Conference and the condition of the churches in their accounts with the loan fund.

In compliance with this enactment the Conference Board herewith presents the following:

1. Concerning the proceedings of the Board we report that during the Conference year we have received applications for donations and made recommendations as follows:

	Asked	Recommended.
From Mt. Zion, Lebanon district	$100	$100
From Grave Springs, Lebanon district	100	100
From Brownwood, Farmington district	150	100
From Rich Woods, Farmington district	200	100
From Willow Springs, Farmington district	250	200
From Weaubleau, Springfield district	250	200
From Grace Church Kansas City district	250	200
From Anderson, Carthage district	300	200

2. We present our account with the parent board as follows:

Balance from previous fiscal year, 1904		$ 956.17
Collections to date$21, give credit of		14.00
Dec. 28, 1904, Farmington, First Ch., Donation	$1,000.00	
Nov. 11, Weaubleau, Jane Hortz Memorial	250.00	
Jan. 11, balance to debtor		29.83
Total	$1,250.00	$1,2,50 00

On file granted—Conditions not yet complied with—

Iberia—People's church donation	$ 250.00

On file awaiting action—

Brownwood donation	150.00

Blancke, Mt. Zion donation..... 100.00
For the current year, which will close October 31, 1905,
your conference is asked for.....$2,700.00
And may receive 1,800.00

Or in that proportion up to said amounts under rules 1 and 2 above.

3. We present the condition of the churches in their account with the Loan Fund as follows:

Date of Loan.	Place.	Original Am't.	Date.	Am't Due P'c'pl.	Int.
Jan. 14, 1898	Birch Tree, Mo....	$200	Jan. 1902	$200.00	$ 72.00
Nov. 22, 1897	Garden City Mo....	250	Jan. 1903	200.00	6.00
June 9, 1899	Harrisonville, Mo..	500	Jan. 1904	500.00	75.00
Nov. 18, 1901	Kansas City, Bennington Heights	500	Jan. 1905	100.00	7.50
April 9, 1886	Pacific.....	400	Jan. 1890	400.00	440.40
Oct. 21, 1890	Sullivan, Bethel....	200	Oct. 1904	200.00	167.00
Nov. 16, 1899	Sedalia Epworth...	2000	Jan. 1903	821.00	242.97
Oct. 16, 1893	Thornfield.....	250	Jan. 1898	200.00	124.00
Feb. 13, 1889	Gainesville.....	150	Jan. 1892	150.00	95.00
Aug. 13, 1901	Ava, First church..	200	Jan. 1905	150.00	36.00
June 12, 1889	Springfield, Mt. Carmel	200	Oct. 1893	45.43	1.36

4. We desire to report that the parent Board has aided in building 262 churches in this Conference. It has received by collections from this Conference $35,138.46. It has donated $49,380.66 to the Conference and has loaned it $45,050.00.

For the coming year we are asked to raise $2,700, and may receive $1,800, or in that proportion.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. CURL, Secretary.

Conference Missionary Society, Etc.

Farmington, Mo., March 22, 1905.

First—It is believed by many that the results of the Missionary Society would be greatly enhanced by a Conference organization, active and more related to the present aggressive movement, and that said organization should give a place to our laymen commensurate with the obligations resting upon them. Since the discipline gives ample latitude in the formation of a Conference Missionary Society; therefore,

Resolved, That we reorganize our Conference Missionary Society, and that one minister and two laymen from each district named by the Cabinet, in addition to the Presiding Elders and District Missionary Secretaries, and the District Epworth League Presidents, who shall be ex-officio members, shall constitute the Board of Managers of said Conference Missionary Society.

The President of the Conference Board shall be chosen by the Conference on the nomination of the Presiding Elders.

Meetings of the whole Conference Board may be called by the concurrence of three of the Presiding Elders.

All matters pertaining to aggressive Conference, or Inter-Conference Missionary movements, shall be entrusted to the Board of Managers of the Conference Society.

The District Missionary Committees shall be the six persons on the district designated by above resolutions.

The Presiding Elder shall be Chairman of the District Missionary Committee, and shall have power to call meetings as he deems necessary.

The District Missionary Secretary shall be Secretary of the Committee in his own District.

Second—Whereas, the rapid growth of our Mission Fields makes necessary a better informed and more aggressive Church to meet the imperative demands upon us; and,

Whereas, it has been clearly demonstrated that the State Missionary Conventions recently held in Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Dakota have been productive of large educational and inspirational results; and,

Whereas, the Presiding Elders and District Missionary Secretaries of the Missouri Conference are petitioning the Missionary Society to organize a great Missionary Convention at Kansas City, Mo., for September or October of this year, including all of the State of Missouri, and if practicable, the State of Kansas.

Be it therefore resolved: First, that we heartily approve the aggressive campaign being carried forward by our Missionary Society in organizing large delegated Missionary Conventions.

Second—We indorse the recommendations made above, adding, if practicable, Oklahoma, and since the whole matter of Missionary Convention work is to be entrusted to the Open Door Emergency Commission of our Conference Missionary Society, we pledge our loyal support to whatever form of campaign they deem wise to adopt.

Signed: W. T. Wright, H. B. Foster, A. D. Ball, C. R. Carlos, Eli P. Anderson, E. J. Hunt, C. V. Criss, Presiding Elders.

Deaconess Board.

Our Deaconess work has made substantial progress during the year. At Kansas City the Women's Home Missionary Society has erected the Kansas City National Training School at a cost of $15,900. The estimated value of the property is $61,200, and is free from debt. The building is substantially built, well arranged and admirably adapted to the purpose for which it was erected. There are twenty-six students, of whom six will be graduated in June. The students have made 3,849 visits, conducted 1,023 meetings, led fifty-seven persons to Christ, and done many other things too numerous to be mentioned in this report.

The Epworth Evangelistic Institute in St. Louis has bought a substantial building for $20,000, of which amount $1,000 has already been paid, and it is confidently believed that the balance will be paid when due. Possession of the property will be given during the summer. Seventeen students are now enrolled, of whom eight will be graduated May 25. There are twenty-four in the correspondence school. The students have made 6,344 visits, and

under their influence 349 persons have professed conversion. We most heartily commend these schools as being worthy of the liberal support of our people, and we ourselves will support them with our prayers, our sympathy, our work and our money.

Miss H. Rebecca Bell was consecrated a Deaconess in Farmington, Mo., March 26, 1905.

The roll of our Deaconesses is as follows:

Name—	Place of Consecration.	Time.
Mrs. Kate M. Cooper	Grand Fork, N. D.,	1900
Maud Byers	Kansas City, Mo.,	1902
Anna Neiderheiser	Kansas City, Mo.,	1902
Susannah A. Mitchell	Marshall, Mo.,	1903
May Villa Patten	Marshall, Mo.,	1903
Elizabeth Wommer	Carthage, Mo.,	1904
Hilma Aaronson	Carthage, Mo.,	1904
H. Rebecca Bell	Farmington, Mo.,	1905

W. T. WRIGHT, President.
SAMUEL WARNER, Secretary.

Domestic Missions.

. . . CARTHAGE DISTRICT. . . .

Anderson, $60; Central Avenue, $100; Chitwood, $32; Liberal, $100; Neosho, $140; Oronogo, $28; Sheldon, $40. Total, $500.

. . . . . FARMINGTON DISTRICT. . . . . .

Advance, $30; Bloomfield, $38; Bonne Terre, $50; Carter County Circuit, $24; Cross Roads, $20; Dexter Circuit, $20; Flat River, $50; Ironton, $100; Koshkonong, $24; Lutesville, $50; Mt. View, $30; Palmer, $20; Perryville, $30; Poplar Bluff, $200; West Plains Circuit, $24; Willow Springs, $60; Winona, $30; to the District, $100. Total, $900.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Amsterdam, $60; Belton, $100; Centerview, $60; East Lynne, $60; Garden City, $100; Harrisonville, $100. Total, $480.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

Ava, $50; Buffalo, $50; California, $100; Conway, $20; Gainsville, $40; Iberia, $100; Newburg and Dixon, $50; Phillipsburg, $30: Licking, $40; Richland, $40; Seymour, $50; Linn Creek, $30; Vichey, $220; To the Distirct, $120. Total, $740.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Pacific, $50; Carondelet, $50; Maplewood, $75; Tuxedo and Shrewsbury, $75; Salem, $100; Sullivan, $70. Total, $420.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Higginsville and Odessa, $150; Lincoln and Warsaw, $40; Marshall, $200; Rockville, $40; Sedalia Epworth, $50; Tipton, $40; Windsor, $100. Total, $620.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $32; Aurora, $36; Billings, $40; Bolivar Circuit, $36; Cassville, $28; Dadeville, $32; Fair Play, $32; Galena, $44; Greenfield, $36; Humansville, $24; Marionville Circuit, $40; Peirce City and Purdy, $28; Springfield Circuit, $20; Mt. Carmel, $72; Stockton, $24; Taneyville, $48; Wheatland, $28. Total, $600.

I approve the above Missions and appropriations.

WM. F. McDOWELL.

Education.

We recommend:

1. That the sum of ten (10) cents per member be apportioned to each charge for education, with an especial effort for raising the entire amount.

2. That a special Sunday in each charge be set aside for the securing of this apportionment, this day to be known as Conference Educational Day.

3. That when each pastor makes his report on the Conference floor at the annual Conference session he shall report the amount raised in accordance with this recommendation.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

We heartily commend the excellent work of the Board of Education, with the constant emphasis that it lays upon the necessity for educational excellence and genuine spirituality in our schools.

We urge that Children's Day be faithfully observed, and we call upon our people to give liberally in support not only of the fund to aid needy students, but also to advance the work of all the educational institutions of our church.

THEOLOGICAL SCHOOLS.

We commend the work of our Theological schools, and urge that, as far as possible, our young men entering the ministry attend some one of these institutions.

BAKER UNIVERSITY.

We rejoice in the wonderful prosperity of Baker University, and feel that we have in this school a place where our young men and young women may secure for themselves the highest intellectual equipment. We recommend that J. B. DeGarmo and S. J. Heaton be elected as trustees.

CENTRAL WESLEYAN COLLEGE.

We commend the work of this splendid institution and are glad to report that the past year has been one of prosperity.

CARLETON COLLEGE.

We are highly gratified and greatly encouraged over the prospects of this institution. The present enrollment is equal to that of recent years, but we are looking forward to a year of great advance and signal prosperity.

We recommend that the amounts raised on the St. Louis, Sedalia, Lebanon and Farmington Districts be given to this school, and pledge ourselves to meet the apportionment, if possible. We recommend that one-third of the amount raised be applied on the indebtedness. We further recommend that H. L. Steves be appointed as President, and that E. D. C. Koeth, J. B. Graves, Harry Denman, W. E. Crow, L. H. Dorchester, J. W. McCarthy and U. S. Grant be elected as trustees.

We pledge the institution our hearty support in the securing of funds for an endowment, building purposes, and students, and pray that the highest ambitions of the present management may be more than realized.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

This school does all the work required in a high grade academy, and is articulated with Baker, the State University and Northwest-

ern. The past year has been the most prosperous one in its history, making more imperative than ever the need of a new chapel building. The Industrial Department is growing and materially aiding in the development of the school.

We recommend that the funds secured under the new apportionment, coming from the Kansas City, Carthage and Springfield Districts, one-half be applied on indebtedness.

We recommend that L. G. Reser be re-appointed President and C. A. Mitchell Financial Agent and Superintendent of the Industrial Department, and for trustees W. T. Pyles, J. H. Dameron, Eli P. Anderson, Argus Cox, W. F. Yeager, John H. Lucas, S. C. McCullah and J. W. Coleman.

COMMITTEES OF VISITATION.

Baker University—W. K. Collins, E. J. Hunt.
Boston University School of Theology—L. H. Dorchester.
Carleton College—G. B. Thomas, H. C. Leonard.
Central Wesleyan—M. L. Curl, F. W. Simpson.
Drew Theological Seminary—J. W. Stewart.
Garrett Biblical Institute—T. H. Hagerty, G. J. Hunt.
Iliff School of Theology—G. H. Bradford.
Illinois Woman's College—Naphtali Luccock.
Marionville Collegiate Institute—W. D. Sidman, E. H. Sapp, E. E. Sparks.
McKendree College—R. T. Smith.
Woman's College of Baltimore—M. S. Hughes.

M. S. HUGHES, Chairman.
FRANK NEFF, Secretary.

Federation.

Whereas, the St. Louis and Southwest Missouri Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, have requested us to appoint committees to co-operate with like committees, already appointed by these Conferences, to make effective the plan of Federation, in the case of new work and weak, struggling churches, as adopted by the General Conferences of these churches; therefore,

Resolved, That we have received with pleasure and respond heartily to these overtures by the appointment of the following committees:

William Stephens, Belton, Mo.; E. P. Anderson, Carthage, Mo.; E. J. Hunt, Sedalia, Mo.; M. F. Simmons, Kansas City, Mo., and J. A. Rose, Carthage, Mo., to confer with the committee of the Southwest Missouri Conference; also N. Luccock, St. Louis, Mo.; F. S. Beggs, Rolla, Mo.; H. L. Steves, Farmington, Mo.; Hanford Crawford, St. Louis, and G. W. Brown, St. Louis, Mo., to confer with the committee of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

L. H. DORCHESTER, Chairman.
O. M. Stewart, Secretary.

Permanent Fund.

Dear Brethren: I submit the following report as treasurer of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Annual Conference:

Amount of principal on hand at last report	$2,943.45	
Received from the 1 per cent fund	374.50	
From the Hagerty sermon	10.90	
Collections on subscription	702.00	
From notes and investment	244.33	
Total funds and receipts		$4,275.18
The following amounts have been paid out:		
Interest advanced by treasurer last year	$ 9.86	
Paid cost of indemnity bond	15.00	
Accrued interest on bonds bought	39.83	
Expense for printing and correspondence	9.64	
Net proceeds payable to Conference claimants	170.00	
Total disbursements		$ 244.33
Cash in hand at close of business March 21, 1905		30.85
Amount of principal of Permanent Fund in hand invested in 6 per cent first mortgage bonds of Cherokee Coal Mining Company, of Cherokee, Kas.		$4,000.00
Total principal on hand March 22	$4,030.85	$4,275.18

Respectfully submitted,

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

PERMANENT FUND.

The Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund submit the following:

1. That O. M. Stewart, J. E. Thackrey and George Kleinschmidt be appointed trustees, to serve three years.

2. That E. P. Anderson, O. M. Stewart and J. E. Thackrey be appointed a commission to assist the Trustee in creating interest in the fund and in directing the work throughout the Conference.

3. That W. F. Jones, W. R. McCormack, H. G. Mais, J. E. Thackrey, P. E. Pierce, W. D. Sidman and M. L. Curl be elected District Secretaries, whose work shall be to secure subscriptions and bequests for the fund, collect accounts, circulate printed matter in all our charges, or carry out any plans approved or suggested by the Commission. Also that the above named Commission and Secretaries constitute the Advisory Board.

T. H. HAGERTY, President.
H. G. MAIS, Secretary.

Publishing Interests.

The Methodist Book Concern was created by our itinerant ministry, and today is largely perpetuated by their loyalty. It is the property of our Church and is controlled by the agencies created by our General Conference. We rejoice therefore, in the work and prosperity of our publishing houses East and West. We are gratified at the increased volume and profits of the business and at the same time the maintaining of a high grade of literature. Our Christian Advocates rank with the best religious periodicals provided by any church.

Several of our papers this year show gratifying increase in their circulation. The Sunday School publications of Methodism, from leaflet to journal, are unexcelled, and we rejoice to feel that they are loyal to the doctrines and policy of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

We cordially commend the "Central Christian Advocate" and the "Epworth Herald" to our people and urge for them a larger circulation.

L. H. DORCHESTER, President.
G. H. COSPER, Secretary.

Reforms.

We hail with delight the evident tokens of better days in Missouri. The work of reform has made perceptible adavncement during the year. Some much needed legislation has been made, obnoxious gambling laws have been repealed and bill prohibiting bookmaking and pool selling in Missouri has been enacted. Our ministers and people have united with other civic societies united in urging our legislative bodies to give us immunity from the boodler and the gambler in our state.

The work of temperance and social reform has made perceptible progress, especially in some of our larger cities.

The work of the American Anti-Saloon League, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the Home Protective Federation of the City of St. Louis, have done magnificent service during the year and deserve our sympathy and encouragement.

We pledge ourselves to the extermination of the liquor traffic. We believe, as ever, that prohibition does prohibit and cite as an example the recent emancipation of Maine from the reign of rum rule.

S. W. M'CLURE, President.
GEO. W. SHEPHERD, Secretary.

Stewards.

To balance from last year	$ 11.22
From Chartered Fund	22.00
Interest on Permanent Fund	188.00
Bequest of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Jockers	70.07
Book Concern Dividend	1,124.00
Collection from Churches	2,806.00
Total	$4,221.29

Disbursed as follows:
See Conference Claimants' list, page 44.

The total claim is $9,675, of which we have paid 44 per cent. It affords us great pleasure to report an increase of $117 from the Book Concern, of $131 from the Churches, and of $146.88 from interest on Permanent Fund. These amounts, with the above named bequest, make an increase of $464.95 over last year. We recommend that $4,000 be apportioned to the charges; that the committee on Public Worship be instructed to arrange for a night service at the next session of our Conference, in the interest of

our Permanent Fund, and that L. H. Dorchester be appointed to deliver an address, with Dr. F. W. Luce as an alternate; and we urge every pastor to secure his collection in full and to increase our Permanent Fund.

SAMUEL WARNER,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Treasurer's Report, 1903-1904.

I. J. K. LUNBECK, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE FUND.

Dr.

To Benevolence Funds Received:

Total Collections Received	$76,620.77	
Less Amount Represented by Vouchers	57,966,75	
Total Cash From Collections	$19,654.02	
Interest on Permanent Fund and Notes	50.32	
Collected for Principal Permanent Fund	523.40	
Balance Cash From Last Year	7.50	
Total		$20,235.24

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By Disbursements (Vouchers Submitted):

Paid Through Jennings & Pye, Kansas City, to Missionary Society	$11,000.95	
Board of Church Extension	1,562.00	
Sunday School Union	218.00	
Tract Society	212.00	
Freedmen's Aid and So'n Education	1,255.00	
American Bible Society	146.00	
General Conference Expenses	595.00	
Episcopal Fund	895.00	
		$15,884.75
Paid S. Warner, Treasurer Conf. Stewards		2,730.12
J. H. Dameron, Treasurer Marionville Inst		508.00
J. S. Meracle, President Carleton College		325.00
W. F. McDowell, Cor. Sec. Children's Fund		230.00
Mrs. I. C Hodson, Treas. Wom. For. Miss. Soc.		12.50
Mrs. W. O. Miller, Treas. Wom. Home Miss. Soc.		9.00
Bethany Hospital		1.50
Placed to Account of Permanent Fund		532.60
Balance Cash on Hand		1.77
		$20,235.24

I. J. K. LUNBECK,
Treasurer St. Louis Conf.

The above Statement, Audited and Compared with Vouchers and found Correct.

Woman's Work.

The continued and constantly growing usefulness of the Woman's Foreign and Home Missionary Societies challenges our admiration and call forth devout thanksgiving to God for such efficient agents in our great work for the spread of the Gospel, both at home and abroad. We devoutly pray the continued blessings of God upon them, and will in all possible ways encourage and assist them among our people.

We still have great reason to rejoice in the continued usefulness of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and will gladly co-operate with them in the eradication of the monstrous evil of intemperance from our land.

T. H. HAGERTY,
D. T. SIMMONS.

Young People's Work.

1. We are informed by the General Secretary of the Epworth League that the organization has seen a marked numerical decline, especially in the rural districts. We recommend that during the coming year the pastors make special and concerted effort to increase the membership and efficiency of the League.

2. A larger place should be given in our thoughts and plans to the Junior League. In this Conference we believe its numerical strength to be less than half that of the Senior League. The reverse condition should exist.

3. We commend the Epworth Herald to all our young people and we rejoice in its increased prosperity. We urge that our pastors see to it that the officers of local Leagues co-operate with the General Secretary in his plans to enhance the effectiveness of the League.

4. We favor any movement that looks toward the closer affiliation of our League within the bounds of this Conference with the League organization of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

5. We recommend that each pastor see to it that a Bible study class be organized in each League Chapter.

6. We suggest that there be gathered through the Statistical Secretary annual statistics covering the status of the Leagues of our Conference and that the Presiding Elders be requested to urge at the fourth quarterly Conference of each charge where a League Chapter is maintained a full report of such statistics.

7. We regret that there is no state organization of our League in Missouri and suggest that district Epworth League Presidents may take active steps toward the formation of such an organization.

8. We extend on behalf of the General Entertainment Committee of the Seventh International Convention of the Epworth League an invitation to all our pastors and Leaguers to participate in the "Denver 1905" convention.

9. We nominate the following officers for the Conference Epworth League for this year: President, W. R. McCormack; Secretary, Harry C. Leonard; Junior League Superintendent, Mrs. F. P. Leckliter.

RALPH WAKEFIELD, Chairman.
JOHN W. COONTZ, Secretary.

Church Insurance.

The committee would urge the pastors to see to it that our Church property is adequately insured, and that so far as possible they be insured in this, our own society.

We recommend to our people the necessity of having a complete record of insurance of Church property, and of the expiration of the same.

We recommend to our people this organization as safe, sound and sensible, and a saving of expense of insurance on our property.

M. L. CURL, Chairman.
HARVEY A. JONES, Secretary.

Statistical Tables

1905.

WILLIAM D. SIDMAN, Statistical Secretary,
Osceola, Mo.

ISAAC J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer,
3918 E. 18th St., Kansas City, Mo.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

STATISTICS NOS. I AND IV. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																
																	Missions.				S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Cont. Expenses.
Anderson	....	137	4	...	1	2	2	15	100	3	2200	...	.....	600	....	400	2	....	....	2	...	....	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Avilla	1	152	1	1	...	4	1	20	85	2	3800	1	400	....	....	....	5	....	....	5	1	....	...	...	1	6	....	...	3	...	....	30	...
Butler	4	267	...	3	...	9	1	23	285	1	12000	1	1500	20	....	....	60	40	....	100	8	1	...	1	3	7	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Butler Ct.	32	223	...	1	2	43	1	12	125	3½	3000	1	800	45	....	....	15	....	....	15	5	...	...	...	6	5	7	...	....	....	....	....	...
Carl Junction	43	156	...	2	...	....	3	30	225	3	2700	1	200	10	....	....	27	13	....	40	5	1	...	1	5	4	4	...	....	....	....	75	...
Carterville	....	125	...	1	...	....	1	25	250	2	3800	1	1000	....	25	100	....	21	....	21	1	...	...	...	...	....	2	3	21	...	....	....	...
Carthage	65	810	1	7	3	23	1	44	500	2	26000	1	8000	281	....	....	444	100	....	544	71	8	...	8	63	50	19	...	509	30	142	....	...
Carthage Ct.	2	106	...	1	...	....	3	14	100	3	4800	1	1500	840	....	92	27	....	....	27	4	1	...	1	4	4	....	1	....	3	....	....	...
Chitwood	98	54	1	1	...	6	3	30	150	1	800	...	.....	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Diamond	....	23	1	...	...	....	1	7	56	2	1600	...	.....	60	....	....	3	7	....	10	2	...	...	...	1	1	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Golden City	7	140	1	2	...	3	1	23	135	1	4000	1	1000	135	....	....	45	9	....	54	10	2	...	2	9	6	5	1	....	....	....	33	...
Hume & Foster	16	244	...	3	...	7	4	39	272	4	4500	1	450	200	....	55	50	....	....	50	....	....	...	...	8	13	....	...	30	...	....	22	..
Iantha	16	151	...	...	...	10	4	48	150	4	4700	...	.....	140	....	....	20	....	....	20	4	1	...	...	...	4	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Jasp'r, Mt. Mor'h	6	215	...	5	3	8	2	29	250	2	3000	1	1200	....	....	....	45	10	....	55	5	1	...	1	5	5	7	1	74	...	....	12	...
Joplin, Byers Av.	14	173	2	2	1	7	1	22	213	1	5000	1	1400	654	67	....	40	20	....	60	16	2	...	2	10	10	4	2	2	2	....	3	...
Central Av.	4	80	...	1	...	....	1	12	120	1	2500	...	.....	10	80	....	7	19	....	26	...	...	...	...	...	....	6	...	....	....	....	5	...
..First Church	11	294	3	1	4	6	1	24	275	1	12000	1	3000	137	....	....	84	91	....	175	40	6	...	6	39	42	10	1	281	...	....	....	...
Missions	....	....	...	...	...	....	1	....	75	2	(500)	...	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Lamar	12	410	2	4	...	2	1	29	175	1	10000	1	12000	315	20	....	60	20	....	80	10	3	...	3	17	22	2	1	50	...	....	....	..
Lamar Ct.	....	....	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	..	....	...	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Liberal	....	77	1	3	2	2	1	17	90	1	1500	1	1000	479	25	385	21	7	....	28	3	1	...	1	1	3	3	1	2	...	....	17	...
Moundville	10	207	...	1	3	5	2	30	194	3	2900	1	600	300	....	....	7	13	....	20	3	...	...	...	2	8	3	...	....	....	....	....	...
Nashville	15	172	...	1	3	....	2	25	180	2	2700	1	500	200	....	....	45	....	....	45	10	2	...	2	9	11	....	1	....	....	....	....	...
Neosho	8	81	...	1	1	3	1	9	55	1	3000	...	.....	81	....	....	18	12	....	30	6	1	...	1	5	7	....	1	5	....	....	5	...
Nevada	2	24	1	1	1	12	1	23	182	1	7000	1	1200	104	90	....	85	25	....	110	20	3	...	3	19	12	....	1	14	....	....	16	...
Oronogo & Alba	37	101	1	...	7	9	3	32	200	2	3000	1	400	400	35	....	10	....	....	10	3	...	...	...	2	3	2	...	....	....	....	....	...
Rich Hill	20	190	...	...	...	....	1	17	160	1	7000	1	1200	500	....	375	30	....	....	30	7	2	...	2	5	....	7	1	5	5	....	40	...
Sarcoxie	27	226	3	3	3	10	3	37	195	3	3600	1	700	....	....	80	45	10	....	55	7	1	...	1	7	5	....	1	....	....	....	67	...
Seneca	16	173	...	4	2	7	3	29	150	4	5800	1	600	40	....	125	18	....	....	18	...	...	...	...	...	5	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Sheldon	4	135	...	1	2	6	2	24	90	2	1600	1	375	60	60	250	9	19	....	28	2	1	...	1	2	2	2	..1	....	....	....	....	...
Webb City	43	152	...	2	2	21	1	....	236	1	3000	1	700	....	....	....	4	53	....	57	10	...	2	2	9	11	5	1	....	....	....	80	...
	513	5517	22	52	40	205	52	689	5275	60½	148000	23	28925	5331	402	1862	1226	489	....	1715	232	37	2	38	232	246	89	18	996	40	142	546	...

STATISTICS No. III. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS, Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Anderson	(E. T. Everett)	*340	....	*340	200	....	200	140	34	26	3	...	226	...	...	...	4	24	..
Avilla	(William C. Heiskell)	455	45	500	360	45	405	95	50	28	5	1	434	2	...	2	60	....	..
Butler	Joel A. Barker	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	....	110	110	11	7	1217	10	...	10	260	140	..
Butler Circuit	Electious H. Sapp	600	100	700	560	100	660	40	70	66	6	5	731	7	...	7	....	32	..
Carl Junction	Guy Z. Moore	525	50	575	500	50	550	25	57	55	6	5	610	10	...	10	65	60	..
Carterville	Geo. H. Gideon	640	96	736	640	96	736	....	73	65	7	...	805	15	...	15	110	65	..
Carthage	Thomas W. Jeffrey	1800	400	2200	1800	400	2200	....	220	220	22	22	2242	100	100	200	750	370	..
Carthage Circuit	Walter E. Brown	500	100	600	450	100	550	50	60	45	5	...	600	10	...	10	45	30	..
Chitwood	(Leon H. Sweetland)	358	....	358	142	....	142	216	35	21	3	...	163	...	...	...	35	100	..
Diamond	(F. W. Richmond)	155	....	155	89	....	89	66	15	13	3	1	103	4	...	4	20	18	..
Golden City	Edwin T. Rice	600	60	660	544	60	604	56	66	61	6	6	671	11	...	11	98	61	33
Hume and Foster	J. C. Kirk	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	55	55	6	5	610	14	...	14	115	....	17
Iantha	William W. Creamer	400	....	400	278	72	350	122	40	35	4	4	389	4	4	8	100	....	..
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	William T. Ferguson	600	100	700	575	100	675	25	70	67	6	6	748	12	...	12	85	125	..
Joplin—Byers Ave.	David W. Crow	800	120	920	800	120	920	....	92	92	9	8	1020	25	...	25	135	74	..
—Central Ave.	(William Caskey)	*500	....	500	310	....	310	190	50	30	4	4	344	10	...	10	50	56	..
—First Church	William F. Jones	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	....	180	180	18	18	1988	50	...	50	536	226	..
—Missions		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
Lamar	Scott F. Stevens	900	100	1000	950	100	1050	....	100	105	10	10	1165	26	...	26	290	120	..
Lamar Circuit	(Scott F. Stevens)	100	....	100	....	....	....	100	10	....	1	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
Liberal	Geo. M. Foster	*400	100	500	400	100	500	....	50	45	5	4	549	10	...	10	50	40	..
Moundville	Edwin E. Sparks	525	50	575	446	50	496	79	57	47	5	2	545	7	...	7	75	53	..
Nashville	(Oscar V. Suter)	455	45	500	455	45	500	....	50	47	5	5	552	12	...	12	50	65	..
Neosho	William J. Simmons	*600	....	600	600	....	600	....	60	60	6	6	666	10	...	10	82	25	..
Nevada	Geo. H. Cosper	1050	150	1200	1050	150	1200	....	120	120	11	11	1331	26	...	26	440	63	.
Oronogo and Alba	Cyrus T. Harrison	*385	50	435	405	50	455	....	43	41	5	...	496	8	...	8	125	80	..
Rich Hill	Chas. C. James	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	90	90	9	5	995	10	...	10	90	95	..
Sarcoxie	Everett Simpson	675	75	750	625	75	700	50	75	70	7	6	776	15	...	15	100	115	..
Seneca	Silas A. French	625	60	685	507	60	567	118	68	58	6	4	629	8	...	8	125	75	..
Sheldon	(John H. Boner)	*350	50	400	350	50	400	....	40	40	4	4	444	5	3	8	60	64	..
Webb City	John E. Hall	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	70	70	6	6	776	25	...	25	100	236	..
		18738	2401	21193	17508	2401	19909	1300	2110	1952	204	160	22021	346	107	453	4075	2212	50

*Have missionary appropriations.

STATISTICS NOS. I AND IV. FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																	
																	Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.			
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total "	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
Advance	5	176	...	...	...	...	3	20	200	2	1500	2	900	...	700	300	5	3	...	8	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Birch Tree	12	80	2	...	1	15	4	35	225	4	3900	1	200	...	...	...	4	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Bismarck	11	155	2	1	3	31	1	6	80	3½	3500	...	...	50	...	...	8	4	...	12	4	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bloomfield	36	194	2	4	9	4	3	27	120	3	2400	1	500	75	...	...	15	2	...	17	3	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Bonne Terre	15	40	1	...	2	10	1	6	65	1	3600	1	1500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cross Roads	49	212	3	...	3	27	5	24	295	5	3500	1	300	20	...	...	4	6	...	10	4	...	...	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dexter	13	91	1	3	1	6	2	8	150	2	1800	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
De Soto	32	208	1	2	5	...	1	14	125	1	4500	1	1500	56	110	400	48	12	...	60	8	1	...	1	5	12	3	1	...	...	...	2	...
Doe Run	33	125	1	2	4	9	1	15	225	1	4000	...	...	...	10	10	15	30	...	45	9	2	...	1	8	9	10	1	...	...	...	...	...
Farmington	82	156	2	...	3	34	1	20	210	1	13000	1	2500	8500	...	...	10	35	...	45	10	2	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fairview	20	200	1	...	...	...	3	20	240	3	3200	1	500	...	...	...	5	5	...	10	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Flat River	6	50	...	...	...	6	1	6	70	1	1300	1	1000	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fruitland	3	119	...	1	2	...	1	14	75	1	2000	1	800	34	...	...	27	5	...	32	...	1	...	...	5	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Ironton	4	69	...	...	4	9	1	9	51	1	1200	1	550	35	...	...	10	10	...	20	3	1	...	1	3	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	1
Koshkonong	1	100	2	...	...	4	2	10	75	3	1500	...	...	25	...	...	3	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leemon	2	56	1	1	...	...	2	19	97	2	1500	...	...	...	...	...	17	5	...	22	2	1	...	...	2	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Lutesville	63	260	1	2	5	32	6	33	250	6	3750	1	500	130	...	127	4	...	...	4	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...
Palmer	15	75	4	...	...	...	1	5	75	1	800	1	200	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Perryville	3	36	...	...	5	2	1	4	26	4	4000	1	650	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Poplar Bluff	18	75	1	3	...	8	1	16	100	..	...	...	...	70	26	...	34	...	...	34	9	1	...	...	4	11	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Puxico	25	180	4	1	...	...	3	24	275	5	5000	1	750	...	...	200	4	2	...	6	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
West Plains	36	198	...	1	9	6	1	18	200	1	4000	2	3000	847	...	675	60	11	...	71	9	1	2	1	12	14	10	1	28	...	...	...	...
W. Plains Ct.	16	98	...	...	...	...	1	12	35	2	1200	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Willow Springs	13	66	1	...	...	9	1	11	150	1	2000	1	500	1500	68	...	9	13	...	22	8	...	1	1	2	2	3	1	...	1	...	...	1
Winona	26	150	3	1	3	20	2	9	160	2	1800	...	...	65	100	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	539	3169	33	22	59	232	49	385	3574	56½	74950	19	15850	11407	1014	1712	308	143	...	451	83	12	4	8	56	89	34	11	30	4	...	2	3

STATISTICS No. III.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Advance		*400	100	500	250	100	350	150	35	32	4	1	383	2	...	2	20	40	..
Birch Tree	(D. L. Walker)	*415	50	465	253	50	303	162	50	36	4	...	339	...	...	...	35	64	..
Bismark		325	....	325	250	....	250	75	40	40	4	1	291	3	...	3	25	24	..
Bloomfield	(Ralph Martin)	*320	60	380	195	60	255	125	50	48	5	...	303	2	...	2	30	50	..
Bonne Terre		*300	120	420	120	120	240	180	45	30	4	...	270	...	...	...	30	24	..
Cross Roads	(A. F. Slinkhard	*300	30	330	230	30	260	70	40	40	4	1	301	3	...	3	100	40	..
Dexter	(M. S. Bumpus)	*220	....	220	205	....	205	15	30	25	2	...	230	...	...	...	20	20	..
De Soto	Wm. Leatherman	800	120	920	800	120	920	....	90	90	7	5	1015	16	...	16	89	80	..
Doe Run	E. D. C. Koeth	625	100	725	630	100	730	....	70	70	5	5	805	14	...	14	90	88	..
Farmington	W. R. McCormack	800	150	950	800	150	950	....	75	75	7	...	1025	5	...	5	94	74	..
Fairview	(S. R. Winkler)	*425	60	485	85	60	145	340	60	50	6	...	195	...	...	...	.....	.....	..
Flat River	(E. H. Maynard)	*300	120	420	150	120	270	150	55	40	4	...	310	1	...	1	25	30	..
Fruitland	A. M. Dixon	450	100	550	351	100	451	99	50	49	4	4	504	8	...	8	30	20	..
Ironton	(T. G. Peterson)	*300	100	400	305	100	405	....	40	40	4	2	447	5	...	5	45	18	..
Koshkonong	(J. M. Swan)	*130	....	130	100	....	100	30	30	30	2	1	131	...	...	...	5	24	..
Leemon	(A. K. Stevenson)	*200	....	200	70	....	70	130	32	32	3	3	105	5	...	5	8	17	..
Lutesville	(A. M. Stickney)	*465	60	525	400	60	460	65	50	50	4	3	513	4	...	4	50	50	..
Palmer	(D. P. Cole)	*315	30	345	140	30	170	175	50	45	4	...	215	...	...	...	20	20	..
Perryville	(W. S. Winkler)	*275	60	335	41	60	101	234	40	40	4	...	141	...	...	...	.....	.....	..
Poplar Bluff	G. B. Thomas	*720	....	720	567	....	567	153	60	60	5	4	631	9	...	9	45	80	..
Puxico		375	100	475	200	100	300	775	60	50	6	1	351	1	...	1	20	40	..
West Plains	H. White	900	150	1050	900	150	1050	....	100	100	8	8	1158	20	...	20	148	65	..
West Plains Cir'ct	(J. M. Willard)	*200	....	200	151	....	151	49	35	....	3	...	151	...	...	...	.....	.....	..
Willow Springs	A. J. May	*328	72	400	300	72	372	28	50	42	4	2	416	4	...	4	22	33	..
Winona	(J. M. Crisel)	*250	....	250	180	....	180	70	40	40	3	...	220	...	...	...	25	30	..
		10138	1582	11720	7673	1582	9255	2475	1277	1154	110	41	10450	102	...	102	974	931	..

*Have missionary appropriations.

Farmington should be credited with $7.00 for Episcopal fund.

STATISTICS NOS. I AND IV.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																	
																	Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.			
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probate Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Child en's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
Adrian	12	150	...	...	1	1	2	22	170	2	2400	1	800	...	...	...	40	20	...	60	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Austin	(5	156	...	...	...	...	2	17	66	2	3000	1	500)	...	...	...	54	6	...	60	12	1	...	1	9	...	12	2	...	...	...	...	3
Amsterdam	22	89	...	...	...	8	2	23	95	2	2000	...	...	...	...	...	19	4	...	23	2	1	...	...	1	3	4	1	...	...	...	...	...
Belton	9	100	...	1	...	7	1	12	50	1	1500	1	1000	40	...	...	32	8	...	40	3	1	...	1	4	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Centerview	(32	184	...	...	...	...	2	23	100	3	3000)	.	...	...	...	...	25	15	...	40	1	1	...	1	2	2	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drexel	7	124	...	1	...	5	2	12	107	2	3100	...	...	25	...	...	25	...	...	25	3	1	...	1	4	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
East Lynne	10	144	...	7	3	1	2	23	125	2¼	3900	1	800	50	...	...	27	13	...	40	1	...	...	...	6	10	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Garden City	9	105	...	3	3	5	2	13	100	2	3100	...	...	60	50	200	6	2	...	8	...	1	...	...	1	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Harrisonville	4	36	...	1	1	2	1	6	30	1	2500	...	...	6	...	575	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	10	...
Holden	7	160	...	...	...	5	1	13	120	1	3500	1	1500	25	...	...	10	50	...	60	3	...	3	1	2	2	1	1	20	...	...	5	...
Independence	27	185	1	...	4	18	1	12	125	1	24000	...	...	4500	...	4000	20	30	...	50	6	...	...	...	...	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kas. City, Ar'ton	68	462	3	2	7	16	1	47	550	1	7000	1	4000	100	27	450	185	100	...	285	40	5	...	5	25	10	8	5	159	197	38	50	...
Ben'ton Hgts	65	140	...	...	3	13	1	15	154	1	6000	...	...	...	40	275	50	31	...	81	10	...	2	2	9	10	7	2	2	21	...	40	2
Grace	42	82	...	2	4	8	1	32	312	1	12000	...	...	1160	...	3484	13	40	...	53	8	1	...	...	6	4	4	...	4	5	...	20	...
Grand Av.	53	682	...	14	17	9	1	32	275	1	125000	...	...	140	...	...	926	74	100	1100	420	30	...	30	145	70	25	5	400	401	467	445	...
Howard Mem.	12	407	1	9	10	12	1	32	200	1	40000	1	5000	19000	1000	14000	150	50	...	200	30	4	...	4	27	28	8	2	123	...	...	...	...
Indep. Av.	114	1193	...	14	27	42	1	67	800	1	100000	1	10000	...	10500	28000	800	200	...	1000	100	10	...	10	100	100	...	10	546	127	369	2950	...
Linwood Blvd.	53	331	...	3	15	...	1	31	294	1	30000	...	...	4200	...	12000	147	93	...	240	45	4	...	4	35	40	26	2	96	75	...	302	...
Mt. Wash-gton.	...	15	...	...	...	...	1	5	30	1	800	...	...	...	200	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oakhurst	17	147	...	1	6	13	1	17	190	1	20000	...	...	10000	200	8000	39	41	...	80	14	2	...	2	12	14	...	1	120	38	100	20	4
Oakley	16	530	...	3	32	12	1	48	546	1	25000	...	...	946	800	11000	178	50	...	228	30	2	...	2	20	17	5	2	241	...	89	390	...
Phoenix Park	2	34	...	...	...	3	1	10	87	1	3200	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	10	3	...	...	...	3	3	2	1	...	...	...	12	...
Summit St.	21	142	...	1	3	2	1	20	240	1	5000	...	...	200	...	...	40	40	...	80	16	3	...	1	5	3	2	1	...	...	126	...	...
Lee's Summit	3	158	...	...	...	2	1	16	101	1	3500	1	1500	170	...	...	44	12	...	56	7	2	...	2	6	6	7	1	...	...	...	15	...
Oak Grove	2	198	...	...	...	...	3	22	175	5	4000	1	1500	50	...	...	39	4	...	43	5	1	...	1	5	2	3	1	...	...	...	19	1
Pleasant Hill	24	165	...	...	2	14	1	17	158	1	6000	1	2200	1113	467	...	10	5	...	15	2	...	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	636	6119	5	62	138	198	35	527	5175	38½	448100	11	28800	41785	13284	82098	2879	901	100	3880	763	70	5	68	430	342	135	39	1718	864	1189	4278	11

STATISTICS No. III. KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS, Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Adrian	(Thos. P. Woodson)	500	50	550	467	50	517	33	55	52	7	4	573	4	...	4	....	....	..
Austin	(D. Wesley Britton)	600	50	650	600	50	650	....	65	65	8	8	723	15	...	15	100	35	..
Amsterdam	(Harry R. Osborne)	*400	....	400	400	....	400	....	40	40	5	3	443	3	...	3	50	35	..
Belton	V. C. Thomas	*475	100	575	475	100	575	....	57	57	7	5	637	15	...	15	25	20	..
Centerview	Floyd O. Moore	*350	....	350	308	....	308	42	35	35	5	5	348	10	...	10	109	35	..
Drexel	W. T. Gatley	550	50	600	550	50	510	40	55	54	7	4	568	7	...	7	....	....	..
East Lynne	B. E. Niblack	550	....	550	510	....	600	....	60	45	7	7	652	6	...	6	100	50	..
Garden City	W. F. Baker	325	....	325	295	....	295	30	32	30	4	...	325	3	...	3	80	15	..
Harrisonville		*250	....	250	150	....	150	100	25	15	3	...	165	...	...	...	....	....	10
Holden	Geo. A. Glens	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	70	70	9	7	777	10	...	10	109	62	..
Independence	J. J. Martin	800	240	1040	850	240	1090	....	104	94	11	4	1188	10	2	12	220	145	..
Kansas City—Arlington	S. J. Heaton	1450	200	1650	1450	350	1800	....	165	180	23	20	2000	55	...	55	450	280	..
Bennington Heights	Samuel Warner	625	....	625	625	....	625	....	62	62	8	8	695	16	...	16	100	94	25
Grace	John E. Thackrey	728	....	728	728	....	728	....	72	72	10	6	806	12	...	12	152	110	..
Grand Avenue	Wm. A. Quayle	3600	600	4200	3600	600	4200	....	420	420	56	56	4676	275	...	275	1200	380	..
Howard Memorial	J. W. Stewart	1400	400	1800	1400	400	1800	....	180	180	20	15	1995	40	...	40	300	200	..
Independence Avenue	Matt S. Hughes	4250	600	4850	4250	600	4850	....	485	485	60	40	5375	250	...	250	8505	725	..
Linwood Boulevard	S. B. Campbell	1920	....	1920	1920	....	1920	....	192	192	26	26	2138	65	...	65	732	263	..
Mt. Washington		156	....	156	100	....	100	56	15	15	2	...	115	...	...	...	....	....	..
Oakhurst	J. W. Coontz	850	....	850	850	....	850	....	85	85	11	11	946	18	...	18	94	79	..
Oakley	G. H. Bradford	2000	....	2000	2000	....	2000	....	200	200	27	12	2212	25	...	25	850	460	2
Phoenix Park	I. J. K. Lunbeck	*200	....	200	122	....	122	78	20	12	2	2	136	4	...	4	45	73	..
Summit Street	O. M. Stewart	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	100	100	14	10	1110	12	12	24	185	65	..
Lee's Summit	W. K. Collins	580	120	700	580	120	700	....	70	70	9	6	776	14	...	14	125	91	..
Oak Grove	E. F. Miller	594	100	694	545	100	645	49	69	64	8	5	714	4	...	4	62	65	..
Pleasant Hill	L. M. Thompson	800	120	920	800	120	920	....	92	92	12	8	1020	8	...	8	213	63	..
		25553	2730	28283	25175	2880	28055	428	2825	2786	361	272	31113	881	14	895	13806	3345	37

*Have missionary appropriations.

STATISTICS NOS. I AND IV. LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS		SUNDAY SCHOOLS			CHURCH PROPERTY.							BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																	
																	MISSIONS.					S.S UN.				EDUCATION.				W.H.M SOC.			
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Cont. Expenses.
Ava	(1	126	2	1	1	2	...	....	....	3	2500	1	800	.....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....	...
Buffalo	3	122	2	1	...	4	1	10	80	1	5000	1	1000	18	....	....	20	....	...	20	3	1	...	1	3	2	4	1	....	....	....	....	...
Buffalo Ct.	8	130	...	1	...	4	2	....	....	4	2400	1	200	50	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
California	9	100	...	1	1	....	2	22	100	2¼	2800	1	500	10	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Conway	25	225	1	5	...	15	2	17	100	5	3700	1	600	60	32	90	22	....	...	22	5	...	1	1	2	1	2	1	....	....	....	....	...
Eldon	5	175	1	3	4	9	2	21	145	3	4000	1	500	150	....	....	14	11	...	25	5	1	...	1	5	5	7	1	....	....	....	....	...
Gainesville	1	111	1	1	...	4	2	9	61	2	1400	1	200	75	....	150	1	....	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	....	....	....	....	...
Hartville	18	146	2	2	...	2	2	18	225	3	2500	1	600	100	....	....	12	....	...	12	2	...	...	...	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Houston & Cab'l.	1	90	2	...	1	....	2	18	150	2	2600	2	1000	.....	....	....	4	6	...	10	1	...	...	1	1	....	1	1	....	....	....	....	...
Iberia	(12	179	...	...	...	....	3	37	150	4	2800	1	250)	.....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Lebanon	18	182	1	2	1	15	1	14	115	1	5000	1	1800	213	....	....	67	8	...	75	12	1	...	1	11	13	6	2	11	...	....	10	...
Licking	23	156	2	2	...	2	1	5	35	2	1400	1	400	150	120	80	20	....	...	20	2	1	...	...	2	2	....	1	....	....	....	....	...
Linn Creek	(7	154	2	...	...	....	3	45	175	2½	1500	...	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Macomb	2	120	2	5	...	....	2	10	60	4	2000	...	.....	180	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Mountain Grove	2	76	3	3	...	1	1	19	110	1	3000	1	1200	32	....	280	40	10	...	50	8	...	...	...	5	5	3	...	....	....	....	10	...
Newb'g & Dixon	4	98	1	2	1	....	2	18	128	2	2000	1	500	85	....	....	21	....	...	21	2	2	...	1	3	7	....	1	1	1	....	....	...
Orla	19	180	...	4	11	22	2	12	56	3	1500	...	.....	329	....	....	2	....	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Phillipsburg	7	60	...	3	...	....	1	9	60	3	2100	1	300	77	....	....	2	....	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	....	....	....	....	...
Richland	5	126	...	2	3	6	1	15	112	1	2000	1	500	.....	....	....	24	16	...	40	6	1	...	1	5	7	2	1	....	....	....	....	...
Richland Ct.	26	128	...	...	...	6	3	....	100	3	1800	...	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Rolla	2	140	1	1	...	3	1	14	145	1	7000	1	1000	25	....	....	50	25	...	75	10	1	...	1	8	12	6	1	10	....	....	....	...
Seymour	1	135	1	...	...	4	2	24	215	2	3400	1	600	485	....	....	5	....	...	5	2	...	...	...	...	....	2	...	....	....	....	....	...
Success	13	60	1	2	...	8	...	....	....	2	600	...	.....	42	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Tuscumbia	22	47	. 6	...	...	....	3	14	66	¼	250	...	.....	.....	....	....	10	....	...	10	2	...	1	1	1	2	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Upshaw Ct.	29	56	3	...	...	6	1	5	30	3	1700	...	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Urbana	16	200	2	1	3	4	1	9	80	4	2200	1	100	.....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Vichy	28	102	...	1	...	....	2	10	103	2	2000	1	400	52	....	....	4	....	...	4	2	...	...	1	1	2	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
	307	3421	30	44	26	117	45	375	2601	66	71150	21	12450	2073	152	600	318	76	...	394	64	8	2	10	49	64	35	10	22	1	....	20	...

STATISTICS No. III. LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Ava	(L. R. Fitch)	*350	50	400	....	....	....	....	40	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
Buffalo	F. P. Reno	550	50	600	550	50	600	....	60	60	6	3	663	5	....	5	90	25	..
Buffalo Circuit	(B. Kitterman)	*300	25	325	100	25	125	200	24	10	3	....	135	....	....	....	....	....	..
California	W. H. Yount	*400	75	475	175	75	250	235	57	57	5	....	307	....	....	....	20	20	..
Conway	J. W. Slusher	*465	40	505	385	40	425	80	60	52	4	4	481	6	....	6	45	65	..
Eldon	C. F. Tippin	450	50	500	460	50	510	....	60	60	5	4	574	6	....	6	50	51	..
Gainsville	(A. L. Simmons)	*200	....	200	124	....	124	76	24	22	2	....	144	2	....	2	....	....	..
Hartville	T. J. Gideon	360	40	400	276	40	316	84	48	40	4	....	356	2	....	2	50	25	..
Houston and Cabool	(G. P. Miller)	300	....	300	313	....	313	....	30	32	3	2	347	2	....	2	40	38	..
Iberia	John L. Nations	*400	30	430	....	....	....	....	40	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
Lebanon	Henry G. Mais	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	99	108	9	10	1018	13	....	13	100	55	..
Licking	N. H. Hudson	400	60	460	400	60	460	....	55	55	5	2	517	3	....	3	42	15	..
Linn Creek	(L. W. Pickens)	300	....	300	....	....	....	....	36	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
Macomb	(Wm. Baker)	155	....	155	77	....	77	78	18	11	1	....	88	1	....	1	....	12	..
Mountain Grove	B. D. Jones	550	100	650	550	100	650	....	78	78	6	....	728	8	....	8	65	50	..
Newburg and Dixon	B. F. January	*400	....	400	228	....	228	172	48	48	4	2	278	10	....	10	100	65	..
Orla	(Wm. McClanahan)	180	....	180	170	....	170	10	20	20	2	....	190	2	....	2	....	....	..
Phillipsburg	(F. D. Stickney)	*230	20	250	200	20	220	30	30	25	2	....	245	1	....	1	30	25	..
Richland	T. P. Shaffer	*450	50	500	461	50	511	....	60	50	5	5	566	7	....	7	80	70	..
Richland Circuit	(Geo. D. Wough)	300	....	300	86	....	86	214	30	15	3	....	101	....	....	....	....	....	..
Rolla	F. S. Beggs	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	96	96	8	10	906	12	....	12	85	55	..
Seymour	John H. Frazier	400	....	400	400	....	400	....	48	48	5	2	450	5	....	5	50	75	..
Success	(E. J. Dunaway)	250	....	250	115	....	115	135	20	15	2	....	130	....	....	....	....	....	..
Tuscumbia	(F. M. Stickney)	115	....	115	73	....	73	42	14	14	1	1	88	2	....	2	....	....	..
Upshaw Circuit	(W. W. Hendrickson)	180	....	180	116	....	116	64	20	16	2	....	132	....	....	....	4	3	..
Urbana	(A. B. Jones)	400	....	400	55	....	55	345	40	40	4	....	95	....	....	....	20	6	..
Vichy	(Marion A. Kerr)	375	25	400	338	25	363	37	40	34	4	1	398	1	....	1	25	24	..
		9960	815	10775	7152	735	7887	1772	1195	1006	106	46	8939	88	....	88	896	679	..

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ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

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																	Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Cuba	15	104	1	...	5	....	2	19	125	3	2000	1	500	55	100	....	....	10	...	10	2	1	...	1	2	....	2	1	....	1	....	....	...
Pacific	4	39	...	1	...	....	2	19	123	2	3500	...	.....	10	400	....	20	10	...	30	5	1	...	1	5	5	....	1	....	....	....	....	...
St. Louis, Baden	55	30	...	2	3	2	1	7	105	1	9000	1	2000	2200	45	5500	20	20	...	40	5	1	...	1	5	5	3	1	20	1	82	704	...
Bowman	72	299	...	2	16	10	1	42	573	1	9000	...	.....	1600	....	1500	124	8	25	230	2	10	...	1	20	16	4	2	83	...	....	178	...
Carondelet	25	165	1	4	9	....	1	20	168	1	10000	...	.....	402	....	....	10	20	...	30	2	3	...	2	3	....	10	1	30	...	....	....	...
Dr. Fry Mem	15	126	1	3	6	5	1	15	150	..	....	...	.....	.....	....	....	92	8	30	130	15	12	...	2	10	15	....	2	93	56	64	203	...
Goode Av.	5	157	1	2	8	2	1	32	225	1	6000	...	.....	120	....	....	45	16	...	61	8	1	...	1	5	....	10	2	30	2	....	66	...
Harlem Place	2	102	...	1	8	3	1	18	130	1	4500	...	.....	550	....	....	14	31	1	46	7	...	1	1	5	7	....	1	....	....	....	15	...
Jennings	3	17	...	...	2	....	1	8	48	1	2000	...	.....	.....	....	....	2	11	...	13	1	...	...	...	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
Lindell Av	27	337	1	4	6	4	1	32	196	1	125000	1	15000	.....	2200	....	1573	117	...	1690	125	10	...	5	120	240	15	15	365	447	....	7605	...
Maple Av	10	373	...	1	6	3	1	34	250	1	75000	1	6500	100	10479	25500	225	25	...	250	35	3	...	3	30	....	30	3	267	65	97	175	...
Maplewood	....	45	...	...	1	1	1	6	60	..	1500	...	.....	765	725	....	6	....	...	6	2	1	...	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	....	4	...
Neid'gh's Mem.	....	....	...	...	...	....	1	....	315	..	....	...	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	...	....	...	...	...	...	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	....	...
St. Luke's	15	89	...	1	8	12	1	19	191	1	9000	1	8000	800	....	7000	38	12	...	50	8	4	...	1	6	4	6	1	....	16	....	50	...
Wagoner Mem.	11	222	...	3	9	1	1	34	328	1	40000	...	.....	7500	....	12500	60	20	35	115	15	2	...	2	10	15	....	2	....	....	....	94	...
Trinity	150	344	1	2	26	24	1	37	440	1	25000	...	.....	.....	560	600	75	7	...	82	15	...	1	3	12	20	8	3	84	...	....	113	...
Tuxedo & Sh'b'y	2	67	1	1	5	....	3	14	120	2	2800	1	150	45	....	....	17	8	...	25	5	4	1	1	2	2	3	1	....	...	...	141	...
Union	30	707	4	6	30	20	3	75	380	1	50000	1	5000	67	....	....	775	225	...	1000	50	5	13	5	25	59	31	5	542	154	167	3018	10
Salem	....	65	...	1	...	5	2	15	54	2	1500	1	800	9	....	....	4	1	...	5	2	1	...	1	1	2	2	1	....	...	....	....	...
Sligo	35	17	...	...	...	11	1	12	120	1	1000	1	600	22	....	....	15	10	...	25	5	1	...	1	3	0	2	1	2	3	...	.....	...
Sullivan	22	79	3	2	6	1	1	10	50	1	1600	...	.....	125	22	200	31	4	...	35	5	1	...	1	2	1	4	1	....	...	....	....	...
	498	3374	14	36	154	104	28	468	4151	23	388400	9	38550	14370	14531	52800	3116	642	91	3879	334	61	18	34	267	398	130	45	1516	744	410	12386	10

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Cuba	(W. W. Smith)	400	75	475	350	62	412	63	40	40	2	1	453	10	...	10	55	60	...
Pacific	(M. H. Wright)	*500	....	500	544	....	544	....	40	30	3	3	577	10	...	10	83	48	...
St. Louis—Baden	R. T. Smith	850	300	1150	1050	300	1350	....	55	55	5	5	1410	10	...	10	145	55	...
Bowman	F. W. Simpson	1250	....	1250	1250	....	1250	....	95	95	15	8	1353	25	...	25	340	335	71
Carondelet	C. L. Halterman	900	....	900	900	....	900	....	70	70	15	5	975	10	...	10	181	142	...
Dr. Fry Memorial	M. L. Curl	1250	....	1250	1250	....	1250	....	95	95	15	15	1360	25	...	25	300	175	78
Goode Avenue	Charles McCoard	1000	....	100	1000	....	1000	....	70	65	15	5	1070	10	...	10	321	224	...
Harlem Place	H. C. Leonard	800	....	800	800	....	800	....	50	55	5	5	860	15	...	15	125	115	...
Jennings	(J. B. Brewington)	250	....	250	260	....	260	....	25	9	2	1	270	8	...	8	35	28	...
Lindell Avenue	L. H. Dorchester	4000	1000	5000	4000	1000	5000	....	485	485	100	100	5585	225	...	225	7000	175	...
Maple Avenue	Frank W. Luce	2500	500	3000	2500	500	3000	....	210	210	30	30	3240	75	...	75	4366	300	...
Maplewood	(W. L. Gray)	*500	....	500	600	....	600	....	30	30	2	1	631	2	...	2	100	25	...
Neidringhaus Mem'r'l	H. L. Harvey	1200	....	1200	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
St. Luke's	D. E. Standard	750	....	750	750	....	750	....	60	60	5	5	815	15	...	15	159	192	...
Wagoner Memorial	Ralph Wakefield	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	70	70	15	15	1085	25	...	25	275	380	...
Trinity	G. W. Shepherd	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	85	80	15	7	1287	15	...	15	270	160	6
Tuxedo and Shrews	W. B. Van Valkenburg	*450	....	450	390	....	390	60	30	30	3	3	423	10	...	10	130	50	...
Union	N. Luccock	3600	600	4200	3600	600	4200	....	400	400	80	80	4680	200	...	200	4700	450	...
Salem	G. T. Bechtel	*375	75	450	250	75	325	125	30	30	2	2	357	5	...	5	35	22	...
Sligo	Wm. T. Pare	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	30	30	3	3	733	5	...	5	45	36	...
Sullivan	L. R. Nichols	*300	....	300	300	....	300	....	30	30	2	2	332	5	...	5	71	15	...
		23675	2650	26325	22594	2637	25231	248	2000	1969	334	296	27496	705	...	705	18736	2987	155

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	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Alberta	10	150	...	...	...	2	3	25	180	4	3600	1	550	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Appleton City	3	198	1	2	...	....	2	25	225	2	3500	1	600	35	....	....	103	15	50	168	17	3	...	3	15	20	5	2	35	...	....	....	7	...
Clinton	30	376	2	5	2	9	1	30	313	1	16000	...	.....	1586	600	272	96	84	65	245	21	4	...	4	20	22	7	2	45	...	....	100		...
Deepwater	23	215	...	1	1	6	2	26	110	2	3000	...	.....	124	....	....	50	5	....	55	8	2	...	2	6	8	2	1	5	2	....	15		...
Eldorado Springs	22	164	1	4	5	11	1	22	223	1	1200	1	550	....	....	....	3	....	....	3	1	...	...	2	9	13	10	1	....	....	....	27		...
Eldo'do Spgs. Ct.	14	150	...	...	...	2	2	24	175	4	3600	1	600	85	....	....	34	7	....	41	4	...	...	...	...	....	2	...	....	....	....	....		...
Green Ridge	32	212	...	2	1	28	3	35	200	3	5000	1	600	....	....	....	20	....	....	20	5	...	2	1	3	4	5	1	....	....	....	....		...
Huntingdale	15	190	...	2	...	6	2	....	40	3	4000	1	500	....	....	....	3	....	....	3	10	...	1	1	3	....	3	...	26	....	....	....		...
Knob Noster	....	166	...	4	1	2	3	24	194	4	5100	1	800	242	....	....	36	....	....	36	1	1	2	2	7	4	5	4	....	....	....	21		...
Lamonte	15	150	...	2	3	17	2	17	125	2½	3500	1	600	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	1	2	....	5	1	....	....	....	....		...
Linc'n & Wars'w	4	100	...	2	...	1	2	19	60	1½	1400	...	.....	16	....	....	21	1	....	22	5	1	...	...	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....		...
Lowry City	5	128	...	...	...	....	2	20	80	2	2000	1	900	....	....	....	63	12	14	119	12	2	...	1	3	15	3	1	....	....	....	....		...
Malta Bend	14	125	2	1	...	10	1	14	65	2	2400	1	600	....	....	....	45	5	....	50	7	...	1	1	6	7	2	1	....	....	....	....		...
Marshall	....	103	1	2	1	3	1	11	75	1	11000	...	.....	....	3933	....	4	2	....	6	...	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	....	....	....		...
Montrose	7	200	...	...	...	4	3	27	148	4	4000	1	500	103	....	....	10	2	....	12	2	1	...	1	2	1	6	1	....	....	....	....		...
Od'sa & Hig'sv'le	28	151	...	1	1	30	2	16	100	3	5000	1	1500	150	....	....	25	....	....	25	4	1	...	1	4	5	....	....	....	....	....	....		...
Pilot Grove	....	119	...	1	...	....	1	13	150	1¼	1200	1	750	22	....	....	13	10	....	23	5	1	...	1	4	3	2	1	....	....	....	....		...
Rockville	17	165	...	1	3	14	2	22	108	3	3300	1	800	161	134	....	13	6	....	19	1	1	...	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	....		...
Schell City	14	147	...	3	9	....	2	16	175	2	2800	1	800	160	....	....	17	35	....	52	8	1	...	1	8	8	6	1	....	....	....	....		...
Sedalia, Epworth	8	248	...	3	16	3	2	21	220	2	12000	1	2000	300	150	976	70	5	....	75	3	1	...	1	2	2	....	1	....	....	....	....		...
First Church	40	535	2	9	5	21	1	36	400	1	35000	...	.....	200	500	3450	125	100	....	225	38	...	10	6	38	35	10	3	82	...	....	500		...
Smithton	2	250	...	1	1	10	1	15	150	1	4000	1	1200	650	....	....	80	10	....	90	14	3	...	3	13	16	....	2	....	....	....	....		...
Tipton	110	97	1	...	1	1	1	15	90	1¼	2400	1	900	450	60	200	50	....	....	50	7	1	...	...	7	7	....	1	65	....	....	....		...
Warrensburg	62	449	1	5	...	12	1	25	235	1	17000	1	3000	64	....	....	50	40	....	90	10	1	...	1	10	10	....	2	52	....	....	....		...
Windsor	45	146	...	4	7	7	1	10	127	2	3900	1	1300	327	115	....	15	5	....	20	2	1	...	1	2	2	2	1	....	....	....	....		...
	523	4954	11	56	57	199	45	508	3968	54*	155900	20	19050	4675	5492	4898	946	344	159	1449	185	25	16	35	165	183	75	27	310	2	....	670		...

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Alberta		375	25	400	109	25	134	266	42	29	4	...	163	...	...	...	20	25	..
Appleton City	Perry E. Pierce	840	60	900	840	60	900	....	95	95	9	9	1004	25	...	25	135	120	..
Clinton	Frank Neff	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	126	126	11	11	1337	36	...	36	230	140	..
Deepwater	W. F. Baker	575	....	575	575	....	575	....	60	60	7	7	642	15	...	15	75	64	15
Eldorado Springs	H. A. Mitchell	510	90	600	515	90	605	....	63	63	7	7	675	16	70	86	92	56	.
Eldorado Sp'gs Circuit	(J. F. Johnson)	225	....	225	95	....	95	130	24	12	4	...	107	...	...	...	20	....	19
Green Ridge	L. L. Brannon	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	58	57	7	7	614	12	...	12	60	42	..
Huntingdale	J. H. Hurley	430	50	480	428	50	478	2	50	50	6	2	530	14	...	14	25	....	..
Knob Noster	(Chas. J. Wegener)	540	60	600	345	60	405	195	63	44	6	...	449	15	...	15	33	56	..
Lamonte	Edward Turrentine	315	50	365	306	50	356	9	38	38	6	3	397	...	...	...	45	40	5
Lincoln and Warsaw	(Geo. T. Beard)	*300	50	350	185	50	235	115	41	13	4	...	248	...	...	...	26	....	..
Lowry City	(J. C. Stille)	*300	....	300	214	....	214	86	36	28	4	4	246	11	...	11	41	40	..
Malta Bend	H. A. Dougherty	625	75	700	625	75	700	....	74	73	8	8	781	18	...	18	80	50	..
Marshall		600	....	600	369	....	369	231	94	40	8	...	409	...	...	...	120	45	..
Montrose	Laban Anderson	400	50	450	357	50	407	43	47	43	6	3	453	5	...	5	90	41	..
Odessa and Higginsv'l.	H. A. Babbitt	*600	100	700	475	100	575	125	79	60	8	5	640	5	...	5	50	40	..
Pilot Grove	(O. T. Usleman)	500	50	550	402	50	452	98	58	50	7	5	507	10	...	10	50	21	..
Rockville	Clinton Senneff	*500	60	560	384	60	444	116	63	50	7	3	497	6	...	6	90	20	..
Schell City	T. E. Prall	500	60	560	500	60	560	....	59	59	7	6	625	15	...	15	89	56	..
Sedalia—Epworth	S. W. McClure	*705	100	805	785	100	885	....	93	93	9	3	981	21	...	21	310	75	..
Sedalia—1st Church	S. S. Martin	1500	....	1500	1545	....	1545	....	152	158	17	17	1720	50	...	50	700	300	15
Smithton	Clarke Baker	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	84	84	9	9	893	20	...	20	100	40	..
Tipton	A. M. Crippin	*380	50	430	360	50	410	20	49	49	6	6	465	15	...	15	70	37	..
Warrensburg	W. C. Coleman	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	105	105	11	11	1116	27	...	27	242	74	..
Windsor	(P. R. Hoos)	*350	50	400	400	50	450	....	53	52	5	5	507	6	...	6	60	32	..
		14370	1230	15600	13114	1230	14344	1436	1706	1531	183	131	16006	342	70	412	2853	1414	44

*Have missionary a ppropriations.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership. Probationers.	Membership. Full Members.	Membership. Local Preachers.	Membership. Deaths.	Baptisms. Children	Baptisms. Adults.	Sunday Schools. No of Schools.	Sunday Schools. Officers & Teachers	Sunday Schools. Scholars.	Church Property. No. of Churches.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. No. of Parsonages.	Church Property. Probable Value.	Church Property. Paid for Building and Improvements.	Church Property. Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Church Property. Present Indebtedness.	Benevolent Collections. Missions. From Churches	Missions. Fr'm Sunday School	Missions. Special Gifts.	Missions. Total	Board of Church Ex.	S.S Un. Church	S.S Un. Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Education. Public Education Collection.	Education. Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	W.H.M Soc. Cash.	W.H.M Soc. Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
Ash Grove	2	127	1	2	...	1	2	8	60	4	3000	1	750	...	...	300	9	...	...	9	...	1	...	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aurora	4	120	...	2	...	...	1	18	160	1	1600	...	...	...	...	...	23	7	...	30	7	1	...	1	2	8	...	1	...	...	...	85	...
Billings	1	100	...	1	...	...	1	13	95	1	1000	1	400	30	...	...	12	...	...	12	3	1	...	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Boaz	(50)	150	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2000)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bolivar	2	207	...	1	7	6	1	19	125	1	2500	1	1200	30	...	...	86	14	...	100	12	2	...	2	10	12	5	2	34	...	...	20	...
Bolivar Ct.	4	65	1	1	...	1	2	20	60	4½	2950	...	...	350	...	6	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cassville	16	150	2	5	1	13	1	11	50	3	3200	1	300	...	...	150	30	3	...	33	4	1	...	1	4	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Dadeville	9	120	2	...	...	...	2	10	63	4	3500	1	600	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fairplay	9	167	4	5	...	10	2	20	180	3	4500	1	700	50	...	...	23	...	...	23	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Galena	18	49	...	...	1	8	1	9	45	2	2600	...	...	25	...	...	10	...	...	10	...	1	...	1	6	5	...	1	...	...	...	25	...
Greenfield	51	169	1	2	1	12	1	20	150	1	1800	1	300	160	...	...	38	10	...	48	7	1	...	1	7	7	2	1	...	...	...	10	...
Humansville	16	242	1	4	...	...	2	20	140	3½	4150	1	500	140	...	...	22	...	...	22	4	...	...	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lockwood	7	208	4	2	...	2	2	40	220	2	3200	1	800	160	300	...	30	24	...	54	9	2	...	2	8	8	4	1	...	...	...	14	...
Marionville	65	260	11	9	4	33	1	18	234	1	3100	1	500	15	...	75	34	40	...	74	13	2	...	2	11	22	...	1	63	...	...	500	...
Marionville Ct.	2	50	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	2400	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marshfield	12	140	...	...	9	8	1	16	100	1	2000	1	600	55	...	...	34	20	...	54	12	...	2	2	10	6	4	2	40	...	...	26	...
Monett	17	192	1	3	1	26	1	21	175	1	1500	1	1200	...	...	...	66	10	...	76	13	2	...	2	11	13	2	1	10	...	...	45	...
Mt. Vernon	12	197	2	1	1	6	3	20	175	3	5500	1	700	47	10	50	46	7	...	53	7	2	...	2	7	9	3	1	6	...	...	37	...
Osceola	32	150	1	2	4	9	2	24	160	2	4000	1	800	40	...	...	64	16	...	80	14	3	...	2	12	13	2	1	57	...	...	85	...
Peirce C'y, Purdy	23	141	...	1	...	8	2	27	105	2	4000	1	1000	...	...	100	13	...	...	13	3	1	...	1	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Republic	15	83	1	2	1	7	1	13	135	1	4000	1	600	100	...	...	3	10	...	13	2	1	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	20	...
Sp'gf'd, Bent'n Av	16	201	...	5	4	5	1	32	255	1	15800	...	...	204	...	...	83	17	...	100	8	2	...	2	8	5	3	...	72	5	2811	35	...
Springf'd Ct.	2	74	...	1	...	2	1	11	40	3	1800	...	...	15	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Daily	4	112	...	1	3	2	1	15	112	1	2000	1	2000	50	...	425	32	13	...	45	4	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	10	...
Grace	41	557	2	5	14	23	1	36	300	1	30000	1	3000	...	100	...	260	40	...	300	20	3	...	2	15	25	...	1	70	...	100	50	5
Mt. Carmel	8	87	1	1	...	8	1	16	121	1	1200	1	1000	1000	77	157	19	3	...	22	3	1	...	1	4	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Stockton	4	137	...	1	5	11	1	12	65	3	3000	...	...	38	...	262	14	...	...	14	2	1	...	1	2	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Taneyville	2	38	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	400	...	...	38	...	262	14	...	...	14	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wheatland	1	42	...	2	...	...	2	14	60	2	2500	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	13	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	445	4335	37	61	56	207	37	483	3385	62	119200	20	17350	2968	487	1725	972	234	...	1206	149	128	2	27	136	162	33	17	352	5	2911	964	5

STATISTICS NOS. III. SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work.
Ash Grove	(S. A. Gardner)	*325	40	365	291	40	331	34	40	40	4	...	371	...	...	...	15	20	..
Aurora	F. C. Johnston	*664	....	664	664	....	664	....	52	52	6	6	722	10	...	10	100	55	..
Billings	W. O. Turrentine	*322	30	352	322	30	352	....	44	44	4	3	399	5	...	5	51	36	..
Boaz	James Lokey	305	....	305	305	....	305	....	34	15	4	...	320	...	...	...	...	...	..
Bolivar	G. J. Hunt	800	75	875	800	75	875	....	88	88	8	8	971	20	...	20	104	50	..
Bolivar Circuit	(R. J. Myers	*164	....	164	113	....	113	51	28	18	4	3	134	3	...	3	20	10	..
Cassville	M. D. Cox	*372	50	422	304	50	354	68	50	35	5	3	392	6	1	7	36	30	..
Dadeville	(S. A. Bennett)	*286	50	336	151	50	201	135	40	30	4	1	232	1	...	1	50	10	..
Fairplay	(David Keeton)	*330	75	405	315	75	390	15	48	44	5	2	436	1	...	1	....	70	..
Galena	(D. B. McKnight)	*225	....	225	214	....	214	11	30	24	3	1	239	5	...	5	40	32	..
Greenfield	(A. M. Livingston)	*500	60	560	500	60	560	....	66	66	6	6	632	12	...	12	60	60	..
Humansville	(A. G. Keast)	*456	60	516	456	60	516	....	58	45	5	2	563	5	...	5	70	50	..
Lockwood	A. G. Keast	500	75	575	500	75	575	....	62	62	6	6	643	12	...	12	75	90	..
Marionville	W. T. Pyles	640	60	700	640	60	700	....	72	70	8	8	778	18	...	18	123	85	.
Marionville Circuit	(A. M. Hall)	*220	....	220	170	....	170	50	28	22	4	...	192	...	...	...	40	....	..
Marshfield	D. T. Simmons	500	60	560	500	60	560	....	60	60	6	6	626	12	...	12	125	45	..
Monett	J. W. Needham	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	88	88	8	8	888	20	...	20	154	105	..
Mt. Vernon	W. L. Requa	500	60	560	486	60	546	14	62	61	6	5	612	10	...	10	115	90	37
Osceola	W. W. Sidman	600	100	700	630	100	730	....	77	80	8	8	818	16	...	16	90	60	..
Peirce City and Purdy	(R. W. Moore)	*472	60	532	440	60	500	32	62	47	6	3	550	3	...	3	119	83	..
Republic	J. J. Janssen	500	60	560	445	60	505	55	62	47	6	2	554	3	...	3	75	50	..
Sp'ngfield—Benton Av.	W. V. Hamel	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	110	110	10	9	1119	8	...	8	155	155	5
Circuit	(C. L. Oswald)	*115	....	115	100	....	100	15	20	14	3	...	114	...	...	...	10	9	..
Daily	(F. P. Leckliter)	550	150	700	550	150	700	....	77	77	5	5	782	13	...	13	125	80	..
Grace	H. A. Jones	1400	250	1650	1400	250	1650	....	182	182	20	16	1848	30	...	30	500	125	..
Mt. Carmel	(Carlton T. Cotton)	*320	75	395	320	75	395	....	52	52	4	4	451	7	...	7	75	55	..
Stockton	(Walter Ross)	350	....	350	202	....	202	148	40	25	5	3	230	3	...	3	30	18	..
Taneyville	(T. B. Griffin)	*108	....	108	90	....	90	18	28	18	3	1	109	1	...	1	13	....	..
Wheatland	(Geo. W. Britton)	*300	40	340	230	40	270	70	40	21	4	...	291	...	...	...	15	12	.
		13524	1530	15054	12838	1530	14368	716	1700	1537	170	119	16024	224	1	225	2375	1485	42

*Have missionary appropriations.

STATISTICS NOS. I AND IV.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	MEMBERSHIP.				BAPTISMS.		SUNDAY SCHOOLS			CHURCH PROPERTY.							BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																			Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
																	MISSIONS.					S.S UN.				EDUCATION.					W.H.M SOC.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value,	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.				
Carthage	513	5517	22	52	40	205	52	689	5275	60½	148000	23	28925	5331	402	1862	1226	489	...	1715	232	37	2	38	232	246	89	18	996	40	142	546	...			
Farmington.....	539	3169	33	22	59	232	49	385	3574	56½	74850	19	15850	11407	1014	1712	308	143	...	451	83	12	4	8	56	89	34	11	30	4	...	2	3			
Kansas City.	636	6119	5	62	138	198	35	587	5174	38¼	448100	11	28800	41785	13284	82098	2879	901	100	3880	763	70	5	68	430	342	135	39	1718	864	1189	4278	11			
Lebanon.....	307	3421	30	44	26	117	45	375	2601	66	71150	21	12450	2673	152	600	318	76	...	394	64	8	2	10	49	64	35	10	22	1	....	20	...			
St. Louis.....v....	498	3374	14	36	154	104	28	468	4151	23	388400	9	38550	14370	14531	52800	3146	642	91	3879	334	61	18	34	267	398	130	45	1516	744	410	12366	10			
Sedalia	523	4954	11	56	57	199	45	508	3968	54 5-6	155900	20	19050	4675	5492	4898	946	344	159	1449	185	25	6	35	165	183	75	27	310	2	...	670	...			
Springfield.....	445	4335	37	61	56	207	37	483	3385	62	119260	20	17350	2368	487	1725	972	234	...	1206	149	28	2	27	136	162	33	17	352	5	2911	964	5			
Totals	3461	30889	152	333	530	1262	291	3495	28128	361½	1405700	123	160975	82609	35362	145695	9795	2829	350	12974	1810	241	49	220	1335	1484	531	167	4944	1660	4652	18846	23			
Totals last year	3015	30867	139	313	464	1311	285	3488	28000	355⅓	1290275	119	144250	95671	18046	106637	9940	2772	...	12812	1713	283	..	228	1273	1032	558	157	4180	5142	...	55563	791			
Increase.....	446	22	13	20	66	....	6	7	128	5¾	115425	4	16725	....	17316	39058	....	57	350	162	97	...	49	...	..	452	...	10	764	....	4652	....	...			
Decrease..... ..	...	.....	...	...	...	49	..	....	...	.....	.....	..	.....	13062	.....	.....	145	....	...	.....	....	42	..	8	38	....	27	...	....	3482	....	36717	762			

STATISTICS No III.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Carthage	18738	2401	21139	17508	2401	19909	1300	2110	1952	204	160	22021	346	107	453	4075	2212
Farmington	10138	1582	11720	7673	1582	9255	2475	1277	1154	110	41	10450	102	...	102	974	931
Kansas City	25553	2730	28283	25175	2880	28055	248	2825	2786	361	272	31113	881	14	895	13806	3345
Lebanon	9960	815	10775	7152	735	7887	1772	1195	100	106	46	8939	88	...	88	896	679
St. Louis	23675	2650	26325	22594	2650	25231	248	2000	1969	334	296	27496	705	...	705	18736	2987
Sedalia	14370	1230	15600	13114	1230	14344	1436	1706	1531	183	131	16006	342	70	412	2853	1414
Springfield	13524	1530	15054	12838	1530	14368	716	1700	1537	170	119	16024	224	1	225	2375	1485
Totals	115958	12938	128896	106054	13008	119049	8375	12813	11935	1468	1065	132049	2688	192	2880	43715	13053
Totals last year	170890	12922	120812	99911	12780	113691	6273	12320	11643	1241	964	126297	2638	30	2668	42266	12148
Increase	8068	16	8084	6143	228	5358	2102	493	292	227	101	5752	50	162	212	1449	905
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	...	....	.....	.....

Conference Roll and Record.

NAMES. *Non-effective. †Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST OFFICES, All in Missouri Unless Otherwise Stated.
Adams, Lewis G.†	1899	1899	692 Pl's'nt St., E. W'ym'th, Mass.
Anderson, Eli P	1888	1888	515 W. Macon St., Carthage
Anderson, Laban	1891	1904	Deepwater
Ashley, John*	1872	1872	Bloomfield
Babbitt, Homer A	1888	1888	Higginsville
Baird, Edwin H.*	1859	1860	Marionville
Baker, William F	1880	1880	Butler
Baker, Clarke	1892	1893	Smithton
Ball, Albert D	1891	1891	De Soto
Barber, Alanson*	1865	1868	Baxter Springs, Kas.
Barker, Joel A.	1875	1901	Butler
Beggs, Francis S.	1859	1859	Rolla
Bell, Jas C.†	1897	1899	Baldwin, Kas.
Bell, Mordecai*	1877	1877	Golden City
Benefiel, Theo. S.*	1866	1866	Lamar
Bitler, Jas. S.	1878	1899	215 E. 65th Place, Chicago, Ill.
Borah, Jno. W.	1894	1905	Maplewood
Bradford, Geo. H.	1893	1902	701 Elmwood Av., Kansas City
Brannon, Landor L.	1900	1900	Green Ridge
Brewington, Jas. B.*	1880	1880	1631A Texas Av., St. Louis
Buck, Noble H.*	1870	1870	Seneca
Burnham, De Kalb †	1900	1900	Baldwin Kas.
Burress, Allen D.†	1897	1897	Marshall, Texas
Campbell, Stephen B	1887	1903	2922 Wabash Av., Kansas City
Carlos, Charles R	1889	1900	3119 N. Grand Av., St. Louis
Carpenter, Lewis R.*	1874	1874	Baldwin, Kas.
Coleman, Wm. C.	1894	1895	Warrensburg
Collins, Wm. K.	1876	1883	Lee's Summit
Coontz, John W.	1898	1903	3912 E. 18th St., Kansas City
Corrington, Jas. F.*	1873	1873	3125 Bell Av., St. Louis
Cosper, Geo. H.	1885	1893	Nevada
Cotton, Carlton T.†	1903	1903	1112 prospect Av., Springfield
Creamer, Wesley M.*	1874	1886	Iantha
Crippin, Adelbert M	1904	1904	Tipton
Criss, Curtis V	1877	1877	812 Benton Av., Springfield
Crow, David W.	1881	1881	1720 Byers Av., Joplin
Corkill, Thos. H.	1886	1905	Holden
Curl, Martin L.	1868	1895	2123 Clifton Av., St. Louis

NAMES. *Non-effective. †Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST OFFICES. All in Missouri Unless Otherwise Stated.
Dixon, Artie M†	1900	1904	Fruitland
Dorchester, Liverus H.	1889	1903	4412 Lindell Av., St. Louis
Ferguson, Wm. T.	1898	1898	Jasper
Finley, Jno. W*	1869	1869	Eldorado Springs
Foster, Geo. M.	1890	1890	East Joplin
Foster, Henry B.	1889	1895	Lebanon
French, Silas A.	1884	1895	Neosho
Fry, Charles D*	1875	1887	Macomb
Galbraith, Isaac M*	1881	1881	Virgil City
Gatley, Wm. T.	1900	1904	East Lynne
Gideon, Geo. H.	1878	1890	Carterville
Gideon, Thos. J.	1882	1897	Conway
Gillespie, Jno. H.	1873	1873	Thermopolis, Wyo.
Gower, Lewis E.*	1891	1891	Providence, Okla.
Hagerty, Thos. H.	1855	1863	1909 N. Grand Av., St. Louis
Hallock, Leander*	1853	1877	Clifton Heights, St. Louis
Hall, John E.	1901	1901	Webb City
Halterman, Chas. L.	1898	1903	7003 Hancock Av., St. Louis
Hamel, Wm. V.	1878	1878	901 E. Center St., Springfield
Harris, Joseph*	1862	1888	16 Summit, W. Sum'rville, Mass.
Harris, Jacob S.*	1870	1892	Cuba
Harvey, Henry L.	1897	1903	107 Tyler St., St. Louis
Heaton, Sam'l J.	1880	1892	1704 Prospect Av., Kansas City
Hughes, Matt. S.	1888	1899	2411 Independence Blvd., K. C.
Hughey, Geo. W.*	1850	1879	Springfield
Hunt, Enoch J.	1878	1878	914 W. 3d St., Sedalia
Hunt, Geo. J.	1893	1893	Bolivar
Hurley, John H.	1881	1893	Dadeville
Janssen, John J.	1896	1896	Republic
Jeffrey, Thos. W.	1890	1893	Carthage
Johnston, Fletcher C.	1889	1904	Salem
Jones, Samuel*	1873	1873	Clinton
Jones, William F.	1887	1887	4th and Rogers Sts., Joplin
Jones, Harvey A.	1891	1893	408 Pearl St., Springfield
Jones, Burrell D.	1878	1894	Mountain Grove
Keast, Alfred G.	1899	1899	Lockwood
Knease, Thos. H.*	1872	1884	Seymour
Koeth, Edward D. C.	1896	1896	Doe Run
Leatherman, Wm	1887	1900	St. Louis
Leckliter, Francis P.	1899	1899	Springfield
Lehr, Albert M.*†	1898	1898	Paola, Kas.
Leonard, Harry C.†	1902	1902	De Soto
Livingstone, Alva M.†	1903	1905	Greenfield

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McCoard, Charles	1893	1901	4226 Lucky St., St. Louis
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Miller, Edwin F.†	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kas.
Miller, Aaron H...*	1873	1890	4620 Cook Av., St. Louis
Miller, Geo P.	1889	1905	California
Mitchell, Chas. A.†	1896	1896	Marionville
Mitchell, Henry A.	1900	1900	Eldorado Springs
Moore, Guy Z.	1900	1900	Carl Junction
Munsell, Levi W.*	1841	1881	Peggy
Needham, Jno. W.	1890	1890	Monett
Neff, Frank	1901	1901	Clinton
Niblack, Basil E.	1892	1897	Oak Grove
Oechsli, Frank	1872	1872	Baldwin, Kas.
Osborne, Harry R.	1892	1905	Marshall
Pare, Wm. T.	1886	1886	Sligo
Pierce, Jno. N.*	1859	1865	Clinton
Pierce, Perry E.	1896	1896	Appleton City
Porter, Jas. S.*	1873	1873	Knob Noster
Prall, Thos. E.	1897	1897	Schell City
Porter, Jno. H.*†	1896	1896	835 Calish St., Fresno, Cal.
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Reno, Frank P.	1894	1894	Buffalo
Reser, Lewis G.	1892	1892	Marionville
Requa, Wm. L.	1902	1902	Belton
Ridgway, David C.*	1863	1896	66 Pearl St., Springfield, O.
Sapp, Electious H.	1899	1899	Liberal
Shaffer Thos. P.	1899	1899	Richland
Shepherd, Geo. W.	1884	1903	10th and N. Market, St. Louis
Sidman, Wm. D.	1895	1895	Osceola
Simmons, Wm. J.	1876	1887	Sarcoxie
Simmons, David T.	1892	1892	Eldon
Simpson, Frederick W.	1895	1895	20th and Obear Av., St. Louis
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Stewart, Oliver M.	1864	1869	.....2454 Olive St., Kansas City
Stewart, Jno. W.	1877	1897	3210 Charlotte St., Kansas City
Stickney, Francis M.* ..	1872	1872	.... Eldon
Suter, Oscar V.†	1905	1905	.... Nashville
Squier, Edgar A.*	1888	1900	.. .. Atlanta, Ill.
Templeton, Rufus B.....	1893	1905	.... Rich Hill
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Toland, Henry A.*	1885	1885	..39 Burkitt St., Sheridan, Wyo.
Turrentine, Edward	1901	1901	.... Dresden
Turrentine, Wm. O.	1896	1896	..... Peirce City
Van Petten, Jno. B.* ...	1852	1880	..... Cazenovia, N. Y.
Van Valkenburg, Wm. B.	1902	1904	.... Drexel
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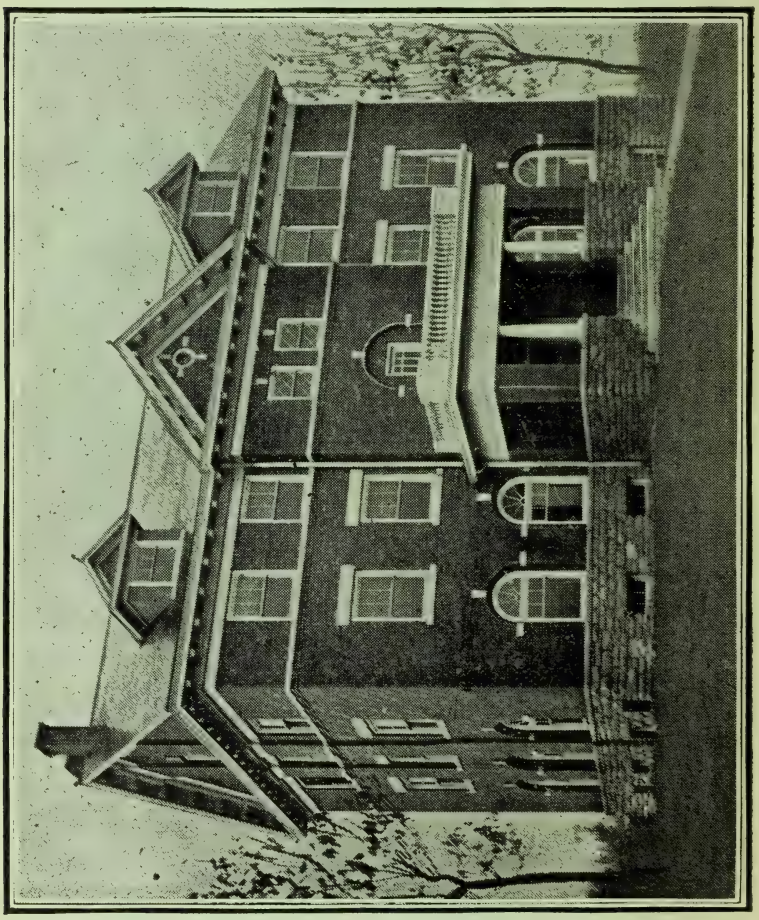

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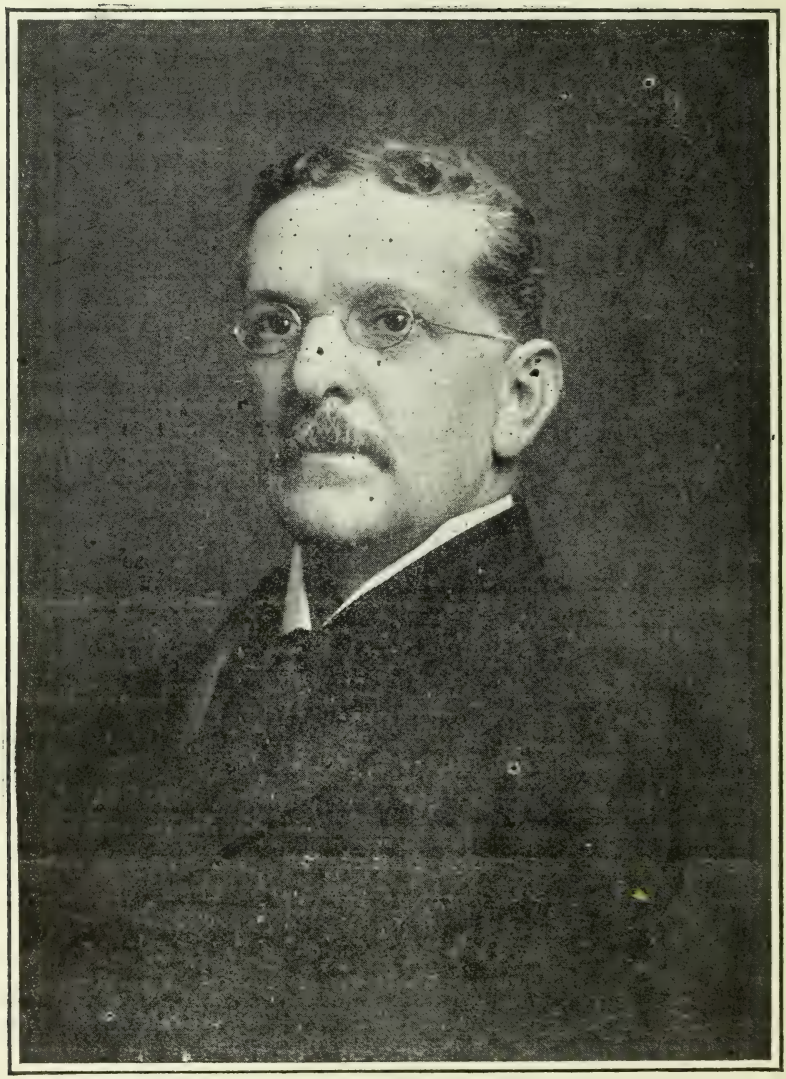

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I. The Conference shall meet at 8:30 o'clock a. m. and hold religious services for half an hour, and adjourn at 12 m.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate (except that the President may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member requests t, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene—namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitue, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till everyone desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a question has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless for special reasons the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer, and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of the Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instructions? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

XV. The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, and the officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the Officers and Managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitous Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned; of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

St. Louis Conference.

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 20, 1907.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its thirty-ninth session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Clinton, Missouri, March 20, 1907, Bishop Luther B. Wilson presiding.

Opening Service—The Conference was called to order by the Bishop at 8:30 a. m.

Hymn No. 279, beginning, "Rock of Ages cleft for me," was announced and sung.

The Bishop read a part of the third chapter of Ephesians, and O. M. Stewart led in prayer.

Hymn No. 540, beginning, "O, could I speak the matchless word," was sung by the Conference.

The Bishop, assisted by the Presiding Elders present, the visiting brethren and some of the older members of the Conference, administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Addresses of Welcome—Samuel Jones and J. N. Pierce welcomed the Conference on behalf of the Church.

The Hon. Mr. Shackelford, Mayor of Clinton, in a stirring address, welcomed the Conference on behalf of the city.

Rev. Armstrong spoke a few words of welcome to the women attending the Conference.

At the request of the Conference the Bishop responded in an appropriate address.

Gifts—T. H. Hagerty presented to the Bishop an offering of flowers, and a gavel, for his use during this session of the Conference, made for the General Conference held in Chicago.

Roll Call—Perry E. Pierce, the Secretary of the last session of the Conference, called the roll and 119 members and probationers were present, viz.

E. P. Anderson, Laban Anderson, H. A. Babbitt, W. F. Baker, Clarke Baker, Wm. Frank Baker, A. D. Ball, F. S. Beggs, J. W. Borah, L. L. Brannon, J. B. Brewington, W. E. Brown, S. B. Campbell, C. R. Carlos, J. M. Carter, W. K. Chatten, W. C. Coleman, J. W. Coontz, T. H. Corkill, G. H. Cosper, M. D. Cox, C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, M. L. Curl, A. M. Dixon, L. H. Dorchester, W. T. Ferguson, G. M. Foster, H. B. Foster. I. M. Galbraith, G. H. Gideon, T. J. Gideon, T. H. Hagerty, J. E. Hall, C. L. Halterman, W. V. Hamel, C. T. Harrison, M. S. Hughes, G. W. Hughey, H. G. Humphrey, E. J. Hunt, G. J. Hunt, T. W. Jeffrey, Samuel Jones, H. A. Jones, B. D. Jones, H. A. King, J. C. Kirk, Wm. Leatherman, F. P. Leckliter, H. C. Leonard, A. M. Livingstone, N. Luccock, I. J. K. Lunbeck, J. J. Martin, S. S. Martin, S. W. McClure, W. R. McCormack, H. A. Mitchell, G. Z. Moore, F. O. Moore, J. W. Needham, Frank Neff, B. E. Niblack, L. R. Nichols, J. N. Pierce, P. E. Pierce, T. E. Prall, F. P. Reno, W. L. Requa, E. T. Rice, A. E. Ryan, E. H. Sapp, Clinton Senneff, T. P. Shaffer, G. W. Shepherd, W. D. Sidman, W. J. Simmons, D. T. Simmons, F. W. Simpson, Everett Simpson, J. W. Slusher, R. T. Smith, E. E. Sparks. E. A. Squier. D. E. Standard, Wm. Stephens, S. F. Stevens, O. M. Stewart, J. W. Stewart, F. M. Stickney, O. V. Suter, R. B. Templeton, J. E. Thackrey, G. B. Thomas, L. M. Thompson, C. F. Tippin, Ralph Wakefield, Samuel Warner, John Welch, Harry White, W. T. Wright, W. F. Yeager, C. C. James, E. W. Elayer, D. W. Britton, E. B. Randle, Addyman Smith.

PROBATIONERS.

W. L. Gray, J. H. Boner, Ralph Martin, J. C. Stille, P. R. Hoos, A. J. May, M. A. Kerr, C. E. Wharton, G. B. VanBuskirk, J. H. Bishop, J. F. Odom.

Transfers Announced—Into the Conference, E. W. Elayer, from the Oregon Conference; C. C. James and Addyman Smith, from the St. John's River; D. W. Britton, from the Illinois; E.

B. Randle, from the North Indiana; D. Weesner, from the Arkansas; and A. E. Ryan, from the Gulf.

Out of the Conference, Charles Zimmerli to the DeMoines Conference and W. R. Ward to the Mexico.

Organization—On the nomination of J. J. Martin, P. E. Pierce was re-elected Secretary; and on his nomination, J. W. Coontz and T. P. Shaffer were elected Assistant Secretaries.

On the nomination of F. S. Beggs, W. D. Sidman was re-elected Statistical Secretary; and on his nomination, T. E. Prall, E. E. Sparks, A. M. Livingstone, C. J. Gilbraith, J. F. King, N. H. Hudson and J. H. Boner were elected assistants.

On the nomination of S. B. Campbell, I. J. K. Lunbeck was re-elected Treasurer; and on his nomination E. H. Sapp, A. M. Dixon, J. E. Thackrey, W. Frank Baker, W. L. Gray, H. A. Mitchell and M. D. Cox were elected assistants.

The bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first seven rows of seats, and the rules of the last session were adopted.

The following standing committees were appointed, viz:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Auditing—L. M. Thompson, H. G. Humphrey, Thos. P. Shaffer, J. W. Needham.

Benevolences—F. S. Beggs, M. D. Cox, S. F. Stevens, J. W. Coontz, B. D. Jones, E. B. Randle, G. H. Cosper, Laban Anderson.

Conference Relations—G. J. Hunt, S. F. Stevens, W. T. Wright, D. T. Simmons, L. L. Brannon, H. B. Foster, D. W. Crow.

Education—M. S. Hughes, N. Luccock, T. W. Jeffrey, T. P. Shaffer, Daniel McGurk, H. A. King, L. G. Reser, G. B. Thomas, J. W. Stewart, D. E. Standard, M. L. Curl, F. W. Simpson, G. J. Hunt, C. C. James.

Insurance—O. M. Stewart, S. S. Martin, Wm. Leatherman.

Memoirs—F. S. Beggs, O. M. Stewart, E. J. Hunt, D. W. Crow.

Postmaster—W. T. Ferguson.

Public Worship—The Presiding Elders and the Pastor of Clinton.

Publication of Minutes—The Secretary, Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer.

Publishing Interests—G. H. Cosper, H C. Leonard, W. Frank Baker.

Book Accounts—H. A. Jones, N. H Hudson, G. H. Gideon, A. M. Dixon, Everett Simpson, A. D Ball, G. Z. Moore.

Reference—S. S. Martin, J. E. Thackrey, T. J. Gideon, Addyman Smith, R. T. Smith, C. V. Criss, G. M. Foster.

Reforms—W. C. Coleman, C. F. Tippin, J. W. Slusher, Frank Neff, A. J. May.

Resolutions—C. L. Halterman, G. C. Bechtel, G. W. Shepherd, E. T. Rice, F. P. Leckliter, Ralph Martin, J. J. Martin.

Stewards—E. P. Anderson, F. P. Reno, L. M. Thompson, W. F. Jones, D. W. Crow, W. O. Turrentine, W. T. Wright, H. A. Mitchell.

Woman's Work—T. H. Hagerty, W. E. Brown, A. M. Livingstone, Harry White, J. M. Carter.

Young People's Work—H. C. Leonard, T. E. Prall, R B. Templeton, M. A. Kerr, Clinton Senneff, L. R. Nichols, Addyman Smith.

Introductions—C. C. James, Edwin B. Randle, D. W. Britton, and E. W. Elayer were introduced to the Conference. Also, C. M. Truex, Pastor of the Baptist Church of Clinton; D. L. Thomas, Pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church; Dr. W. D. Agnew, President of the Missouri Wesleyan College; W. J. Smith, of the Kansas Conference, and Dr. Poland, Presiding Elder of the Missouri Conference.

Addresses—Dr. F. L. Hart, Field Superintendent of the Board of Insurance of the Methodist Episcopal Church; Dr. H. J. Coker, representing the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension; Dr. Graham, representing the Book Concern, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

Statsitics—The Secretary called the roll of the charges and the statistical reports were handed in.

QUESTION XIII The Thirteenth Question was taken up, viz: *Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*

The characters of the following Presiding Elders passed and they read their reports, viz: W. R. McCormack, of the Farmington District; S. B. Campbell, of the Kansas City District, and Samuel Warner, of the Lebanon District.

Drafts—The Conference ordered drafts on the Chartered Fund for $22.00 and on the Book Concern for $1,410.00.

Devotional Meetings—The Rev. Dr. Brushingham was requested to conduct the morning devotional meetings.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the Doxology and the Benediction by Dr. Poland.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., Bishop Wilson presiding. The devotions were led by Dr. Brushingham.

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Roll Call—The roll of absentees was called and the following brethren were present, viz:

J. A. Barker, G. C. Bechtel, J. W. Finley, S. A. French, W. F. Jones, P. B. Newman, W. T. Pare, James Pine, L. G. Reser, Julius Smith, W. O Turrentine and C. A. Harris.

QUESTION XIII. Question Thirteen was resumed.

The characters of the following Presiding Elders passed and they read their reports, viz: C. R. Carlos, of the St. Louis District; E. J. Hunt, of the Sedalia District; W. V. Hamel, of the Springfield District; and H. G. Mais, of the Carthage District.

Reports—On motion of J. J. Martin it was ordered that the pastors shall report, in addition to the Disciplinary requirements, the following items, viz: If the apportionment of

10 cents per member for education has been raised and the amount collected for Conference Claimants.

The following effective elders passed in character and those present reported:

Carthage District—J. A. Barker, W. F. Baker, W. T. Ferguson, T. W. Jeffrey, T. E. Prall, D. W. Crow, G. M. Foster, W. F. Jones, J. J. Martin, E. H. Sapp, G. H. Cosper, G. H. Gideon, A. E. Ryan, Harry White.

Farmington District—C. C. James, C. L. Halterman, L. M. Thompson, Addyman Smith, S. F. Stevens.

Kansas City District—R. B. Templeton, J. E. Hall. Daniel McGurk, H. A. Jones, M. S. Hughes, W. T. Wright, J. E. Thackrey, I. J. K. Lunbeck, H. A. King, J. W. Coontz, O. M. Stewart, B. E. Niblack, D. W. Britton.

Lebanon District—T. J. Gideon, F. P. Reno, D. T. Simmons, P. B. Newman, M. A. Kerr, B. D. Jones, T. P. Shaffer, J. W. Slusher.

St. Louis District—W. T. Pare, F. W. Simpson, Wm. Leatherman, E. P. Anderson, H. C. Leonard, L. H. Dorchester, E. B. Randle, J. W. Borah, A. D. Ball, H. B. Foster, R. T. Smith, N. Luccock, T. H. Corkill.

Sedalia District—P. E. Pierce. D. L. Thomas, L. L. Brannon, H. A. Mitchell, Laban Anderson, J. M. Carter, G. W. Shepherd, H. A. Babbitt, Clarke Baker, S. S Martin, F. S. Beggs, W. C. Coleman, Everett Simpson.

Springfield District—G. J. Hunt, G. Z. Moore, F. P Leckliter, W. D. Sidman, J. W. Needham, James Lokey, W. O. Turrentine, James Pine, C. V. Criss, S. W. McClure, J. W. Stewart, E. W. Elayer.

The characters of the following effective elders passed, viz: Frank Neff, T. H. Hagerty, L. G. Reser, J. H. Gillespie, J. S. Bitler, S. A. French, M. L. Curl; Julius Smith, W. J. Simmons.

Home Missionary Society—The following resolution was presented by Naphtali Luccock, and after discussion by M. S. Hughes and Daniel McGurk, it was unanimously adopted:

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS. The various Benevolent Societies of the Church have been consolidated into three administrative centers—one for Foreign Missions, located at New York; one for Home Missions, located at Philadelphia; one for Education, located at Cincinnati; and

WHEREAS, Believing that the interest of the entire Church would be greatly promoted by locating one of the administrative centers at some strategic point west of the Mississippi, we therefore submit the following resolution:

Resolved, First, that we recommend the removal of the Home Missionary Society from Philadelphia to Kansas City.

Second, that we request the appointment of seven, consisting of four ministers and three laymen, to take this matter under consideration and report at the next session of the St. Louis Conference; said commission to inquire into (a) the advisability of such removal, (b) the steps necessary to be taken to secure such removal, (c) the equipment necessary to realize the highest efficiency and the most economical administration of the Society.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK,
ELI P. ANDERSON,
WM. R. McCORMACK,
CHARLES C. JAMES.

On motion of M. S. Hughes it was ordered that the commission on removal of the headquarters of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension from Philadelphia to Kansas City be requested to submit the above resolution to the South Kansas and Southwest Kansas Conferences.

Temperance—On motion of H. B. Foster the following were appointed a committee to draft a resolution to be presented to Governor Folk urging special legislation favorable to the cause of temperance, viz: F. P. Reno, W. C. Coleman' M. S. Hughes, N. Luccock.

Epworth League—Dr. Randall, General Secretary of the Epworth League, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Report—The Committee on Temperance reported the following resolution which after discussion, was adopted by the Conference:

CLINTON, MO., March 21, 1907.

To the Hon. Joseph Wingate Folk, Governor of the State of Missouri:

We, the members of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, now in session, do hereby most earnestly endorse your efforts in the cause of temperance and law enforcement in Missouri, and we earnestly request that in the special session of the Legislature you make the dram-shop bill

a subject for legislation, and we also request that you include in your call the question of the submission of Constitutional Prohibition

L. B. WILSON, President,
PERRY E. PIERCE, Sec'y.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference, viz: W. C. Bewley, Pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of Clinton; A. E. Chadwick, of the Nebraska Conference; J. R. Birchfield, Pastor of the Presbyterian church in this city; R. J. Kyle, Pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, of Calhoun; E. A. Whitwan; the Misses Pike, Crandle, Bear, Weeve, Adkins and Catlin, of the Fiske Training School; Miss Doub, of Bethany Hospital; Geo. B. Addicks, President of Central Wesleyan College; and Dr. Homer Reed. of the Central Illinois Conference.

The announcements were made, the Doxology was sung. and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Reed.

THIRD DAY.

Friday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a m. Dr. Brushingham conducted the devotions.

Minutes—The Minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Roll On motion the Conference dispensed with futher calling the roll, and the Secretary was instructed to record those members present who shall appear in Conference.

QUESTION V. The Fifth Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been continued on trial?*

Charles E. Wharton, Geo. B. VanBuskirk, John H. Bishop and John F. Odom passed in character, reports were given, and they were advanced to the studies of the second year.

Marion A. Kerr and William R. Ward passed in character and they were continued in the studies of the first year.

Thomas P. Woodson and Andrew J. May were passed in

character, continued in the studies of the second year, and credited with studies passed.

Andrew L Pritchett and Walter P. Ross were discontinued.

QUESTION VIII. The Eighth Question was taken up, viz: *What Members are in Studies of the Third Year?*

The characters of the following passed reports were given and they were advanced to the studies of the third year, viz:

John H. Boner, Ralph Martin, Newton H. Hudson, John C. Stille, Peter R Hoos and Clinton A. Harris.

Edwin E. Sparks, Cyrus T. Harrison, Clinton Senneff, Edwin F. Miller, John H. Porter and Lewis G. Adams passed in character, reports were given, and they were continued in the studies of the third year

QUESTION IX. The Ninth Question was taken up, viz: *Who are in the Studies of the Fourth Year?*

The characters of Wm. L. Gray, Walter E. Brown, Harry G. Humphrey, D. Everette Standard, J. Caleb Kirk, Geo. B. Thomas, Charles F. Tippin, L. R. Nichols, Walter G. Smith, William Frank Baker, Floyd O. Moore, Edwin T. Rice, Marvin D. Cox and William K. Chatten passed, they reported and were advanced to the studies of the fourth year. Those deficient in studies were conditioned on bringing them up.

Charles A. Mitchell, Albert M. Lehr, James C. Bell and Carlton T. Cotton were passed in character, they reported, and were continued in the studies of the fourth year.

Geo. C. Bechtel was passed in character, advanced to the class of the fourth year, and elected to Elder's orders under the Seminary rule.

QUESTION X. The Tenth Question was taken up, viz: *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

The characters of Oscar V. Suter and Alva M. Livingstone passed, they reported, were passed in their studies and elected to Elder's orders.

George C. Bechtel was passed in the studies of the fourth year.

Ralph Wakefield was passed in character, he gave his report and was graduated from the Course of Study.

Addresses—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference: Miss Pike, of the Fiske Training School; Miss Doub, of Bethany Hospital; and Mrs. Ivy Durham Vennard, of Epworth Evangelistic Institute.

QUESTION III. The Third Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been received on Credentials and from what Churches?*

Andrew T. Osbron, from the Methodist Episcopal Church. South, was received and his orders as an Elder were recognized.

QUESTION IV. The Fourth Question was taken up, viz *Who have been received on trial?*

Everett H. Maynard, W. O Tolbart, C. V. Bryan, C. Julius Wegener, Robert A. Hunt, J. M. Mason, George T. Beard, Andrew L. Simmons Charles E. Ferguson, Charles B Bigler, Leon H. Sweetland, Edwin L. Spiller were presented to the Conference.

Order of the Day—On motion of H. A. Jones, the selection of the seat of the next Conference was made the order of the day to-morrow at 10 a. m.

Addresses—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference: Dr. Matt S. Hughes, representing the Board of Education, Freedmen's Aid and Sunday Schools; Dr. Horace Reed, in the interest of the Illinois Woman's College.

Introduction—Miss Anna Neiderheiser, Superintendent of Fiske Training School, was introduced.

The announcements were made:

QUESTION VII. The Seventh Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*

The class for admission into full membership and Andrew T. Osbron were called and addressed by the Bishop.

John H. Boner, Ralph Martin. Newton H. Hudson, John C. Stille, Peter R. Hoos and Clinton A. Harris were admitted into full membership and elected to Deacon's Orders.

William L. Gray was admitted into full membership.

The Conference adjourned with prayer and the Benediction by the Bishop.

FOURTH DAY,

Saturday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8 30 a. m. Dr. Brushingham conducted the devotions.

Minutes—The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

QUESTION The Fourth Question was resumed.

IV.

Thomas G. Peterson, Charles J. Gilbreath, James F. King and Frank W. P. Camp were presented to the Conference.

Charles E. Ferguson, Frank W. P. Camp, Evert H. Maynard, James F. King, Charles J. Gilbreath. Thomas G. Peterson, George T. Beard, Leon H. Sweetland, Andrew L. Simmons, C. Julius Wegener, J. M. Mason, C. V. Bryan, Robert Arthur Hunt, W. O. Tolbart, Edwin L. Spiller and Charles Vernon Bigler, being duly represented as to character and studies, were admitted on trial, and placed in the studies of the first year

Communication—The Secretary read a communication from Gov. Folk in reply to the telegram sent him Friday.

QUESTION The Second Question was taken up, viz: *Who have been re-admitted?*

The case of J. N Moore was presented and referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

Change of Relation—On motion of E. J. Hunt, J. H. Hurley was granted a Superannuated relation, and his case referred to the favorable consideration of the Board of Stewarts.

A collection amounting to $71.00 was taken up for Brother Hurley.

Chas. A. Mitchell was granted the Supernumerary relalation.

Reforms—On motion of T. H. Hagerty, a request from representative ladies of Clinton concerning the suppression of base-ball of Sunday was referred to the committee on reforms.

Statistics—The report of the Statistical Secretary was read and adopted.

QUESTION XXX The Thirtieth Question was taken up, as the order of the day, viz: *Where shall the next Conference be held?*

J. W. Stewart presented an invitation to meet next year at Grace Church, Springfield, which was unanimously accepted.

Fraternal Delegates—On motion T. H. Hagerty, the Conference requested the Bishop to appoint one fraternal delegate to each of the Annual Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, within the territory of this Conference.

Resolution—The Conference adopted a resolution presented by M. L. Curl, conveying the greetings of the Conference to Miss Carleton, founder of Carleton College.

Commission on Education—M. S. Hughes presented the report of the Commission on Education, which was adopted. On motion the Conference continued the commission, limiting its power to the recommendation to the Conference, of any further propositions at the next session of the Conference.

Report—The report of the committee on education was read and adopted.

Greeting—On motion of W. C. Coleman, the Secretary was instructed to send greetings from this Conference to the Central Missouri Conference now in session in Joplin, Mo.

Addresses—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference: W. A. Brown, representing the American Bible Society; Dr. J. B. Trimble, Field Secretary of the Foreign Missionary Society.

Recognition of Orders—The orders of the following were recognized, viz: J. M. Mastion, as a deacon, from the Congregational Methodist Church; S. O. Taylor, as a deacon, from the Free Will Baptist Church; Francis O. Forbes, as an elder,

from the Free Will Baptist Church; T. W. Suter, as an elder, from the Methodist Protestant Church.

Address—Geo. W. Addicks, President of the Central Wesleyan College, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Adjournment—On motion of M. L. Curl, it was ordered that when we adjourn it shall be to meet at 2 p. m.

On motion the time was extended.

Introductions—The following were introduced, viz: Dr. C. B. Spencer, Editor to the Central Christian Advocate, who addressed the Conference; Dr. Claypool, of the Kansas Conference; Rev. A. B. Adams, of the DeMoines Conference.

The Bishop requested O. M. Stewart to preside at the afternoon session.

The announcements were made and the session adjourned with the Doxology and Benediction by Dr. C. B Spencer.

Second Session.

The Conference met at 2 p. m. with O. M. Stewart presiding, and opened with song and prayer.

Reports.—The reports of the following committees were read and adopted, viz: Auditing Committee, Church Insurance, Publishing Interests, Woman's Work, Reforms, Young People's Work, Benevolences and Church Extension.

The Treasurer read a partial report.

Flowers—On motion of T. H. Hagerty, a vote of thanks was extended to M. L. Bonham, of Clinton, and G. M. Kellogg, of Pleasant Hill, for flowers sent to the Conference.

Addresses The following were introduced and addressed the Conference, viz; G. B. Thomas, President of Carleton College; L G. Reser, President of Marionville Collegiate Institute; and Rev. Robert Whitten, of the Missouri Conference.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by J. N. Pierce.

FIFTH DAY,

Love Feast - The Love Feast, led by T. H. Hagerty, began at 9 a. m. and was opened with song and prayer; 89 men and women gave personal testimony to the power of Christ to save, and the remainder of the congregation testified *en masse* for the glory of God.

In the midst of the service a love offering of $60 was made by the congregation to Brother William Stephens.

Sermon—At 10:30 Bishop Wilson delivered a stirring message from I. Cor. 3:9.

Ordination—At the close of the sermon six persons were ordained Deacons according to the Ritual of the Church

At 2:30 the Conference again assembled and three persons were ordained Elders; and at 7:30 three persons were consecrated as Deaconesses.

Memorial Service—The Memorial Service began at 3 p. m.

The Memoir of Levi W. Munsel was read by F. S. Beggs and a tribute of respect was paid by D. W. Crow.

G. J. Hunt read the Memoir of J. P. Miller and H. B. Foster told of his heroism.

The Memoir of Mrs. Laura L. Heaton was read by O. M. Stewart and words of appreciation of service were spoken by J. N. Pierce and J. W. Stewart.

The Memoir of Mrs. Rosa B. Mortland was read by H. G. Humphrey.

O. M. Stewart read the Memoir of Mrs. Ettie A. Luccock and words of loving memory were given by M. L. Curl.

Epworth League Anniversary—The Epworth League Anniversary was held at the Baptist Church at 3 .p m. Ralph Wakefield presided.

The address was delivered by Daniel McGurk and Dr. Brushingham exhorted. At the after service three people were saved.

Evangelistic Service— At 7:30, immediately following the Consecration of Deaconesses, Dr. Brushingham led an evangelistic service which resulted in three conversions.

SIXTH DAY,

Monday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. The devotions were conducted by Dr. Brushingham.

Minutes—The minutes of Saturday's sessions and the notation concerning the Sunday services were read and approved.

Memoirs—The Memoirs read on the Sabbath were formally adopted.

Journal—The printed Journal was made the official record of the Conference to be presented to the General Conference.

Trustees—Dr. R. E. Darby and H. B. Boyd were confirmed trustees of Marionville Collegiate Institute.

Surrender of Credentials—In a noble letter A. M. Lehr surrendered his credentials and he was allowed to withdraw.

On motion the parchments of Brother Lehr were returned to him, and the Secretary was ordered to express to him our appreciation of his letter.

Sympathy—A message of sympathy was ordered sent to Brother Hamel through J. W. Stewart.

Received on Credentials—Amzi C. Wright was received on his certificate of location and given the Supernumerary relation.

John N. Moore was re-admitted and his credentials were restored.

Change of Relation—J. B. Brewington was changed from the Superannuate to the effective relation.

Memoir—The Committee on Memoirs was instructed to prepare a memoir of M. B. Wood for publication.

QUESTION XXII. The Twenty-second Question was taken up, viz: *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*

The characters of the following Supernumerary preachers passed, and they were continued in the same relation, viz:

J. H. Porter, E. A. Squier, John Ashley, J. F. Corrington, E. D. C. Koeth, W. T. Pyles, W. K. Collins, H R. Osborne, V. C. Thomas.

J. H. Fiedler was granted the Supernumerary relation.

QUESTION XXIII. The Twenty-third Question was taken up, viz: *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*

The following passed in character and they were continued in the Superannuate relation, viz:

J. B. Van Petten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, M. Bell, Jos. Harris, Jacob S. Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgway, N. H. Buck, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, W. M. Creamer, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce.

I. M. Galbraith and Hervey Smith were changed from the Supernumerary to the Superannuated relation.

Special Appointments—The Bishop was requested to appoint J. S. Bitler, J. W. McClure and S. A. French, Conference Evangelists; T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain of City Institutions in St. Louis; and M. L Curl, Executive Secretary, Methodist Deaconess Association of St. Louis; and to leave N. H. Hudson, T. P. Woodson and J. C. Galbraith without appointment to attend one of our schools.

Reports—The following reports were read and adopted and the officers recommended by them elected, viz: Board of Stewards, Treasurer, Treasurer of Permanent Fund, Conference Deaconess Board, and Resolutions.

Conference Historical Society—O. M. Stewart represented the Conference Historical Society, and on his motion an old Discipline referred to by him was ordered turned over to the secretary of the society.

Resolutions—The following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, Our esteemed brother, Dr. S. J. Heaton, severs his connection with the St. Louis Conference by transferring to the Kansas Conference,

Resolved, That we express our high appreciation of his character and services as a man and as a minister of the Gospel, and that we assure him that we shall follow him with our prayers and good wishes.

D. McGURK,
JOHN E. THACKREY.

WHEREAS, This year, 1907, is the 100th anniversary of the beginning of Protestant Missions in China. and a celebration of that great event has been determined upon by all denominations engaged in Mission work in that Empire. and whereas, our Board of Bishops and the General Missionary Committee have issued a call for a Centennial Thank-offering of $30,000.00 to meet unprecedented needs confronting our Church in China, therefore—

Resolved, First, that we will remember in prayer that great Centennial Conference to be held in Shanghai April 25th to May 8th; second, that we will avail ourselves of the generous offer of literature by the China Centennial; third, that we will, if practicable, present the appeal to our churches for the Centennial Thank-offering, on one of the Sundays during the Conference, viz: April 28th or May 5th, or as soon thereafter as possible.

STEPHEN B CAMPBELL,
E. J. HUNT,
C. R. CARLOS,
W. R. McCORMACK,
H. G. MAYS,
SAMUEL WARNER.

The Conference concurred in a resolution received from the Genesee Annual Conference.

Letter of Esteem—On motion of O. M Stewart, the Secretary was instructed to express to Bro. J. S. Porter our high esteem and united sympathy at this time of his affliction.

Special Appointment—The Bishop was requested to appoint J. A. Barker Agent of the State Children's Home Society.

The miscellaneous appointments were read and the officers recommended therein elected.

The Bishop nominated and the Conference elected the following Commission on the location of the Home Missionary Board, viz:

N. Luccock, S. B. Campbell, M. S. Hughes, Daniel McGurk, J. A. Freeman, M. F. Simmons and J. W. Jenkins.

Domestic Missions—The apportionments for Domessic Missions were made.

Transfers—The following transfers were announced. See Disciplinary Questions.

Closing—The Minutes were read and approved. The devotions were held. The appointments were read, and the Conference adjourned *sine die.*

Certificate of Ordination—This certifies that at Clinton, Mo., on March 24, 1907, I did ordain as Deacons, John H. Boner, Ralph Martin, Newton H. Hudson, John C. Stille, Peter R. Hoos and Clinton A. Harris; that at the same place and date, assisted by a number of Elders present, I did ordain as Elders, Oscar V. Suter, Alva M. Livingstone and George C. Bechtel.

Given under my hand, this 25th day of March, 1907.

L. B. WILSON.

This certifies that at Clinton, Mo., on the 24th day of March, 1907, I did consecrate Emma D Mourse, Deborah Davis, and Maude Z. Robinson as Deaconesses.

L. B. WILSON.

L. B. Wilson

PRESIDENT.

Perry E. Pierce.

SECRETARY.

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Anderson.. .....J. R. GOINS 2
Avilla..... .....Wm. L. Requa 1
Butler.....Curtis V. Criss 1
Butler Ct.....To be supplied
Carl Junction.....Frederick Getty 2
Carterville.....Wm. T. Ferguson 2
Carthage..... Thomas W. Jeffrey 5
Carthage Ct.....To be supplied
Duenweg.....To be supplied
Hume and Foster.....R. H. LINT 2
Iantha.....D. S. ALEXANDER 2
Jasper and Mt. Moriah .T. E. Prall 2
Joplin, Byers Ave. David W. Crow 4
Central Ave,....C E. Ferguson 1
Epworth.....John N. Moore 1
First Church.....Wm. F. Jones 4
Circuit.... ... To be supplied
Lamar .....John J. Martin 2
Liberal..... .. Electious H. Sapp 3
Moundville ....Leon H. Sweetland 1
Nashville.....Oscar V. Suter 4
Neosho.....Cyrus T. Harrison 2
Nevada.....George H. Cosper 4
Oronogo.....George M. Foster 1
Rich Hill..... .....A. E. Ryan 2
Sarcoxie.....J. Caleb Kirk 2
Seneca.... .. ..Clinton A. Harris 1
Sheldon....WILLIAM C. HEISKELL 2
Spurgeon.. .....E. L. SCHOLLE 2
Webb City.....Harry White 2
31 Charges.

Farmington District.

WM. R. McCORMACK, P. E., 2, Farmington, Mo.

Advance .....S. O. TAYLOR 2
Bismarck and Graniteville.....
....Edwin L. Speller 1
Bloomfield.....Thomas J. Gideon 1
Dudley .....J. E. STICKNEY 1
DeSoto.....Charles C. James 2
DeSoto Ct..... R. H. SHUTE 3
Doe Run.....Chas. L. Halterman 2
Farmington....Leon M. Thompson 2
Farmington Ct....,R. A. BROOKS 1
Flat River .....Andrew T. Osbron 2
Fruitland .....Artie M. Dixon 4
Hillsboro .....George H. Gideon 1
Ironton.....Andrew J. May 2
Lutesville.....D. E. BARRETT 2
Mt. View.....W. O. Tolbart 1
Palmer..... .....J. M CRISEL 2
Patton..... .....M. S. BUMPUS 1
Perryville..... To be supplied
Poplar Bluff.....Addyman Smith 2
Puxico.....A. H. BARNES 1
West Plains.....Scott F. Stevens 2
West Plains Ct..A. M. STICKNEY 1
Willow Springs..Thos. G. Peterson 2
Winona.....D. L. WALKER 3
24 Charges.

Kansas City District.

STEPHEN B. CAMPBELL, P. E., 3, 2625 E. Thirtieth St., Kansas City, Mo.

Adrain.....George A. Glens 1
Austin.....D. Wesley Britton 4
Amsterdam.....Wm. F. Baker 1
Belton.... .....Edwin E. Sparks 1
Centerview.....John H. Bishop 2
Drexel .....Wm. K. Chatten 2
East Lynne.....Floyd O. Moore 2
Garden City.....Chas. V. Bigler 1
Holden.....Rufus B. Templeton 2
Independence....H. G. Humphrey 2
Kansas Gity:
Arlington.....E. V. Claypool 1
Bennington Heights .J. E. Hall 2
Grace.....Walter E. Brown 2
Grand Ave .....Daniel McGurk 3
Howard Memorial. .H. A. Jones 2
Independence...Matt. S. Hughes 9
Assistant.....Frank Neff 2
Linwood Boulevard. . .....
.....Wm. T. Wright 3
Maywood & Beaumont..... ..
.....John E. Thackrey 2
Mt. Washington.....
.....I. J. K. Lunbeck 2
Oakhurst.....Jno. W. Coontz 6
Oakley....Frederick W. Simpson 1
Phœnix Park.....John F. Odom 3
Summit Street .. O. M. Stewart 5
Kingsville.....To be supplied
Lee's Summit.....W. G. Smith 1
Oak Grove.....Basil E. Niblack 3
Pleasant Hill.....Edwin T. Rice 2
27 Charges.

Lebanon District.

SAMUEL WARNER, P. E., 2, Lebanon, Mo.

Ava.....Andrew L. Simmons 2
Barnett.... .....F. M. STICKNEY 1
Buffalo..... .....C. V. Bryan 1
Buffalo Ct .... DANIEL W. LOWE 2
Conway .....W. Frank Baker 1
Eldon.....VERNE L. THOMPSON 1
Gainesville .....F. O. FORBES 1
Hartville.....John W. Slusher 1
Houston and Cabool, E. M. SMITH 1
Iberia . ...JAMES A. McFARLAND 1
Lebanon.. .....Henry A. Mitchell 1
Licking.....George C Bechtel 1
Linn Creek.. .....Marion A. Kerr 2
Macomb..... ....R. N. HOLLAND 1
Mountain Grove...J. W. Needham 1
Newburg and Dixon....F. P. Reno 1
Orla.....WM McCLANAHAN 2
Phillipsburg ...Purley B. Newman 1
Richland.....Jas. B. Brewington 1
Richland Ct.....C. S. TOWE 1
Rolla.....Thomas P. Shaffer 2
Seymour and Mansfield.....
.....Burrell D. Jones 1
Success.....WM. BAKER 1
Upshaw Ct.....TAYLOR MANN 1
Urbana.....C. Julius Wegener 2
Vichy.....G. W. KLIVER 1
26 Charges.

St. Louis District.

CHARLES R. CARLOS, P. E., 6, 3851a, Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.

Cuba.....To be supplied
Pacific.....To be supplied
St. Louis:
Bowman .....Wm. C. Coleman 1
Calvary.....R. N. JONES 1
Carondelet....Wm. Leatherman 3
Dr. Fry Memorial..... .....
.....Eli P. Anderson 2
Epworth .....MARTIN L. CURL 2
Goode Avenue ...H. C. Leonard 2
arlem P'ace...Thos. H. Corkill 2
Jennings and Wellston Park....
.....W. S WINKLER 1
Lindell Ave....L. H. Dorchester 5
Maple Avenue..Edwin B. Randle 1
Maplewood....David R. Martin 1
Neidringhaus...Henry L. Harvey 5
Overland Park...To be supplied
St. Lukes.....John W Borah 1
Shrewsbury Park..... ...
.....JOHN GAUTCHEFF 1
Trinity.....Ralph Wakefield 1
Tuxedo Park.....Wm. L. Gray 3
Union.....Naphtali Luccock 11
University ... To be supplied
Wagoner Memorial...A. D. Ball 1
Winsor.....Robert T. Smith 5
Webster Groves..To be supplied
Salem.....W. WARD SMITH 1
Sligo.....Peter R Hoos 2
Sullivan.....To be supplied
27 Charges.

Sedalia District.

ENOCH J. HUNT, P. E., 6, 914 West Third Street, Sedalia, Mo.

Alberta.....To be supplied
Appleton City ....Perry E. Pierce 4
Clinton.....D. L. Thomas 2
Deepwater.....To be supplied
Dresden .....Laban Anderson 1
Eldorado Springs .L. L. Brannon 1
Eldorado Springs Ct .....
.....To be supplied
Green Ridge.....J. W. Farr 1
Huntingdale..Geo. B. VanBuskirk 1
Knob Noster.....John C. Stille 2
Lincoln and Warsaw...E. O. SMITH 2
Malta Bend.....Joseph M. Carter 3
Marshall....George W. Shepherd 2
Montrose.....M. L. STILLE 2
Odessa and Higginsville .....
....Homer A. Babbitt 4
Pilot Grove.....J. M. Mason 2
Rockville.....George T. Beard 1
Schell Gity.....Clinton Senneff 2
Sedalia, Epworth....Clarke Baker 2
First Church..Sebern S. Martin 6
Smithton.... ...Francis S. Beggs 2
Tipton.....Robert A. Hunt 2
Urich..... .....To be supplied
Warrensburg.....Geo. J. Hunt 1
Windsor.....Everett Simpson 2
25 Charges.

Springfield District.

WILLIAM V. HAMEL, P. E., 3, 901 West Thomas St., Springfield, Mo.

Ash Grove.....To be supplied
Aurora .....To be supplied
Billings .....Marvin D. Cox 3
Boaz ....James Lokey 7
Bolivar..... . David T. Simmons 1
Cassville.....James F. King 2
Dadeville..... ... To be supplied
Fairplay.....To be supplied
Galena ... .To be supplied
Golden City.....Guy Z. Moore 2
Greenfield ....Wm. O. Turrentine 1
Humansville....WALTER P. ROSS 3
LaRussel.....To be supplied
Lockwood.....Wm. J. Simmons 1
Marionville...Francis P. Leckliter 2
Marionville Ct. .. To be supplied
Marshfield.....Chas. F. Tippin 2
Monett .... Alva M. Livingstone 1
Mt. Vernon....Edward W. Elayer 1
Osceola.....Wm. D Sidman 4
Pierce City and Purdy...W. T. Pare 1
Republic..... .....James Pine 2
Springfield:
Benton Ave....Henry B. Foster 1
Circuit.....To be supplied
Daily.....To be supplied
Grace.....John W. Stewart 2
Mt. Carmel..Chas. E. Wharton 1
Stockton .....L. R. Nichols 1
Waubleau.....Frank W. P. Camp 1
29 Charges.

Member Q C.

T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain St. Louis City Institutions.....Union
L. G Reser, Pres. Marionville Collegiate Institute..... .....Marionville
G. B. Thomas, Pres Carleton College .....Farmington
John H. Gillespie, Missionary in Wyoming.
A. G Keast, Missionary in Montana.
M. L. Curl; Executive Sec'y Methodist Deaconess Ass'n.....Dr. Fry Memorial
Julius Smith, Missions Lecturer Baker University..... Grand Ave.
H. A. King, Financial Sec'y Baker University..... ....Oakley
James S. itler, Conference Evangelist..... .....1st Ch., Sedalia
Silas A. French, " " .....Neosho
S. W. McClure. " " .....Linwood Boulevard
J. A Barker, Agent State Children's Home Society.....Howard Memorial

T. P. Woodson, left without app't to attend one of our schools, Independence Ave.
E. P. Miller, " " " " " " " " " " Linwood Boulevard
L. G. Adams, " " " " " " " " " " Benton Ave.
N. H. Hudson, " " " " " " " " " " Richland
J. C Gilbreath, " " " " " " " " " " Springfield
C. T. Cotton, " " " " " " " " " "

Total number of charges in the Conference, 189.

Disciplinary Questions

1. *Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?*
   Edward W. Elayer, from the Oregon; Charles C. James and Addyman Smith, from the St. John's River; D. Wesley Britton, from the Illinois; Edwin B. Randle, from the North Indiana; D. Weesner, from the Arkansas; A. E. Ryan, from the Gulf; Frederick Getty, from the Philadelphia; E. V. Claypool, from the Kansas; W. G. Smith, from the Kansas; G. A. Glenns, from the Austin; D. L. Thomas, from the Nebraska; J. W. Farr, from the Minnesota.

2. *Who have been Re-admitted?*
   John N. Moore and Amzi C. Wright.

3. *Who have been Received on Credentials and from what Churches?*
   Andrew T. Osbron, from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South

4. *Who have been Received on Trial?*
   (a) In studies of first year.
   Charles E. Ferguson, Frank W. P. Camp, Evert H. Maynard. James F. King, Charles J. Gilbreath, Thomas G. Peterson, George T. Beard, Leon H. Sweetland, Andrew L. Simmons, C. Julius Wegener, J. M. Mason, C. V. Bryan. Robert Arthur Hunt. W. O. Tolbart, Edwin L. Spiller and Charles Vernon Bigler.
   (b) In studies of third year.
   None.

5. *Who have been Continued on Trial?*
   (a) In studies of first year.
   Marion A. Kerr.
   (b) In studies of second year.
   Charles R. Wharton, Geo. B. VanBuskirk, John H. Bishop, John F. Odom, Thomas P. Woodson, Andrew J. May.
   (c) In studies of third year.
   None.
   (d) In studies of fourth year.
   Walter G. Smith.

6. *Who have been Discontinued?*
   Andrew L. Pritchett, Walter P. Ross.

7. *Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?*

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year?
John H. Boner, Ralph Martin, Newton H. Hudson, John C. Stille, Peter R. Hoos, Clinton A. Harris.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
William L. Gray.

8. *What Members are in Studies of Third Year?*

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
John H. Boner, Ralph Martin, Newton H. Hudson, John C. Stille, Peter R. Hoos, Clinton A. Harris.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
Edwin E. Sparks. Cyrus T. Harrison, Clinton Senneff, Edwin F. Miller, John H. Porter, Lewis G. Adams.

9. *What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?*

William L. Gray, Walter E. Brown, Harry G. Humphrey, Edwin T. Rice, William Frank Baker, Floyd O. Moore, Marvin D. Cox, J. Caleb Kirk, George B. Thomas, William K. Chatten, William L. Requa. Charles F. Tippin, James C. Bell, Charles A. Mitchell, Carlton T. Cotton.

Class of the Fourth Year, George C. Bechtel, L. R. Nichols.

10. *What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?*

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
Oscar V. Suter. Alva M. Livingstone.

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
Ralph Wakefield.

11. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?*

(a) As Local Preachers.
None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.
None.

12. *What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?*

(a) As Local Deacons.
None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.
George C. Bechtel.

13. *Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?*

This Was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

14. *Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?*
Charles Zimmerli, to the DesMoines; William R. Ward, to the Mexico; Clark Crawford, to the North Indiana; W. T. Gatley, to the Nebraska; S. J Heaton, to the Kansas; DeKalb Burnham, to the Kansas; J. C. Bell, to the Northwest Indiana; D Weesner, to the Missouri.

15. *Who have Died?*
George P. Miller, Levi W. Munsel and M. B. Wood.

16. *Who have been Located at their own Request?*
D. Everette Standard.

17. *Who have been Located?*
None.

18. *Who have Withdrawn?*
A. M. Lehr.

19. *Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?*
None.

20. *Who have been Expelled?*
None.

21. *What other personal Notation should be made?*
J. M. Mastion was received, as a Deacon from the Congregational Methodist Church; S O. Taylor, as a Deacon from the Free Will Baptist; Francis O. Forbes, as an Elder from the Free Will Baptist; T. W. Suter, as an Elder from the Methodist Protestant.

22. *Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?*
John H. Porter, five years. Edgar A Squier, four years; John Ashley, four years; James F. Corrington, four years; Edward D. C. Koeth, two years; William T. Pyles, two years; William K. Collins, two years; Harry R. Osborne, two years; V. C. Thomas, two years. Chas. A. Mitchell, one year, Joseph H. Fiedler, one year; Amzi C. Wright, one year.

23. *Who are the Superannuated Preachers?*
John B. Van Petten, Edwin H. Baird, Lewis R Carpenter, Henry A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Joseph Harris, Jacob S. Harris, John Welch, James S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, George W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, Leander Hallock. Francis M. Stickney, David C. Ridgway, Noble H. Buck, William Stephens, Wilbur F. Yeager, John W. Finley, Aaron H. Miller, Charles D. Fry, Wesley M. Creamer, Thomas H. Knease, Samuel Jones, John N. Pierce, Hervey Smith, Isaac M. Galbreath, John H. Hurley.

24. *Who are the Triers of Appeals?*
E. P Anderson, W. T. Wright, A. D. Ball, H. B. Foster, C. V. Criss.

25. *What is the Statistical Report for this year?*
See Statistical Tables.

26. *What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?*
$46,832.00.

27. *What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?*
$8,030.00.

28. *What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been applied?*
$4,895.00. See Conference Claimant's Directory.

29. *Where are the Preachers Stationed?*
See appointments.

30. *Where shall the Next Conference be held?*
Grace Church, Springfield.

Examiners and Their Work for 1907-8

President—M. L. CURL.

Registrar and Treasurer—C. C. James, De Soto, Mo.

O. M. Stewart, Harry King, Naphtali Luccock, C. V. Criss, L. M. Thompson, R. T. Smith, B. D. Jones M. S. Hughes, G. J. Hunt, D. W. CroW, T W. Jeffrey, J. J. Martin, F S. Beggs, J. W. Stewart, H. A. Jones, A. D. Ball, H. B. Foster, Wm. T. Wright.

SUBJECT FOR ESSAYS—"The Pauline Influence in the Early Church."

TEXT FOR SERMONS—Admission: John 3:16; First year, Titus 2:11,12; Third year, John 8: 31,32.

G. J. HUNT—Analogy of Religion.

H. A. JONES—Harman's Introduction, First and Second years.

F. S. BEGGS—Manual of Bible History; Manual of Christian Doctrine.

T. W. JEFFREY—Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief.

L. M. THOMPSON—History of Christian Church. Third and Fourth Years.

J. W. STEWART—Systematic Theology, Vol I.

A. D. BALL—Christian Perfection; Land of Israel.

D. W. CROW—English Branches.

M. S. HUGHES—Christian Ethics; Essays.

C. V. CRISS—Lectures on Homiletics; Sermons.

W. T. WRIGHT—Systematic Theology, Vol. II.

H. B. FOSTER—Logic.

R. T. SMITH—Outlines of Universal History.

B. D. JONES—Students of American History.

HARRY KING—Hermeneutics.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK—Outlines of Descriptive Psychology.

J. J. MARTIN—Short History of the English People

O. M STEWART—Discipline; John Wesley the Methodist.

M. L. CURL—To have general supervision.

C. C JAMES—To enter all grades and receive all fees.

To examine for Local Elder's Orders, W. T. Wright.

To examine for Local Deacon's Orders, D. W. Crow.

N. B.—At the earliest possible moment let each Examiner send to the Chairman the needed number of sets of questions for the books assigned him.

Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months, Let claims for College credits be presented at once to the Chairman.

No Sallabi will be required this quadrennium.

M. L. CURL, Chairman.
4537 Forest Park B'l'v'd, St. Louis, Mo.

Rules of Examining Board.

I. Examinations and Examiners.

1st. All examinations on the Conference course must be taken in the months of June, September, December and February, as per plan published in the Conference minutes. Page opposite.

2nd. All examinations must be taken before the Board member in charge of the study, or an appointee of the chairman, who must be a member of a Conference, and such sub-examiner must authenticate the examination and transmit all questions and answers to the said Board Examiner. See Discipline, 1904, Appendix par. 64, sec. 5.

3rd. All papers must emanate from the chairman, but the name of the examiner in each case will be made known to the student. Within 60 days from adjournment of the Conference each examiner will deposit with the Chairman a suitable number of sets of questions on each of the studies he has charge of. The minimum number of questions on one study being ten and the maximum twenty.

4th. No examinations will be granted at the seat of Conference except in cases of the most extreme necessity, and no re-examination shall be granted. A candidate for admission on trial will be granted examination at any time, on the request of his Presiding Elder, but the earliest date is desirable.

5th. Conference Examiners will report to the Registrar at the end of each schedule term as to the grades they have given.

II. Students.

1st. All candidates for examination who are present at the session of the Conference shall some time during the session be convened before the Board for mutual consultation.

2nd. In no case shall two or more examinations papers be bound together, but each must be made separate; on paper of uniform size designated by the

Board, viz: "letter" size. All must be neatly written in ink, or type-written, on one side only, and being properly dated, paged, fastened together and signed.

3rd. No undergraduate shall be advanced from the class of the first year or of the third year who has failed in any of the requirements of said year, except on the recommendation of two-thirds of the Board present and voting. In case of the continuance of any undergraduates in the same class or year, or their advance, they shall be permanently credited with the grades of the studies in which they passed

4th. All students must certify in writing that they have "read the books carefully."

5th. Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months.

6th. No grades will be furnished students before reporting thereon in Conference.

Credits and Fees.

1st. In view of the expense on the part of the Chairman and others, in postage, printing, etc., it is required that a fee of fifty cents be paid in advance to the Treasurer by each student *annually* while in the course. No papers will be sent without compliance with this rule.

2nd. Credits will be given by the Board through the Chairman in harmony wifh the provisions of the Discipline (1904) Appendix par. 63. Notice must be given the Chairman at the opening of the Conference year by those who intend to make claims for credits.

IV. Itinerant Club.

1st. The Board shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three, the Chairman and Registrar being members ex-officio, who shall have charge of the program of the "Itinerant Club," such program to be published not later than one month before the meeting of the Annual Conference. The committee for the year 1907-8 consists of J. W. Stewart, C. V. Criss, N. Luccock.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDER-GRADUATES. 1905-08.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the Studies of the four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference, for Undergraduates:

MONTHS	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May JUNE	1. Harman's Introduction. O. T. pp. 1-447. TO BE READ; 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol 1.—Sermons 1-33. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Harman's Introduction. N. T. pp. 448-770. TO BE READ, 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I.—Sermon 34-58. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Biblical Hermencutics. 2. Land of Israel. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. II. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief. 2. Outlines of Un. History, Part III. TO BE READ; 1. History of the Ritual M. E. Church. 2. The Pentateuch.—Bissell. 3. Methodist Review.
July August SEPT.	1. Lectures on Homiletics. TO BE READ; 1. Compendious History of American Methodism. 2. The Heart of Asbury's Journal. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Lessons in Logic. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. 1. 2. The General Conference and Episcopacy. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Outlines of Universal History, Parts I and II. TO BE READ; 1. History of Western Europe. 2. The Supernatural Book. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. II. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. III. 2. Governing Conference in Methodism. 3. Methodist Review.
Oct Nov. DEC.	1. Systematic Theology.—Miley, Vol.1. TO BE READ; 1. Digest of Methodist Law. 2. Extemporaneous Oratory. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Systematic Theology. Vol. II. TO BE READ; 1. English and American Literature. 2. Eccl. Architecture. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. 1. TO BE READ; 1. Christian Archaelogy. 2. Political Economy. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Butler's Analogy. TO BE READ; 1. Sociology. 2. Life and Epistles of Paul. 3. Methodist Review.
Jan. FEB.	1. Student's American History. 2. Written Sermon. TO BE READ; 1. Methodist Review.	1. Short History of the English People.—Green. 2. Essay. TO BE READ, 1. Methodist Review.	1. Psychology. 2. Written Sermon. TO BE READ; 1. Methodist Review.	1. Christian Ethics, 2. Essay. TO BE READ; 1. Methodist Review.

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Expenses vary with the habits of the students. One student came with $40 and remained through six years, earning most of his expenses. The average expense is about $200 per year: some spend more, some less. This much is certain: there is no place in the land where the same advantages can be secured for the same outlay of time and money.

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Box Street. **Baldwin, Kansas.**

Miscellaneous Appointments.

Triers of Appeals.

E. P. Anderson, W. T. Wright, A. D. Ball, H. B. Foster, C. V. Criss.

District Missionary Secretaries.

Carthage—D. W. Crow.
Farmington—L. M. Thompson.
Kansas City—J. W. Coontz.
Lebanon—T. P. Shaffer.
St. Louis—Ralph Wakefield.
Sedalia—Clinton Senneff.
Springfield—W. D. Sidman.

Conference Societies.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY—This society shall consist of the Presiding Elder, District Missionary Secretary and District Epworth League President of each District, and three additional men as follows:

CARTHAGE DISTRICT—Harry White, Mrs. J. C. Hodson, D. W. Crow.
FARMINGTON DISTRICT—Addyman Smith, W. T. Robertson, Fred Pease.
KANSAS CITY DISTRICT—W. N. Grant, E. T. Rice, J. W. McKee.
LEBANON DISTRICT—B. D. Jones, Ed Lingsweiler, Frank Houk.
SEDALIA DISTRICT—J. M Carter, H. L. Hunter, M. Harter.
SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT—A. M. Livingstone, F. A. Dunlap, Geo. Dillard.
ST. LOUIS DISTRICT—Wm. Leatherman, W. A. Cann, Geo. W. Brown.
D. W. Crow, President of the Conference Society.

EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY—J. W Stewart, President; F. W. Simpson, Secretary; Wm. F. Jones, M. S. Hughes, C V. Criss, J. W. Needham.

Conference Historical Society.

MANAGERS—O. M. Stewart, M L. Curl, H. B. Foster, W. S. Platt, T. H. Hagerty, Wm. Stephens.

COMMITTEES OF VISITATION—(See Report on Education.)

Commission of Aggressive Evangelism.

W. R. McCormack, W. T. Ferguson, T. W. Legg, S. B. Campbell, T. J. Langston, J. W. Jenkins, H. G. Mais, J. W. Scott, E. J. Hunt, F. P. Leckliter, E. W. Crone, C. R. Carlos, W. S. McAdoo, Wm. Sharp.

Board of Church Extension.

PRESIDENT—Hanford Crawford.

VICE PRESIDENT—Naphtali Luccock.

SECRETARY—M. L. Curl.

TREASURER—Alfred Mathews.

ADDITIONAL MEMBERS—Wm. Leatherman, F. L. Morgoon, M. D., T. P. Shaffer, H. G. Humphrey, Presiding Elders, Members, ex-officio.

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VICE PRESIDENT—T. H. Hagerty.

SECRETARY—J. E. Thackrey.

TREASURER—I. J. K. Lunbeck.

TRUSTEE TO SERVE THREE YEARS—T. H. Hagerty, I. J. K. Lunbeck, Hanford Crawford.

TRUSTEES TO SERVE TWO YEARS—N. Luccock, W. F. Jones, M. S. Hughes.

TRUSTEES TO SERVE ONE YEAR—O. M. Stewart, J. E. Thackrey, E. P. Anderson.

ADVISORY BOARD—E. P. Anderson, O. M. Stewart, J. E. Thackrey.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES—W. F. Jones, L. M. Thompson, T. P. Shaffer, J. E. Thackrey, P. E. Pierce, W. D. Sidman, M. L. Curl.

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PRESIDENT—E. P. Anderson.

SECRETARY—Wm. Leatherman.

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CARTHAGE DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, T. W. Jeffrey, D. W. Crow, W. H. Waters, Otto J. Gosh, J. S. Walker, W. F. Jones, W. T. Ferguson, C. T. Orr.

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SEDALIA DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, S. S. Martin, Clarke Baker, Jacob Brandt.

SPRINGFIELD DISRICT—Presiding Elder, Eli Paxon, J. H. Dameron, F. P. Leckliter, C. V. Criss

MISSIONARY SERMON--H. B. Foster; Alternate, L. M. Thompson.

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons.*	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevolences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	..	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	..	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av. K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

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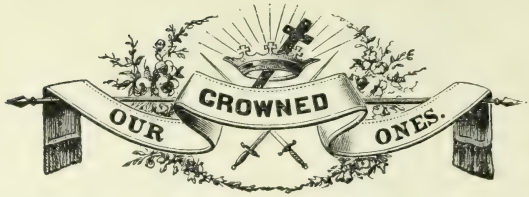
33	1901, March 20....	Bolivar	Andrews	Wm. Stephens....	L. E. Gower.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	6	3	11	3	6	3	..	20	2	3	32 338	18 815
34	1902, March 26....	Bulter.....	Warren	Wm. Stephens....	P. E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	8	8	9	7	4	..	..	17	1	..	32 573	22 189
35	1903, March 25....	Marshall.....	Hamilton	Wm. Stephens....	P. E. Pierce.....	I. J K. Lunbeck	5	8	10	6	2	..	..	10	1	2	30 025	26 025
36	1904, March 23....	Carthage	Walden.....	Wm Stephens....	P. E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	12	4	10	3	3	3	1	9	1	..	33 882	27 259
37	1905, March 22 ...	Farmington	McDowell.	Wm. Stephens....	Wm. D. Sidman.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	12	5	8	3	11	2	1	14	2	2	34 350	29 940
38	1906, March 29....	Joplin.....	Fitzgerald	Perry E Pierce...	Wm. D. Sidman.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	8	10	10	11	3	..	..	12	3	2	36 432	32 567
39	1907, March 20....	Clinton.....	Wilson	Perry E. Pierce ..	Wm D. Sidman.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.....	16	7	16	6	3	1	1	8	2	3	36 407	46 832

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	1837	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark.. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

IN MEMORIAM—CONTINUED.

Robert I. Fleming	1886 Aug. 28 '84	Seattle, Wash.	34	Effective	8
Benj. F. Poole	1875 Nov. 25, '94	St. Louis, Mo.	43	Effective	19
Thos. M. Durham	1872 July 30, '95	Irwin, Mo.	49	Supernumerary	23
Rolan Moffat	1851 Aug. 27, '95	Washburn, Mo.	80	Superannuated	41
Erastus A. Porter	1872 Oct. 21, 95	Rich Hill, Mo.	50	Superannuated	23
Jas. W. Cowden	1866 Aug. 23, '96	Lebanon, Mo.	72	Superannuated	39
Wilbur G. Williams	1876 Apr. 16, 97	St. Louis, Mo.	44	Effective	20
William Jones	1862 Jan. 1, '98	Kansas City, Mo.	64	Effective	34
Francis Ballaine	1880 Aug. 15, '98	Horine, Mo.	65	Superannuated	18
Jacob Miller	1859 Apr. 16, '99	Kelleysville, I. N.	73	Superannuated	40
Cyrus Brough	1878 May 8, '99	St. Louis, Mo.	52	Superannuated	21
Wm M. Beatty	1887 Sept. 17, '99	Marshall, Mo.	51	Effective	12
Harry M Hackney	1875 Dec. 3, '99	Ashland Neb.	50	Superannuated	21
Jas. H. Vaughan	1859 Apr. 15, '00	St. Clair Co., Mo.	80	Superannuated	41
Jas. D. Daniel	1847 Aug. 28 '00	Sedalia, Mo.	65	Superannuated	33
Albert Jump	1877 Jan. 5, '01	Holden, Mo.	60	Effective	24
Clark B. Beaty	1876 May 9' '02	Buffalo, Mo.	52	Superannuated	16
Isaac Entwisle	1866 July 30, '02	Indianapolis, Ind.	78	Superannuated	36
Standford Ing	1878 Nov. 11 '04	Thompsonville, Ill.	81	Superannuated	46
Benj F. January	1880 Nov. 15, '04	Dixon, Mo.	71	Effective	24
Theodore S. Benefiel	1866 Aug 28, '05	Lamar, Mo	77	Superannuated	18
Alanson Barber	1865 Mar 27, '06	Baxter Springs, Kas	72	Superannuated	18
Levi W. Munsell	1841 Apr. 24, '06	Peggy, Mo	88	Superannuated	21
George P. Miller	1889 May 7, '06	Tipton, Mo	52	Effective	16
Milton B. Wood	186			Superannuated	16

Memoirs.

Rev. Levi W. Munsell.

Levi W. Munsell was born Nov. 13, 1817, of New England parents, in Macon county, West Virginia. Soon after his parents moved and settled in Miami Co., Ohio, near the town of Fletcher, where he grew to manhood. He was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in his young manhood. Soon he felt called of God to preach, but not feeling qualified, he fought off the conviction and lost his peace with God. His life was not satisfactory to himself until 1838, when he surrendered fully to God and his work; then his peace returned and life was a joy. He was licensed to exhort in the spring of 1839, and in the fall of the same year was licensed to preach. He taught school in 1839 and 1840. He commenced another term in the fall of 1840, but after one day of this term was asked by the Presiding Elder to take charge of Bellfontain Circuit. He dismissed his school, bid good-bye to his parents on his birthday, and commenced his ministerial experience. Shortly he was changed to Milton Circuit, from which he was received into the Ohio Conference in 1841, and appointed to Malta Circuit. He filled the following appointments in the Ohio Conference: 1841, Malta; 1842, Braxton; 1843, Ravenswood; 1844-45, Supernumerary on account of ill health; 1846, Diverton; 1847, Patriot; 1848, Jackson; 1849-50, Galia; 1851-52, Richmondale; 1853, Amesville; 1854-55, Coolville; 1856-57, Barlow; 1858, he located because of ill health. During the period of his location he filled various charges in Illinois and Ohio Conferences

as supply. From 1872 to '79 he supplied charges in St. Louis Conference. In 1880 he was re-admitted to the St. Louis Conference and appointed to Barnville Circuit. During his active work in this Conference it was my privilege as Presiding Elder to be associated with him, and always with pleasure and profit. He took the superannuated relation in 1885, and continued in that relation until his death, which occurred on April 24, 1906. In 1843 he was received into full membership in Ohio Conference and ordained Deacon by Bishop Soule, and ordained Elder by Bishop Hamlin in 1845. He moved with his family to Shannon Co., Missouri, in 1972, and filled appointments in Shannon, Carter, Reynolds, Texas, Wright, Webster, Douglas, Ozark and Oregon couuties—in all about forty years' work. On August 22d, 1843, he was married to Mary T. Dean, with whom he lived sixty-one years and three months. She preceded him to the skies about two years ago. To this union there were born eight children, two sons and six daughters. One son and three daughters survive him.

Brother Munsell was a logical and instructive preacher, always edifying his hearers; a man of spotless life and Christian integrity; devoted to God and the Methodist Episcopal Church. He was of a noted family. One of his brothers, Rev. Oliver S. Munsell, was President of Illinois Wesleyan University for several years, and author of Munsell's Psychology, a book which was in the course of study for Traveling Preachers for four years. He fought a good fight, finished his course, kept the faith, and has received the crown of righteousness.

F. S. BEGGS.

Rev J. P. Miller.

George Parkhurst Miller was born in Cleveland, Ohio, March 21, 1854. He graduated from the Geauga Seminary in Ohio in 1876 and moved to Beloit, Kas., in 1878. He was married to Miss Christine Hull, near Beloit, Kansas, May 27, 1880. To them were born one son and three daughters. Bro. Miller was converted near Beloit in 1883. Soon after this he began to preach the Gospel. In 1889 he was admitted to the Northwest Kansas Conference on probation. He was admitted to full membership at Norton, Kas., and on March 29, 1891, was ordained Deacon by Bishop Merrill. Bishop Joyce ordained him Elder at Salt Lake City, June 25, 1893. Bro. Miller represented Sevier county in 1895, and was a member of the assembly that framed the constitution for the new State of Utah While in the Northwest Kansas Conference he served Barnard two years, Mentor two years, Brookville six months. and Gypsum City five months. As a missionary to Utah, he served Monroe three and one-half years and Mount Pleasant nine months. Returning to his Conference, he was pastor at Norka five years and at Goodland one and one-half years. He was granted the Supernumerary relation in 1904.

Coming to Missouri, he supplied Houston and Cabool until March, 1905, at which time he was transferred to the St. Louis Conference and appointed to California. Here he did efficient work until October, when he was changed to Pacific. At our last Conference session, he was appointed to the Tipton charge.

Being sick when he reached Tipton, he preached but one sermon. At the evening services he broke down completely, from which he never rallied. He died in great peace Monday, May 7. Two days later, assisted by Rev. F. S. Beggs and C. Baker, the Presiding Elder, the writer, conducted the funeral services in the Tipton church, after which the remains were gently laid to rest in the cemetery near by.

Brother Miller was a true man, an effectionate father, a devoted husband, a loyal Methodist and a preacher of high grade. He possessed the revival spirit in a marked degree—often his earnestness caused him to exert himself beyond his strength. He was greatly pleased with his charge and the kindness of the people. His ambition was to live and preach Christ. He was planning for large results. He could not bear the thought of being compelled to give up the ministry. He realized the last day he lived that his work was done. A few hours before he died he said good-bye to his wife and children and committed himself to the Savior.

He fought a good fight, kept the faith, and finished his course. Henecforth he wears the crown of life. E. J. HUNT.

Laura Belle Heaton.

HEATON—Laura Belle Lowmaster was born in the village of McCutchenville, O., January 30, 1859, and died in Kansas City, Mo., July 3, 1906. Her father was a Methodist class-leader, steward and Sunday School superintendent. He was mighty in prayer, full of the Holy Ghost and of faith. Her mother was devout, one of the elect women of Methodism. The circuit-riders who came that way made the Lowmaster home their home. Such itinerant preachers as Barnes, Kennedy, Miller, Culver, Webster and Hill were often guests in this home. In this atmosphere of piety the deceased lived and grew into womanhood. Late in the summer of 1874—before the circuit-preacher, who was John Wesley Hill, senior, went to Conference, a ten-days' meeting was held in the old brick meeting house in McCutchenville. Among the number who confessed Christ and joined the Church in that meeting were Laura Belle Lowmaster and Samuel Judson Heaton. A few years rolled by and these two were united in marriage by the same minister who had received them into the Church; and a year or two later they went to Western Kansas, which was then a frontier field. Her husband's first appointment as an itinerant preacher was the Arlington circuit, a large field with magnificent opportunities for heroic service. It was their first experience in a new country. She was a mere girl, a thousand miles from her relatives, but she never complained and was never homesick so far as any expression of Mrs. Heaton's indicated. She was brave and enduring and when her husband's faith seemed to falter, her faith shone like a fixed star in heaven. The parsonage of this charge was one rented room in a farm house, about thirty miles from the nearest railroad station. With her husband she traveled in a buggy that year, perhaps several thousand miles,

visiting the people in their homes– often in sod houses or dug-outs. She led the singing in the protracted meetings, and if there was an organ, she presided at the keys. Twelve years were spent in Kansas; the charges served by her husband were generally difficult ones, and she was always his most faithful helper. Fifteen years were spent in Missouri, – Pleasant Hill, Clinton and Arlington Church in Kansas City. In these charges she was as abundant in good works as she had been in Kansas, save in the last two years of her life, when ill health limited somewhat her sphere of activity. She had the missionary spirit in a large measure. She was well versed in the missionary literature of the Church, and by close study had familiarized herself with the work in many of the foreign fields. She gave time and money to the work and it was always prominent in her prayers. She was equally interested in home mission work, and one of her last efforts in that department when she was seriously ill—body and mind so weak that she could not think consecutively—was to see to it that a box well filled with valuable clothing was sent to one of the preachers of the St. Louis Conference. But her efforts were not confined to the mission work of the Church. She was interested in every department.

Mrs. Heaton's early education was received in the village school of McCutchenvile and the high school of Upper Sandusky, Ohio. She had not the advantage of a college training, but she read much and thought more, and though she gave much time to the Church and her household cares were many, she read books and was conversant with current literature. Her judgment was almost unerring. Her husband testifies that he never made a mistake when he followed her counsel. She was unostentatious in her manners, sweet and gentle. She was always actuated by the holiest motives. She could not think an impure thought. She could not do an unkind deed. She never made an enemy. She was one of the most affectionate of wives, a loving, sacrificing mother. She was as patient as she was brave, and, like the Master, she gave herself for others. She exemplified the doctrines of Christ in her daily walk and conversation. Her last illness was protracted. She suffered much, but never complained. On Tuesday morning, July 3, about the hour of eleven, while she and her husband were lovingly chatting together in their parsonage home in Kansas City, the fatal stroke came without warning. Two hours later the spirit was released from the earthly tabernacle and entered the house not made with hands; "and earth was poorer and heaven the richer, for another of those honorable women was brought into the palace of the king." For nearly thirty years she and her husband walked together. Six children were born unto them, five of whom survive—three sons and two daughters, all members of the Church.

Mrs. Rose B. Mortland.

Mrs. Rose B. Mortland was the honored wife of a former member of this Conference. She was born in Edinburg, Scotland; her maiden name was Leslie. In 1875, she was married to the Rev. Samuel Mortland, and at once took

her place as his co-laborer and companion in their pastorate in North Springfield, Mo. From here they were moved to Rolla in 1875 and to Independence in 1877-78, then to Holden in 1879-82, to Lamar in 83, and back to Independence in 84-85. Here Brother Mortland's health failed and he died just at Conference time. Sister Mortland has made her home ever since with her only daughter, Mrs. John Flourney, who lived in Kansas City, Mo., until a year and a half ago, when Sister Mortland removed to Eureka Springs, Arkansas. Here at Eureka Springs, while seeking to regain her fast failing health, she died Feb. 7, 1907. While sleeping peacefully in her chair her earthly life faded away. She awakened in the light and likeness of her Lord. She had suffered long and with great patience, constantly breathing out the radiance of an especially amiable and saintly Christian character. Her body was brought to Independence, where the funeral services were held in the Watson Memorial Methodist Episcopal church. Dr. O. M. Stewart spoke tenderly of her heroic life as the wife of an itinerant Methodist preacher. The present pastor of the church also made a short address on that occasion. Her remains were laid to rest by the side of her late husband in a beautiful plot in the cemetery of Independence.

Mrs. Naphtali Luccock.

By Rev. O. M. Stewart, D. D.

Mrs. Ettie Anderson Luccock was born in Jefferson County, Ohio, in 1853. In her childhood was secured the spirit and training of Methodism. Her father, John Anderson, was a Methodist class-leader; her brother, Rev. T. W. Anderson, is an honored member of the East Ohio Conference. She was educated at Hopedale Seminary and Mt. Union College. September 27, 1877, she was united in marriage with Rev. Naphtali Luccock, D. D., now pastor of Union Church, St. Louis. It was with rare gifts and supreme devotion that she filled this large and influential sphere of a Methodist preacher's wife in the Pittsburg, Erie and St. Louis Conferences. When her husband was a professor in Alleghany College, the charm of her home circle was potent over the young men of that institution and throughout the college community.

Mrs. Luccock was no specialist. Her views and services were always broad and bright. Her qualities were each so well orbed and the shining circle of them so complete that she was alike everywhere, every day and on every side. With her, friendship was so sincere, ease so natural, simplicity so forceful, leadership so conceded, dignity so artless, her spirit and devoutness so edifying--indeed, her life such a unity that from one luminous center emanated one complete realm of cheering light and radiant deeds. Her strength of character appeared to advantage on every side. It seemed to be in her courtesy, kindness, singleness of purpose, alertness of thought, certainty of judgment, devoutness of heart, skill af service and consecration of life. The spiritual intensity, the appropriate compass and sweetness of all her public efforts, including prayers and testimonies, can never be forgotten. The brightest halo that crowned this beautiful, potent life came in the long weary months and years of her final sufferings. At this time her patience was heavenly, her faith supreme and her triumph complete. Her loved ones saw her not only "made perfect through suffering," but from day to day "transfigured before them"

Conference Claimant's Directory.

NAME.	ADDRESS.	AM'T REC'D
Baird, E. H	Marionville, Mo.	$ 90 00
Barber, Mrs. Alanson	Baxter Springs, Kas.	100 00
Beatty, Mrs. W. M.	1642 H. Street, San Diego, Cal	100 00
Beaty, Mrs. C. B.	Bluffton, Ind	70 00
Benefiel, Mrs. T. S.	Lamar, Mo	50 00
Buck, N. H	Seneca, Mo.	65 00
Bewley, Mrs. C. A.	Butterfield, Ark	100 00
Brough, Mrs. Anna B.	7323 Mich. Ave., St. Louis, Mo	150 00
Clifford, Mrs. A. J.	1317 N. 7th St., Kansas City, Kas.	80 00
Cowden, Mrs. H. R	1427 Wash. Ave., Colorado Sp'gs, Colo.	85 00
Creamer, W. M.	3730 Park Ave , Kansas City, Mo.	125 00
Daniel, Mrs. Sadie B.	1100 Mess Ave., Sedalia, Mo	210 00
Durham, Mrs. M. M.	1409 25th St., Oklahoma City, Ok.	160 00
Finley, J. W.	Eldorodo Springs, Mo	130 00
Fry, C. D.	Cabool, Mo	50 00
Garner, Mrs. Eliza	1622 W Walker St., Dennison, Texas.	60 00
Harris, J. S.	Cuba, Mo.	150 00
Harris, Joseph	15 Rill St., Dorchester, Mass	100 00
Heinlein, Mrs. J. J.	1445 Monroe St. N W. Washington, D.C.	55 00
Houts, Mrs. M. A.	Centerville, Mo., R. F. D. 38	60 00
Hughey, G. W.	Galena, Mo	225 00
Hurley, J. H.	Crawford, Colo	80 00
January, Mrs. M. B.	Dixon, Mo.	160 00
Jump, Mrs H. A.	2003 E. 7th St., Kansas City, Mo.	160 00
Jones, Samuel	Clinton, Mo.	100 00
Knease, T. H	Box 17, Seymour, Mo.	200 00
Little, Mrs. Corilla.	Cartersburg, Ind.	50 00
McKee, Mrs. Rachel	5157 Morgan St., St. Louis, Mo.	60 00
Miller, Mrs. L. E.	Steelville, Mo.	80 00
Moffat, Mrs, A. J.	Washburn, Mo., Barry Co	125 00
Porter, J. S.	Rich Hill, Mo	185 00
Porter, Mrs. L. A.	Carona, Kas.	60 00
Ridgway, D. C.	111 Pearl St., Springfield, Ohio	100 00
Sallaway, Mrs. M. E.	Smithton, Mo	165 00
Stephens, William	Belton, Mo	325 00
Stickney, F. M.	Eldon, Mo.	100 00
Threlfall, Henry	Galena, Mo.	145 00
Toland, H. A.	Hyattville, Big Horn Co., Wyo	80 00
Walker, Mrs. C B.	Marionville, Mo	80 00
Welch, John	ElDorado Springs, Mo	200 00
Wood, M. B.	1815 New Eng. Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.	75 00
Yeager, W. F.	Marionville, Mo	50 00

PASTORAL RECORD.

(Including 1906.)

This Record is intended to include only the appointments during membership in Conference, and not those as supplies.

Adams, L. G.—1899, 00, Moundville; '01-'04, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '05, '06, at school.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99, Nevada; '00-'05; P. E. Carthage Dist.; '06, St. L., Dr. Fry Memorial.

Anderson, Laban—M. E. Sh. So.; St. L Conf M. E. Ch., 1904 Montrose; 05, Deepwater; '06, Huntingdale.

Ashley, Jno.—St. L. Conf. 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler, '88, '89, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '90, '91, Lebanon; '92, '93. Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca; '00-02, Bloomfield: 03, Pacific; '04-'06, Sup'ry.

Babbitt, H. A.—1888, '89, High Point; '90, '91, Cuba; '92, '93, Butler Ct.; '94-'97, Oak Grove; '98-'00, East Lynne; '01, Rockville; 02, '03, Smithton; '04-'06, Higginsville and Odessa.

Baird, E. H.—Pitts. Conf., 1859, Senecaville; '60, Edinburg; '61, Butler; '62, Newton; '63, '64, New Lexington; '65, Bible Agt.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '66, '67, Buffalo; '68-'75, Bible Agt.; '76, '77, Republic; '78-'06. Sup'ted.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'95, Austin; '96-'97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton; '02, '03, Rockville; '04, Deepwater; '05, '06, Butler Ct.

Baker, C.—Ark. Conf., 1892, West Side Mission, Little Rock; St. L. Conf., 1893, Festus; '94, Fair Play; '05, '96, Billings; '97, Springfield. Daily Chapel; '98-'00, Humansville; '01, Liberal; '02, '03, Schell City; '04, '05, Smithton; '06, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.

Baker, William Frank—1904, Garden City; '05, '06, Iberia.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00-05, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '06, St. L., St. Luke's.

Barker, J. A.—Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf, 1901, '02, St Louis, Bowman; '03, Carondelet; '04-'06, Butler.

Bechtel, Geo. C.—1904, Salem; '05, '06, Newburg and Dixon.

Beggs, F. S.—1859-'60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63, '64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67, '68, Cape Girardeau; '69, '70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, St. L. Central; '83, K. C., Summit St.; '84, St L Carondelet; '85, '86, Sup'ry (with work); '87-'91, P E. Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93, '94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95, '96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L. Tower Grove; '99, Goode Ave.; '00-'05, Rolla; '06, Smithton.

Bell, J. C.—W. Neb. Conf., 1896, Grant; '97, Paxton; St. L. Conf., '98, Oronogo; '99, '00, Nashville; '01, '02, Hume and Foster, '03-'06, at school.

Bell, M.—1877, '78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80, '81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87, '88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93, '94, Adrian; '95-'06, Supt'ed.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Genl. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-'93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'04, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Asociation, Sup'ry; '05, '06, Conf. Evangelist.

Borah, J. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1894-'95, Irvington Ct.; '96, Watson Ct.; '97, '98, Patoka Ct.; '99-'01, Okawville; '02-'04, E. St. L. Century Ch.; St. L. Conf.; '05, '06, St. L. Maplewood.

Brannon, L. L.—1800, Eldorado Sp's Ct., '01, '02, Huntingdale; '04, '05, Green Ridge; '06, Deepwater.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82, '82, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85 Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield; '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Peirce City; '93, Greenfield; '94 Webb City; '05, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97, '98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part), Pacific (in part), Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place; '03-'06, Sup'ted.

Brown, Walter E.—1904, '05, Carthage Ct.; '06, K. C., Grace.

Buck, N. H.—1870, '71, Leesburg; '72, S. James; '73, '74, Licking; '75, '76, Potosi; '77, Webster; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80, Houston; '81-'83, West Plains; '84, Greenfield; '85, Avilla; '86, Billings; '87, Dixon; '88-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'06, Sup'ted.

Burnham, D. K.—1900, Carthage Ct.; '01, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '02, Moundville; '03-'06, at school.

Campbell, S. B.—1887, '88, Osceola; '89-'91, Nevada; '92, St. Louis, Goode Av.; '93-'97, Maple Av.; Mo. Conf., '98-'02, St. oJseph, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, K. C., Linwood Av.; '05, '06, P. E. Kansas City Dist.

Carlos, C. R.—Ill. Conf., 1889, '90, Cisco; '91, St. Joseph; '92, '93, Grove City; '93, Raymond; '95-'97, Springfield, Kumler Ch.; '98 (in part), Greenfield; '99, '00, Anti-Saloon Work; St. Louis Conf., '00 (in part), '01, St. Louis, Trinity Ch.; '02-'05, P. E. St. L. Dist.

Carpenter, L. R.—1874, Dadeville; '75, '76, Mecklin; '77-'79, Butler Ct.; '80, '81, Austin; '82, K. C., 16th St.; '83, '84, K. C., Dundee Place; '85-'87, Sup'ry; '88-'06; Sup'ted.

Carter, J. M.—Tenn. Conf.; 1870, Galloway and Brownsville; '71 Benton and Henry, '72; Tullahoma; '73, '74, Prof. in University; '75, Dickson, '76, Long Branch; Cen. Tenn. Conf., '77, '78, Shelbyville; '79, McMinnville; '80, '81, Tullahoma; '82-'85, P. E. McMinnville Dist; '86, Tullahoma; '87-'89, P. E. Nashville Dist.; '90, '91, Tullahoma; '92, '93, P. E., Tullahoma Dist.; '94-'99, P. E., Huntingdon Dist.; '00-'02, Huntington; '03, Lexington; '04, Field Worker, S. S. Un.; St. L. Conf., '05, '06, Malta Bend.

Chatten, W. K.—South Kans. Conf., 1904, Crestline; '05, New Lancaster; St. L. Conf., '06, Drexel.

Coleman, W. C.—Kansas Conf., 1893-'95, DeSoto; St. L. Conf., '96-'00, Kansas City, Summit St.; '01-'06, Warrensburg.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76, '77, Cambridge; '79, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa; '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L., Trinity; '86, Clinton; '87-'89, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01, '02, Pleasant Hill; '03-'05, Lee's Summit; '06, Sup'ry.

Coontz, J. W.—S. W. Mo. Conf. (M. E. Ch. So.), 1898-'00, K. C., Washington St.; '01, '02, Neosho; St. L. Conf (M. E. Ch.); '03, Holden; '04-'06, K. C., Hammond Place (Oakhurst).

Corkill, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1883, Osceola; '84, '85, Butler Ct.; Austin Conf., '86, Gainsville; '87, Waco Trinity Ch.; '88-'92, Dennison, 1st Ch.; '93-'95, Iowa Park; '96, Sup'ry; '97, Dallas Missions; '98-'01, P. E. Fort Worth Dist.; '82-'05 (in part), Dennison Grace Ch.; St. L. Conf., '05, Holden; '06, St. L., Harlem Place.

Corrington, J. F.—1873, '74, Dresden; '75 '76, Independence; '77, '78, Butler; '79-'81, St. L., St. Luke's; '82, '83, Water Tower; '84-'87, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '88, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '89-'93, St. L. Water Tower; '94-'98, St. Luke's; '99, Tower Gr.; '00-'03, Financial Agt. 20th Century Offering; '04,-'06, Sup'ry.

Gosper, G. H.—Ark. Con., 1885, Ellsworth; '86, '87, West, Fort Co.; '88, Argenta; '89, Little Rock, Ebenezer; '90, '91, Rodgers; '92, Eureka Springs; St. Louis Conf., '93-'97, Bolivar; '98-'00, Rich Hill; '01-'03, Lamar; '04-'06, Nevada.

Cotton, S. T.—1903; '04, Avilla; '05, '06, Springfield, Mt. Carmel.

Cox, M. D.—1904, Cassville; '05, '06, Billings.

Creamer, W. M.—1873-'85, in Ohio Conf., M. P. Ch.; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86, '87, Salem; '88, '89, Farmington; '90, Sup'ry; '91, Fredericktown; '92-'94, Malta Bend; '95, Gr Ridge; '96, Osceola; '97, Rockville, '98, '99, Sup'ry; '00, Linn Creek; '01, Iberia; '02, Phillipsburg; '03, Sheldon; '04, Iantha; '05, '06, Sup'ted.

Criss, C. V.—1877, '78, Lamar; '79, '80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82, '83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92, '93, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'04, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '05, '06, Springfield, Benton Av.

Crow, D. W.—1881, '82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86, '87, Crystal City; '88-'92, DeSoto; '93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '00-'03, DeSoto; '04-'06, Joplin, Byers Ave.

Curl, M. L.—Ill. Conf., 1868, Paxton Ct.; '69, Farmer City Ct.; '70, '71, Farmer City; '72, Arcola; '73, Champaign, University Ch.; Mo. Conf., '74-'76, Louisiana; '77, Glasgow; '78-'80, Chillicothe; '81-82, Hannibal; '83-'86, P. E. Kirksville Dist.; '87-'89, Pres. Lewis Col.; Ark. Conf., '90-'92, Pres. Little Rock University; '93, P. E. L. R. Dist.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part)-'98, Marionville and Pres. of Institute; '99-'01, Clinton; '02-'05, St. L. Dr. Fry Memorial; '06, Executive Sec'y Methodist Deaconess Ass'n, St. L.

Dixon, A. M.—Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch. So., 1900, West End; '01-'03, Du Quoin, S. Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch., '03, Mt. Vernon Ct; St. Louis Conf., '04-'06, Fruitland.

Dorchester, L. H.—N. E. Conf., 1889-'93, Springfield, St. Luke's; '04-'98, Westfield, 1st Church; '99-'01, Boston, People's Temple; '02, Newton Centre (the above in Mass.); St. L. Conf., 1903-'06, St. L., Lindell Ave.

Feidler, J. H.—West Ger. Conf., 1887-'89, Denver, Colo.; '90-'92, Papillo, Neb.; '93-'95, Wichita, Kan.; '96-'98, Enterprise, Kan.; '99-'00, Sedalia, Mo.; '01-'04, Children's Home Soc'y, St. L.; St. L. Conf., '05-'06, Poplar Bluff.

Ferguson, W. T.—1897, '98, Carl Junction; '99, Carthage Ct.; '00, '01, Carl Junction; '02-'05, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '06 Carterville.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70, '71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73, '74, Patterson; 75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; 81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84, '85, Sup'ry; '86, '87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91, '92; Knobnoster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Springs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Windsor and Leeton; '04-'06, Sup'ted.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93, '94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'02, Green Ridge; '03, '04, Liberal; '05, '06, Joplin, Central Ave.

Foster, H. B.—Kan. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Church; St. L. Conf., '92, Mountain Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94, '95, Mountain Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00-'05, P. E. Lebanon Dist.; '06, St. L., Trinity.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83; Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94, '95, Carterville; '96, Golden City, '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01, '02, Pierce City; '03, '04, Seneca; '05, '06, Conf. Evangelist.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83, '84, Prairie Grove; '85, '86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Avilla; '88, '89, Billings; '90, '91, Dadeville; '92, '93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99, '00, Bolivar Ct.; '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool; '03, '04, Ava.; '05, '06, Sup'ted.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85, '86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98-'99, Carterville; '00, '01, Eldorado Springs; '02-'06, Sup'ry.

Gatley, W. T.—1900-'02, Wheatland; N. Neb. Conf., '03, Bancroft; St. L. Conf., '04, '05, East Lynne; '06, Adrian.

Gideon, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1878, '79, Magazine; '80, '81, Charleston; '82, '83, Ellsworth; '84, '85, Magazine; '86-'88, Amity; '89, Hot Springs; St. L. Conf., '90-'92, Festus; '83, '94, DeSoto; '95, Hartville; '96, '97, Buffalo; '98, '99, Hume and Foster; '00, '01, Golden City; '02, '03, Carl Junction; '04, '05, Carterville; '06, Oronogo.

Gideon, T. J.—1897, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99, '00; Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02-'04, Hartville; '05, Conway; '06, Buffalo.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873, '74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78, '79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83, '84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88, '89, Pleasant Hill; '90-'06, Missionary to Wyoming.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855, '56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58, '59, Newark; '60, '61, Princeton; '62, '63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Loius Conf., '64, St. Joe; '65-'68, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '69-'72, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '73-'75, P. E. St. Louis Dist.; '76, '77, Jefferson City; '78, '79, Pleasant Hill, '79, '80, K. C., Liberty St.; '81-'83, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '84,-'86, St. L., Water Tower; '87-'06, Chaplain St. L. Institutions.

Hall, J. E.—1901, '02 Adrian; '03-'05, Webb City; '06, K C., Bennington Heights.

Halterman, C. L.—Congregational Ch., ——; M. E. Ch., St. Louis Conf., '03, Salem; '04, St. L., Carondelet; '05, Harlem Place; '06 Doe Run.

Hamel, W. V.—1878, K. C., 16th St.; '79, '80, Cuba; '81,-'83, Appleton City; '84, '85, Smithton and P. Gr.; '86-'91, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '92, Carthage; '93-'97, Warrensburg; '98, Smithton; '99-'04, Springfield, Benton Ave.; '05, '06, P. E. Springfield Dist.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64, '65, Brighton; '66, '67, Salem; '68, Duquoin; '69-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E. Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree Col.; '86, '87, Sup'ry (with work); St. L. Conf., '88, '89, St. L., Trinity; '90, '91, St. Luke; '92, '93, Sup'ry (with work); '94, St. L., '95, Union, Ass't Pastor; '96-'06, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73, '74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76, '77, Ironton; '78, DeSoto; '79, Schell City; '80, '81, Lebeck; '82, transf'd to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92, '93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96-'06, Sup'ted.

Harrison, C. T.—1904, '05, Oronogo; '06, Neosho.

Harvey, H. L.—W. Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03-'06, St. L., Neidringhaus Memorial.

Heaton, S. J.—1892, '93, Pleasant Hill; '94-'98, Clinton; '99-06, Kansas City, Arlington.

Hughes, M. S.—Iowa Conf., 1887, Ewart Ct.; '88, '89, Malcom; '90, Grinnell; Maine Conf., '90-'94, Portland, Chestnut St.; N. Minn. Conf., '95-'98, Minneapolis, Wesley Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '99-'06, K. C. Indep. Av.

Hughey, G. W.—S. Ill., 1850-1878; St. L. Conf., '79-'81, St. L., Trinity; '82, '83, Carondolet; '84, Conf. Tem. Agt.; '85, Carondolet; '86-'88, Carthage; '89-'93, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '94, '95, Benton Ave.; '96-'06, Superanuated.

Humphrey, H. G.—1896-1901, at school; '02, K. C., Howard Memorial; '03-'05, at school; '06, Independence.

Hunt, E. J.—1878, '79, Walnut; '80-'82, Osceola; '83-'85, Malta Bend; '86, East Lynne; '87-'90, Holden; '91, '92, Lee's Summit; '93, K. C., Arlington; '94-'99, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '00, '01, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '02-'06, P. E. Sedala Dist.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry City; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S.; '96-'00, Lamar; '01, '02, Lebanon; '03-'06, Bolivar.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84, '85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnel Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in school; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf. (mid-year), St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96, '97, California; '98, Urbana; '99, '00, Licking; '01, Hartvlle; '02, Knobnoster; '03, 04, Huntingdale; '05, '06, Dadeville.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97-'02, Malta Bend; '03, '04, Rich Hill; '05, Transf'd to St. Johns Riv. Conf.; St. Louis Conf., '06, DeSoto.

Jeffrey, T. W.—S. W. Kan. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03-'06, Carthage.

Johnston, F. C.—N. D. Conf., 1889, '90, Leonard; '91, '92, Steel; '93-'95, Dickinson & Gladstone; '96, Ludden; '97, Tower City; '99, Rolla; '00, '01, Leeds; '02, '03, Bottineau; St. L. Conf., '03 (in part), Mountain Grove; '04, Aurora; '05, Salem; '06, Transf'd to West Kansas Conf.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton; '98-'03, Butler; '04-'06, Joplin, 1st Church.

Jones, Sam'l.—1873, '74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsvlle; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79-'00, Sup'ry; '01,-'06, Sup'ted.

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1878 Huntingdale; '79, '80, Yellville; '81, '82, Mountain Home; '83, '84, Waldron; '85, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '87-'89, P. E. Harrison and Ft. Smith Districts; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part); St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Marshfield; '98-'99, Bolivar; '00-'03, Monett; '04-'06, Mountain Grove.

Jones, H. A.—1892, '93, Missionary in Utah; '94, at school; '95-'98, St. L., Goode Av.; '99-'05, Springfeld, Grace Ch.; '06, K. C., Howard Memorial.

Keast, A. G.—1899, '00, Iantha; '01, '02, Humansville; '03-'06, Lockwood.

King, H. A.—1898, K. C., Liberty St.; '99, Kansas Av.; '00, '01, Oakley; mid-year at school; '02, '03, at school; '04, Transf'd to Maine Conf., St. L. Conf.; '05 (in part), '06, K. C., Oakley.

Kirk, J. C.—1904-'06 (in part), Hume; '06, Sarcoxie.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; 74, Perryville; '75, '76, Springfield; '77 '78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Sprngs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84, '85, Cassville; '86, '87, Mt. Vernon; '88, '89, Urbana; '90, '91, Stafford; '92,-'06, Sup'ted.

Koeth, E. D. C.—1896, Graniteville; '97, '98, Bonne Terre; '99-'01, Tipton; '02, Liberal; '03-'05, Doe Run,; '06 Sup,ry.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-'92, Farina; '93, '94, Pinckneyville; '95-'98, Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Av.; '02-'03, Neosho, '04, DeSoto; '05, '06, St. L. Carondolet.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00, '01, Mt. Vernon; '02, '03, Missionary to Montana; '04, Sup'ry; '05, Springfield, Daily Ch; '06 Marionville.

Lehr, A. M.—1898, Alberta; '99, '00, Knobnoster; '01, Marshall; '02-'06, Sup'ry.

Leonard, H. C.—1902, St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; 1903, '04, Harlem Place; '05, '06 (in part), DeSoto.

Livingstone, A. M.—S. W. Kan. Conf., 1897, Coldwater; '98, '99, Latham; '00, '01, at school; '02, '03, Argonia; St. L. Conf., '04,-06, Greenfield.

Lokey, J.—Ark. Conf., 1879, '80, Clear Cr.; '81-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Batesville; '85, Harrison; '86-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Ks.; St. L. Conf., '90, '91 Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93, '94, Purdy; '95-'97, Mt. Vernon; '89, '99, Purdy; '00, Billings; '01-'06, Boaz.

Luccuck, N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1874, '75, Tippecanoe, O.; '76, Addison, Pa.; '77, '78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-'84, Pittsburg. Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Allegheny Col.; '88-91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92-'96, Pittsburg, Smthfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897-'06, St. Louis Union Ch.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870, '71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72, '73, K. C., 16th St.; '74, '75, Rolla; '76-'78, Greenfield; '78, '79, Carthage; '80-'82, Lebanon; '82-'85, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-'91, Rolla; '92, Nevada; '93-'95 Holden; '96-'01, Lee's Summit; '02-'04, K. C. Phoenix Park; '05, Cor. Sec. of Evan. Ch. Ext. Society, Kan. Cy., Mo.; '06 K. C., Mt. Washington.

Mais, H. G.—1895-'96, St. Louis Trinity; '97-'02, Carondelet; '03,-'05, Lebanon; '06, P. E. Carthage Dist.

Martin, J. J.—1878, '79, Seneca; '80, '81, Oronogo; '82, 83, Avilla; '84, '85, Golden City; '86-'89 Marionville; '90, '91, Mt. Vernon; '92-'94, Joplin; '95, '96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden; '03-'05, Independence; '06, Lamar.

Martin, S. S.—Iowa Conf., 1877, '78, Ottumwa; '79, Melrose; '80, '81, Morning Sun; '82-'84, Koeta; '85, Agency; S. Kan. Conf., '86-'88, Howard; '89, '90, Chanute; '91, '92, Independence; '93-'98, P. E. Ottawa Dist.; '99-'01, Ft. Scott; St. L. Conf., 1902-'06, Sedalia, 1st Ch.

McClure, S. W.—E. Ohio Conf., ———; St. Louis Conf., 1901, '02, St. L., Goode av.; '03-'05, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '06 Springfield, Daily.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Doe Run; '99, '00, Ironton; '01, '02, Fruitland; '03-'05, Farmington; '06, P. E. Farmington Dist.

McGurk, D.—N. W. Kan. Conf., 1887, Mentor; '88-'90, Tescott; Rock R. Conf., '90, '91, Park Side; '92, '93, Harvey; N. W. Kan. Conf., 93, Belleville; '94-'98, South America (Miss'y.); N. W. Kan. Conf., '99-'01, Jewell City; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03; Gladbrook, '04, '05 (in part), Cedar Falls; St. L. Conf., '05, '06, K. C., Grand av.

Miller, E. F.—1903, '04, Oak Grove; '05, '06, at school.

Miller, G. P.—N. W. Kan. Conf., 1889, Barnard; '90, '91, Mentor; '92, Gypsum City; '93-'96, Utah Mission; '97-'02, Narka; '03, Goodland; '04, Sup'ry; St. L. Conf., '05, California and Pacific; '06, Tipton, Died ——.

Mitchell, C. A.—1896, '97, Neosho; '98, '99, Peirce City; '00-'05 (in part), Financial Agt. Marionville Col. Institute.

Mitchell, H. A.—1900, '01, Lincoln and Warsaw; '02-'06, Eldorado Spgs.

Moore, F. O.—1904, '05, Centerview; '06, East Lynn.

Moore, G. Z.—1900, Sheldon; '01-'03, Nashville; '04, '05, Carl Junction; '06, Golden City.

Munsell, L. W.—Ohio Conf., 1841, Malta; '42, Braxton; '43, Ravenswood; '44, '45, Sup'ry; '46, Diverton; '47, Patriot; '48, Jackson; '49, '50, Gallia; '51, '52, Richmondale; '53, Amesville; '54, '55, Coolville; '56, '57, Barlow; '58 located because of ill health. During location served various charges in Ill. and Ohio Conf., as supply. From '72-'79 supplied work in St. L. Conf.; '80, re-admitted to St. L. Conf., app't'd to Barnesville; '81-'06, Sup'ted. ('83-'94, acted as supply.)

Needham, J. W.—1890, '91, Winona; '92, '93, at school; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield; '02, '03, Osceola; '04-'06, Monett.

Neff, F.—1901, '02, Bolivar; '03-'06 (in part), Clniton; '06, assistant, K. C., Indendence Av.

Newman, P. B.—From Meth. Pr. Ch.; '06, Houston and Cabool.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S., 1897, '98, Conway; '99, '00, Sarcoxie; '01, '02, Butler Ct.; '03, Austin; '04, Drexel; '05, '06, Oak Grove.

Nichols, L. R.—S. Ill. Conf., —; St. L. Conf., '04, '05, Sullivan; '06, Fairplay.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend, '74, Marshall; '75, '76, Warsaw; '77, '78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80-'82, Butlet Ct.; '83, '84, Austin and Pl. Val.; '85, '86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92, '93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; 99-'06, Sup'ted.

Osborne, H. R.—Mo. Conf., 1892, Osborn; 93, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; '94, '95, at school; Iowa Conf., '96, Nichols; '97, '98, Sweetland; Cen. O. Conf., '99, '00, Timberville; '01, '02, Grand Rapids; Gulf Conf., '03, '04, Port Arthur; St. L. Conf., '05, Marshall; '06, Sup'ry.

Pare, W. T.—1886, '87, Hermitage; '88, '89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'03, Newberg and Dixon; '04, 05, Sligo; '06, Pacific.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1859, '60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61, '62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; St. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67, '68, K. C., Grand av.; '69-'71, St. L. Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73, '74, Warrensburg; '75, '76, Carthage; '77-'80, P. E. Sedalia District; '81, '82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85, Lee's Summitt; '86-'90, Sup'ry; '91, 92, Lowry City; '93-'00 Sup'ry; '01-'06, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00-'03, Joplin, Byers av.; '04-'06, Appleton City.

Pine, J.—1879-'81, Cape Girardeau; '82, '93, Rolla; '94, Bolivar; '85, Knobnoster; '86, '87, Lincoln; '88-'90, Carterville; '91, St. L., Jennings; '92-'95, Sarcoxie; '96, 97, Joplin, 2nd Ch.; '98, '99, Moutain Grove; 1900 Transf'd to Okla. Conf.; St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), "06, Republic.

Porter, J. S.—1873, '74, Dunksburg; 75, Aullville; '76, Brownville; '77-'79, Malta Bend; '80, '81, Knobnoster; '82, '83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87, '88, East Lynne; '89, Knobnoster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'06, Sup-ted.

Porter, J. H.—1896, Mountain View; '97, Potterville; '98, Appleton City Ct.; '99, '00, Lowry City; '01, '02, Eldorado Sp'gs. Ct.; '03-'06, Sup'ry.

Prall, T. E.—1897-'99, Sullivan; '00, '01 (in part), Old Orchard; '01-'03, Pilot Grove; mid-year to Montrose; '04, '05, Schell City; '06, Jasper.

Pyles, W. T.—S. W. Mo. Conf., M. E. Ch. S., 1883, Vienna; '84, Altoona; '85, Exeter; S. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-'88, Knobnoster; '89, '90, Smithton and Pilot G.; '91, Malta Bend; '92, '93, Buffalo; S. Kan. Conf., '94, Cedarville; St. L. Conf., '95, Golden City; '96-'97, Carterville; '98, Butler Ct.,; '99, '00, Austin; '01, '02, Rich Hill; '03-'05, Marionville; '06, Sup'ry.

Reno, F. P.—1894, Carl Junction; '95, '96, Rockville; '97-'00, Huntingdale; '01, Lamonte; '02, '03, Tipton; '04, '05, Buffalo; '06, Conway.

Requa, W. L.—1902, '03, Fairplay and S.; '04, Mt. Vernon; '05, '06, Belton.

Resler, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93, '94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at school; '97, K. C. Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '99-'06, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Rice, E. T.—1903-'05, Golden City; '06, Pleasant Hill

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf., to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97, '98, Pleasant Hill; '99, '00, Higginsville; '01-'06, Sup'ted.

Ryan, A. E.—Gulf Conf. ———; '06, Rich Hill.

Sapp, E. H.—1899-'02, Webb City; '03, '04, Butler Ct.; '05, '06, Liberal.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899, '00, Hartville; '00 (in part), '01, California; '02-'05, Richland; '06, Rolla.

Shepherd, G. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1886-'88, Louisville; '89-'91, Sumner; '92, '93, Flora; '94-'97, Fairfield; '98, '99, Belleville, 1st Ch.; '00, '02, Alton; St. L. Conf., '03, St. L., Maplewood; '04, Anti-Saloon League Work; '05, St. L. Trinity; '06, Marshall.

Sidman, W. D.—1895,-'97, Stockton; '98, '99, Republic; '00-'03, Greenfield; '04-'06, Osceola.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876, '77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79, '80, Russellville, '81-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85, '86, Sloam Spirngs; St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville; '88-'90, Greenfield; '91, '92, West Plains; '93-'98, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '99-'02, Marionville; '03, Carterville; '04, Neosho; '05, '06 (in part), Sarcoxie.

Simmons, D. T.—1892, '93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-'01, Fairplay; '02-'04, Marshfield; '05, '06, Eldon.

Simpson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97-'00, Osceola; '01, '02, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '03-'06, St. L., Bowman Ch.

Simpson, E.—1899, '00, Avilla; '01-'04, Sarcoxie; '05, Neosho; '06, Windsor.

Slusher, J. W.—Ark. Conf., 1887 Yellville; '88, Greenbrier; '89, Wildcherry; '90, Oxford; '91, L. Rock Ct.; '92, L. Rock, North Side; '93-'97, Atkins; '98-'00 (in part), Almyra; Okla Conf., '00-'02, Lehigh & C.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, Conway; '05, '06, Seymour.

Smith, J.—Mo. Conf., 1884-'88; St. Louis Conf., '98, '90; Bengal, Burma, Conf., P. E. Burma Dist., '91-'01; Burma Mission Conf., P. E. Burma Dist., '01-'03; '04 ———; '05, Secy. Indian Missionary Jubilee; St. Louis Conf., '06, Instructor in Missions. Baker University.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89, '90, Hartville; '91-'93 Republic; '94, Schell City; '95, '96, Montrose; '97, '98, Green Ridge; '99, '00, Lamonte; '01, Wndsor and Leeton; '02-'06, Sup'ry.

Smith, R. T.—1883, Sheldon; '84-96, at school; '87-'89, Peirce City; '90-'92, Payson, Utah; '93-'95 K. C., Summit St.; '96-'98, Springfield, Benton Av.; '99, '00, Anti Saloon League; '01, '02, Conf. Evangelist; '03-'06, St. L., Baden.

Sparke, E. E.—1903, '04, Moundsville; '05, '06, Seneca.

Standard, D. E.—1904, '05, St. L., St. Luke's; '06, Lebanon.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville⅛ '67-'69, Marshall; '70-'71, Independence; '72, '73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77, '78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '87, '88, Smithton; '89-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97, '98, Drexel; '99-'02, Odessa; '03-'06, Sup'ted.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kan. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84-'86, Galesburg; '87-'90, Virgil; '91, '92, Americus; '93-'96 Waverly; '97,-'99, Galena; '00-'02 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02, '03, Nevada; '04, '05, Lamar; '06, West Plains.

Steves, H. L.—East O. Conf., 1882, Bissells; '83, '84, Thompson; North O. Conf., '85, '86, Vermillion; '87, '88 (in part), Bloomville; '88-'90 (in part), Utah Mission, Logan; '90-'94, LaGrange, O.; '95-'97, Medina; Austin Conf., '98-'00 (in part), Dallas, Tabernacle Ch.; St. L. Conf., '00 '01, St. L., Fry Mem.; '02-'04, Trinity; '05, Pres. Carleton Col.; '06, St. L., Goode Ave.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65, '66, Manor Hill; '67-'68 Grencastle; St. L. Conf.; '69, '70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield; '75-77, S. L. Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81, '82, P. 9, Sedalia Dist.; '83-'85, Carthage; '86, K. C., Summit St.; '87-'92, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '93-'98, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '99, '00 K. C. Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Av.; '02, Clinton; '03,'06, Kanass City, Summit St.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kan. Conf., 1877, '78, Oxford; '79-'81, in school; '82, '83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87, '88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E. Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, 1st Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part), '02, Carthage; '03-'05, Kansas City, Howard Mem.; '06, Springfield, Grace.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; 81, '82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'89, Iberia; 90, Linn Cr.; '91-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'06, Sup'ted.

Sutor, O. V.—1905, '06, Nashville.

Squier, E. A.—So. Ill. Conf. ———; St. L. Conf., 1900, West Plains; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Webster Grove; '04-'06, Sup'ry.

Templeton, R. B.—Blue Ridge Conf., 1893, St. L. Conf.; '05, Rich Hill; '06, Holden.

Thackrey, J. E.—N. W. Neb. Conf., 1894, Crawford; '95-'98 (in part), at school; Kan. Conf., 1898-'01 (in part) Chapman; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part); '05, Kansas City, Grace Ch.; '06, Maywood.

Thomas, G. B.—1904, '05, Poplar Bluff; '06, Pres. Carleton College.

Thomas, V. C—N. W. Iowa Conf., 1891, Whitemore; '92, Larrabee; '93, Moville; '94, Mt. Hope; '95, '96, Holly Sp's.; '97 (in patr), Whiting; '98, Washta; '99, '00, W. Ft. Dodge; '01, Newell; '02, '03 (in part), Hull; St. L. Conf., '04, Belton; '05, Adrian; '06, Sup-ry.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'03, Appleton City; '04, '05, Pleasant Hill; '06, Farmington.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70, '71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72, '73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77, '78, Mecklin; '79, 80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82, '83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86, '87, Conway; '88, '89, Dadeville; '90, '91, Galena; '92, '93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'06, Sup'ted.

Tippin, C. F.—1896, '97, Newberg and Dixon; '98-'00, Seymour; '01,-'04, Eldon; '05, 06, Marshfield.

Toland, H. A.—1885, High Point; '86, Butler Ct., '87, '88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90-'06, Sup'ted.

Turrentine, E.—1901, Houston and Cabool; '02, '03, Lowry City; '04, La-Monte; '05, Dresden; '06, Rockville, in part.

Turrentine, W. O—1896-'98, Dadeville; '99-'02, Conway; '03, '04, Billings; '05, '06, Peirce City.

Van Petten, J. B.—Black Riv. Conf., 1852, '53, Cape Vincent; '54-'60, Fairfield Sem'y.; '61, Chaplain in the Army; '62-'65, in Military Service; '66, located; St. L. Conf. (re-admitted), '80, '84, Sedalia Seminary; '85-'99, Claverack Col., N. Y.; '00-'06, Sup'ted.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82, '83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-'89, St. L., Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91, '92, Holden; '93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96, '97, Kan. City, Howard Mem.; '98-'00 (29th St.), Grace Ch.; '01-'05, Bennington Heights; '06, P. E. Lebanon Dist.

Wakefield, R.—1903-'06, St. L. Tower G. (Wagoner Mem.)

Welch, Jno.—Iowa Conf.—Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville; Mo. and Ark. Conf., 1866, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68, Linn Creek; '69, Washington; '70, '71, Linn Creek; '72, Versailles; St. L. Conf., '73, Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78, '79, Sup'ry.; '80-'06, Sup'ted.

White, H.—1895, '96, Seneca; '97, '98, DeSoto; '99, '00, St. L., St. Luke's; '01,-'05, West Plains; '06, Webb City.

Wood, M. B.—N. W. Ind. Conf., 1867, Wheeler; '68, Calumet; '69, Argus; '70-'72, Pittsburg, '73, '74, Summit Grove; '75, Wheeler; '76, '77, Jamestown; '78-'82, located; St. L. Conf., '83; St. L., Goode Ave.; '84, Farmington; '85, Carterville; '86, Jasper; '87, Tipton; '88-'06, Sup'ted.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88, Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93, '94, Cartervile; '95-'98, Joplin; '99-'04, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '05, '06, K. C. Linwood Blvd.

Yeager, W. F.—1880,'82, Cassville; '83, '84, Dadeville; '85, '86, Buffalo; '87, '88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90, '91, Fairplay; '92, 93, Dadeville; '94-.'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '99, '00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena; '02, Marionville Ct.; '03-'06, Sup'ted.

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Reports.

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session March 20-25, 1907.

Perry E. Pierce.

Report of the Auditing Committee.

The Auditing Committee of the St. Louis Conference at Clinton, Mo., have examined the accounts of the Presiding Elders, Missionary accounts, Conference Treasurer's accounts, Conference Secretary's accounts, and found them to be correct.

L. M. THOMPSON, Chairman.
H. G. HUMPHREY, Sec'y.

March 23, 1907.

Benevolences.

We are in sympathy with and highly recommend the action of our last General Conference in the consolidation of our Benevolent interests. The Committee seeks to lay upon the hearts of all our pastors and people the pressing importance of our various Church Benevolences.

We sincerely recommend that our pastors take up a special collection for the benefit of stricken Methodism in California, and that this collection shall be taken on or about the 21st of April.

We recommend that the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension shall receive our loyal support and we pledge our endorsement of the high aim of its motto, "America for Christ," and as pastors and people will endeavor to

raise our quoto of $1.000,000 for Home Missions and Church Extension, and that it will be our pleasure to welcome into our pulpits and District Conference and Epworth Leagues the representatives of this Board.

We emphasize the importance of the work which is being done by the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Educational Society in the South, and urge our people to its loyal support.

We believe in the work of the Sunday School Union and desire to recommend that Sunday School Institutes be held whenever and wherever practicable within the bounds of the Conference.

Believing that tracts are a very important agency for the religious instruction of our people, we recommend that each pastor obtain his quoto of tracts and distribute them among his people.

Since the knowledge of the Bible lies at the foundation of all Christian work, we are in unqualified sympathy with and endorse the work of the Bible Society in the circulation of the Holy Scriptures.

F. S. BEGGS, Pres.
S. F. STEVENS, Sec'y.

Conference Board of Church Extension.

The Conference Board of Church Extension desires to report the following: At a meeting held October 16, 1906, the Board recommended that aid be given to churches as follows: La Russell, $100; Poplar Bluff, $1,000; Dixon, $100. The Secretary reported that within one year three loans had been paid. This was an occasion of much gratification. But still there are outstanding loans as follows:

Birch Tree—Principal, $200, plus interest, $96; total, $296.

Harrisonville—Principal, $500, plus interest, $135; total, $635.

Sullivan, Bethel Church—Principal, $200, plus interest, $194; total, $394.

Sedalia Epworth—Principal, $821, plus interest, $141.49; total, $962.49.

Thornfield—Principal, $200, plus interest, $148; total, $348.

Gainesville—Principal, $150, plus interest, $9; total, $159.

Springfield, Mt. Carmel Church—Principal, $25.59, plus interest, 39c; total, $25.98.

Purdy—Principal, $100, plus interest, $45.50; total, $145.50.

This gives us a final total of $3,485.77, or $38.89 more than last year.

Three churches have disappeared from the list of debtors to the Loan Fund, viz: Garden City, Stockton and Fortuna. Birch Tree, Harrisonville, Sullivan, Thornfield and Purdy have done nothing and their obligations have increased. These cases ought to be carefully looked after. Until these loans have been adjusted additional loans will not be made within the Conference.

Respectfully,
HANFORD CRAWFORD, Pres.
MARTIN L. CURL, Sec'y.

Deaconess Board.

The Deaconess work within the bounds of our Conference contines to prosper greatly, The Epworth Evangelistic Institute never had a more prosperous year. There are 35 students who are being taught by a very efficient faculty. While being trained in the practical duties of a deaconess, the students accomplish much good. Five thousand three hundred and ten religious calls have been made, and 1037 visits to the sick. Prayer has been offered in 1207 homes, and 1352 persons have professed conversion or sanctification. Misses Deborah Davis, Emma D. Nourse and Maude Z. Robinson have been licensed and consecrated during this session of our conference, The Kansas City National Training School also has had a year of great prosperity. Nine thousand two hundred and eighty-nine visits have been made to homes, and 418 to the different city institutions; 84 persons were led to Christ; 40 were brought into the church, 130 scholars to the Junior League, 328 scholars to the Sunday schools, and many other things, entirely too numerous to mention.

We are happy to report that Mrs. Ellen Burge has given to the W. H. M. S. a house and lot valued at $8,000 located in a very desirable part of Springfield, Mo., to be used as a deaconess hospital. It was formally opened last Thanksgiving day, and is well furnished with everything needed in a hospital of that size. Eighteen patients have already been cared for with unusual success.

Resolved—1. That we congratulate Mrs. Iva Durham Vennard and Miss Anna Neiderheiser on the continued prosperity and efficiency of their schools, and that we will support these schools by our sympathy, our prayers and our money, and urge our people to do the same.

2. That we express our thanks to Mrs. Ella Burge for her munificent gift, and that we will help to make it a great blessing to suffering humanity.

3. That we request the General Deaconess Board to authorize the location of a Deaconess Institute at Springfield, Mo., to be under the management of the W. H. M. S.

ROLL OF DEACONESSES FOR THIS CONFERENCE.

Name.	*Place of Consecration.*	*Time.*
Mrs. Kate M. Cooper	Grand Forks, N. D.	1900
Miss Anna Neiderheiser	Kansas City, Mo.	1902
" Minnie L. Manley		
" H. Rebecca Bell	Farmington, Mo	1903
" Minnie L. Pike.	Kansas City, Mo.	1905
" Anna Combs,	St. Louis, Mo	1906
Mrs. Rhoda M. Scharf,	St. Louis, Mo	1906
" Julia G. Short	St Louis, Mo	1906
Miss Mary Dripps	St. Louis, Mo	1906
" Alice Combs	St. Louis, Mo	1906
" Mary Bear	Oklahoma	1906
" Deborah Davis	Clinton, Mo	1907
" Emma D Nourse	Clinton, Mo	1907
" Maude Z. Robinson	Clinton, Mo	1907

ELI P. ANDERSON, Chairman.

SAMUEL WARNER, Secretary.

Domestic Missions.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Anderson, $60; Central Avenue, $100; Liberal, $80; Neosho, $100; Seneca, $60; Spurgeon, $50; Joplin Circuit, $40; Epworth, Joplin, $34. Total, $524.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

Advance, $40; Bloomfield, $40; Bonne Terre, $100; Patton, $20; Dudley, $30; Flat River, $100; Ironton, $100; Lutesville, $40; Mt. View, $30; Palmer, $20; Perryville, $28; Poplar Bluff, $200; Willow Springs, $100; to the District, $100. Total, $948.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Amsterdam, $60; Belton, $60; Centerview, $60; East Lynne, $30; Garden City, $60; Kingsville, $70. Total $340.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

Ava, $50; Buffalo, $50; Gainesville, $25; Hartville, $50; Houston and Cabool, $50; Iberia, $50; Licking, $50; Linn Creek, $50; Newburg and Dixon, $50; Phillipsburg, $45; Seymour and Mansfield $50; Upshaw Ct., $25; Urbana, $25; Vichy, $50; District, $124. Total, $744.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Cuba, $70; Pacific, $70; Salem, $70; Sullivan, $70; Harlem Place, $50; Tuxedo Park, $70. Total, $400.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Alberta, $46; Odessa and Higginsville, $124; Knobnoster, $40; Lincoln and Warsaw, $40; Marshall, $100; Montrose, $40; Rockvillle, $50; Urich, $100; Windsor, $100. Total, $640.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $32; Aurora, $36; Billings, $40; Cassville, $32; Dadeville, $45; Fair Play, $32; Galena, $50; Humansville, $50; Marionville Ct., $20; Peirce City and Purdy, $32; Springfield Ct., $20; La Russell, $40; Lockwood, $40; Mt. Carmel, $72; Stockton, $50; Weaubleau, $48. Total, $639.

I concur in the foregoing appropriations,

K. G. Ohrlson

Education.

BOARD OF EDUCATION, FREEDMAN'S AID AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Because of the consummation of the plans for the consolidation of the Benevolences it will be necessary that the work of this reorganized Board be carefully considered in order that it may be intelligently presented to our several congregations. We urge that there be no abatement of our zeal in behalf of any of the interests thus amalgamated. To this end we recommend that as far as possible Lincoln Day, Children's Day and Rally Day be utilized for the purpose of presenting these great causes to our churches and Sunday schools.

THEOLOGICAL SCHOOLS.

We record our appreciation of the work done by our great Theological Schools and reccomend that, as far as possible, our young men avail themselves of the excellent facilities for theological training which they present.

CENTRAL WESLEYAN COLLEGE.

We are gratified at the showing made by the Central Wesleyan College and congratulate the management on the solid growth and substantial quality of the Institution and heartily commend it to the confidence of the Church.

ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE.

We rejoice in the remarkable progress of this, the only distinctively woman's College under the auspices of our Church in the Mississippi Valley. We earnestly recommend it to those who desire to send their daughters to a woman's College.

BAKER UNIVERSITY.

We hear with great satisfaction of the continued prosperity of Baker University, in attendance, material gain and spiritual life, and heartily endorse its aggressive leadership and pray for its continued success. We heartily commend it to our young people desiring higher educational advantages.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

We congratulate the School on the prospect of the completion of its new Main Building for use at the opening of the new school year in September. We are pleased to note the Institute is accredited with the Northwestern University and that its graduates in the Classical and Scientific Courses receive Freshman credits at Baker University.

CARLETON COLLEGE.

We note with gratification the improvements made at Carleton College and the general advancement of the school. We are especially pleased with the success of President Thomas in his efforts to raise $8,000 with which to improve the property and clear the institution of all indebtedness. We urge the pastors and their congregations in the patronizing territory to heartily cooperate with the school in raising the $1,100 yet necessary to complete the good work.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Your Committee recommends:

1. That the sum of $2000 be apportioned to the Carthage, Kansas City and Springfield Districts and credited to Marionville Collegiate Institute, and that an equal sum be apportioned to the Sedalia, Lebanon, Farmington and St. Louis Districts and credited to Carleton College.

2. That the Secretary be instructed to prepare a column in the statistical tables in which special gifts for local educational purposes may be reported.

3. That each pastor make a strenuous effort to meet the full amount apportioned to his charge and report in open Conference the amount received.

4. That S. B. Campbell, J. W. Jenkins and Daniel McGurk be recommended for trustees for Baker University and H. A King be appointed Educational Secretary.

5. That L. G. Reser be appointed by the Bishop to the Presidency of Marionville Collegiate Institute for the ensuing year and that S. D. Cannaday and Charles T. Orr be elected to fill vacancies on the Board of Trustees.

6. That the Board of Trustees of Marionville Collegiate Institute be authorized to advance the course of study of said Institute from time to time as they may be able to maintain the expense incurred thereby, to the full requirements of a college curriculum.

7. That the following be elected Trustees of Carleton College: First, Miss E. A. Carlton, F. L. Glover, T. H. Hagerty, W. R. McCormack and F. P. Graves, whose terms expire 1907; second, J. E. Cover and C. B. Denman to succeed Clay and Zimmerman; third, S. A. Long and L. M. Thompson to succeed L. H. Dorchester and W. E. Crow, whose term expires 1909; fourth T. J. Langston to succeed G. M. Wilson, whose term expires 1910.

8. That the Bishop appoint G. B. Thomas as President of Carleton College for the ensuing year.

9. That the following be appointed as a

COMMITTEE OF VISITATION:

Baker University—H. A. Jones, G. H. Cosper.
Carleton College—W. T. Wright, Eli P. Anderson.
Central Wesleyan College—Matt S. Hughes.
Drew Theological Seminary—F. Neff.
Garrett Biblical Institute—S. B. Campbell, G. J. Hunt.
Illinois Woman's College—M. L. Curl.
Marionville Collegiate Institute—W. F. Jones, S. B. Campbell, A. M. Livingstone.
McKendree College—A. D. Ball, J. W. Borah.
Woman's College, Baltimore—Fayette L. Thompson.

Respectfully submitted, MATT S. HUGHES, Chairman,
DANIEL MCGURK, Secretary.

Publishing Interests.

Our Methodist publishing houses, east and west, are competing with other great publishing houses of the world, and our people should know that we are obtaining commercial values in dividends.

Our family of Advocates rank with the best religious periodicals of the world.

Our Sunday school publications, from leaflet to journal, are unexcelled.

And we especially commend the Teachers' Journal as worth a place on the the table in every home.

We commend the Central Christian Advocate, so ably edited by Dr. C. B. Spencer, as well worth a place in every Methodist home in its territory.

We also cordially commend the Epworth Herald, and urge for it a large circulation among our young people.

We recommend that the publishers supply a copy of the Central Christian Advocate to the Y. M. C. A. rooms throughout the territory of the St. Louis Conference.

Reforms.

We rejoice in the splendid growth of the principles of reform manifest in every department of our social and civil life.

We believe that the time is upon us when every man that bears the name of Methodist should stand four-square on every issue that is before the American people looking to the purification of our nation's life.

We stand with every effort for the suppression of gambling, book-making and pool-selling.

We most heartily endorse the efforts of our Governor, Joseph W. Folk, in every effort to bring about dramshop legislation looking to the suppression of the law-breaking liquor traffic.

We are in favor of keeping the lid on in our cities, and pledge our support to every effort to extend the lid law to every part of the state.

We earnestly pray our legislature to grant to the voters of Missouri the opportunity to express themselves as to constitutional prohibition. We believe that the only motto for a Methodist in the matter of temperence to be that of the Anti-Saloon League, "The saloon must go."

We again urge upon the church the need of an aroused conscience against the desecration of the Sabbath day, that prohibition should be extended to Sunday baseball, theatres and all forms of Sunday law-breaking. Let every pulpit ring clearly with the gospel of a regenerated state and nation.

Report of Committee on Resolutions.

Resolved, That the St. Louis Annual Conference express its gratitude for the generous hospitality with which the citizens of Clinton have received us; that we appreciate the kindly and enthusiastic words of welcome accorded us by the Mayor, the Honorable Mr. Shackelford.

Resolved, That we express our highest regard and appreciation to Dr. D. L. Thomas, pastor of the Clinton Methodist Episcopal Church, to his faithful Official Board, together with the membership, who have so generously provided for our entertainment.

Resolved, That we convey to the press of Clinton our thanks for the uniform courtesy shown us, and for the full and accurate reports of the Conference proceedings.

Resolved, That we greatly appreciate the able and impartial manner in which Bishop Wilson has conducted the Conference business. His inspiring presence and addresses will be gratefully remembered.

Resolved, That we note with satisfaction the new emphasis that is being placed on Evangelism; that we hereby express to Dr. J. P. Brushingham our earnest gratitude for the spiritual uplift he has been to us during this session.

Resolved, That we assure the Conference and Deaconess quartettes of our appreciation of their service in gospel song.

Resolved, That we hereby tender our thanks to Dr. Samuel Warner for his faithful service for nineteen years as Secretary and Treasurer of the Board of Conference Stewards.

Resolved, That we extend to our worthy Secretaries and Treasurer and their assistants our appreciation of their valuable services.

C. L. HALTERMAN, Chairman.
D. R. MARTIN, Secretary.

Treasurer's Audited Report for 1905-1906.

I. J. K. LUNBECK, TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH ST LOUIS CONFERENCE FUNDS.

Dr.

To Benevolent Funds Received	$68,104.56	
Less Amount by Vouchers	47,475.50	
Total Cash from Collections	$20,629.06	
To Bequest F. F. Scott to Missionary Society	25.00	
To Interest Permanent Fund and Notes	286.20	
Total Cash Liabilities		$ 20,950.26

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By Disbursements as follows (Vouchers Submitted):

Paid through Jennings & Graham, Kansas Depository to			
Missionary Society	$11,342.00		
Sunday School Union	239.00		
Tract Society	241.00		
Freedmen's Aid	1,313.00		
Children's Fund	257.00		
American Bible Society	184.00		
General Conference Expenses	44.00		
Episcopal Fund	1,061.00		
		$14,681.00	
Paid Samuel Shaw, Tr. Church Extension		1,644.00	
Treas. Marionville Institute		836.00	
Treas. Carleton College		304.50	
Mrs, Hodson, Treas. W. F. M. Society		12.65	
Mrs. Miller, Treas. W. H. M. Society		14.00	
A. B. Leonard, Bequest F. F. Scott		25 00	
Homer Eaton, Treas. Special Missions		30.00	
Bethany Hospital		6.00	
Kansas City Evangelization Society		100.00	
S. Warner, Treas. Gonference Stewards		3,285.20	
Treasurer's Postage Expense		.91	
Balance Cash on Hand, due W. F. M.		1.00	
Total Disbursements as above			$20,940.26

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

Permanent Fund.

The corporate name of this fund which should be used in all legal documents is, "The Trustees of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants of the Saint Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church".

Principal on hand at last report			$ 6,008.59
Collections for Principal to March 18, 1907		$ 371.00	
Collections at Seat of Conference		668.00	
Present Amount of Principal			$ 7,047.59
Received on Interest on Fund	$ 318.80		
Received Interest on Subscription Notes	19.84		
		$ 338.64	
Expenditures for Postage	$ 6.15		
Item turned into Principal Fund	$ 5 00		
		$ 11.15	
Net Income Paid to Stewards			$ 327.49

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treas.

Woman's Work.

W. F. M. S.

Your committee rejoices in the continued financial and religious prosperity of this society; glad that its merits are being so well understood that persons of wealth are giving to it large funds for carrying on its God-inspired work. We therefore commend this society to the confidence and liberal support of our people, and will gladly co-operate with them in their work in our charges.

W. H. M. S.

This Society has our growing sympathy and support in its effort to carry aid and comfort to the home of the faithful itinerants who are laboring among the poor of our broad land. We pledge them our hearty co-operation in their noble work.

W. C. T. U.

We are glad to note the noble effort of this Society to aid in the great reform going on in our State in the cause of Temperance. We recognize the fact that they have been among the most loyal supporters of Gov. Folk in his effort to suppress the ruinous liquor traffic.

T. H. HAGERTY, Pres.
J. M. CARTER, Sec'y.

Young People's Work.

1. We commend the District Conventions held by several District Conference Epworth Leagues and desire that annual conventions be held in every district.

2. We urge that the Epworth Herald be in the hands of all our young people.

3. We recommend the organization, in every chapter, of a Mission study class and especially a Bible study class, and that our young people endeavor to become efficient in personal evangelism.

4. We recommend the organization of a Conference Board consisting of the Presiding Elders, the District Presidents and one representative appointed by each District Cabinet to more efficiently plan the work of the Leagues and to arrange for the District Conventions.

5. We nominate for Conference officers of the Epworth League, Ralph Wakefield, President; Jno. W. Coontz, Secretary; Mrs. F. P. Leckliter, Junior League Superintendent.

HARRY C. LEONARD, Chairman.
L. R. NICHOLS, Sec'y,

Church and Parsonage Insurance.

We are pleased to note the large business increase of the National Mutual Church Insurance Company, and also that this, our own company, was the first to pay its San Francisco losses and to pay them thus promptly in full.

The dividends returned to the insured last year was $38,404, which added to losses paid was $317,212.

We commend the more easy annual payments as well as these return dividends to our churches and ask them to correspond with Henry P. Magill, Manager, 184 LaSalle Street, Chicago, Ills.

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Statistical Tables,

1907.

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GENERAL STATISTICS.

STATISTICS NOS. I. AND IV. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Name of Charges.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																
																	Missions.				S.S. Un.				Education.				W.H.M. Soc.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No. of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
Alba & Neck City	44	98	....	2	..	3	2	24	150	2	4000	1	1800	800	50	600	4	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	....	2	..	..	....	..	....	6	....
Anderson	10	145	1	10	..	5	2	12	75	3	3000	..	....	....	48	151	11	..	..	11	3	..	..	..	....	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1
Avilla Circuit	26	191	....	..	..	8	1	17	125	2	3800	1	400	....	....	..	12	..	..	12	2	1	..	1	2	5	..	2	....	..	....	....	....
Butler	5	275	....	..	..	10	1	23	287	1	12000	1	1500	300	....	..	40	30	..	70	6	..	..	..	2	10	3	..	13	..	....	....	....
Butler Circuit	24	211	....	2	..	15	1	13	110	3½	4000	1	1200	124	....	..	23	7	..	30	6	..	1	1	4	6	15	1	1	1	....	....	4
Carl Junction	13	105	....	..	3	3	2	25	240	2	2700	2	1000	418	....	400	5	15	..	20	3	1	..	1	3	5	5	..	....	..	....	....	....
Carterville	21	150	2	2	2	14	1	18	200	2	4000	1	1000	300	....	..	20	17	..	37	5	1	1	1	5	7	..	1	35	..	..	35	....
Carthage	90	880	....	10	7	25	1	36	638	2	26000	1	8900	300	....	..	594	106	..	700	60	10	..	7	52	80	26	1	502	56	46	....	35
Carthage Circuit	24	120	....	5	..	....	3	21	150	3	5400	1	1500	30	65	..	27	..	..	27	4	..	1	1	4	9	..	1	....	..	....	....	....
Chitwood	28	8	....	..	..	....	3	18	115	1	600	..	....	70	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	..	....	....	....
Diamond Circuit	04	24	....	..	..	3	1	5	25	2	1800	..	....	25	....	..	10	..	..	10	3	1	..	1	2	....	..	1	2	2	....	....	1
Hume and Foster	01	210	....	1	..	....	4	40	275	4	4500	1	700	150	....	52	40	10	..	50	8	2	..	1	7	14	..	1	34	..	....	29	8
Iantha Circuit	33	172	....	1	..	15	4	55	313	4	5500	1	500	....	....	100	35	2	..	37	10	1	1	1	5	10	9	1	1	..	....	2	7
Jasper, Mt. Mori'h	13	256	1	2	..	18	2	38	298	2	5400	1	1400	175	200	125	76	5	..	75	10	2	..	1	8	18	7	1	56	..	..	24	4
Joplin, Byers Av.	11	252	4	2	2	19	1	21	235	1	5000	1	2000	60	....	..	50	50	..	100	25	..	5	4	12	25	10	2	46	12	36	114	10
Central Av.	24	105	....	2	3	12	1	20	200	1	3000	..	....	480	75	..	19	21	..	40	6	..	1	1	3	6	2	1	1	..	....	....	3
First Church	13	324	2	1	3	9	1	29	327	1	55000	1	3000	15000	2000	23000	75	100	..	175	30	..	4	3	104	35	..	1	244	..	....	120	....
Missions	28	8	....	..	..	....	3	22	181	1	800	..	....	185	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	....	..	....	23	....
Lamar	34	279	....	5	2	24	1	24	223	1	10000	1	1200	617	210	..	60	10	..	70	..	..	..	..	....	4	5	..	49	..	....	14	....
Liberal	22	151	....	3	..	29	2	28	240	2	4000	1	1000	90	320	..	22	6	..	28	4	..	2	1	6	6	3	1	....	..	....	22	5
Moundville	10	110	....	1	1	5	2	28	136	2	2400	1	600	82	....	..	18	5	..	23	4	1	..	1	4	6	3	1	....	..	....	16	3
Nashville	6	172	1	..	..	31	2	28	200	2	3000	1	1000	345	....	..	30	..	..	30	6	2	..	..	3	....	8	1	....	..	....	....	....
Neosho	5	98	....	3	6	2	1	18	148	1	2500	..	....	30	....	..	20	20	..	40	7	2	..	1	6	9	1	1	....	..	....	26	6
Nevada	7	326	2	..	..	....	1	26	200	1	8500	1	1500	870	....	..	85	25	..	110	20	1	..	1	18	22	..	1	....	..	....	54	....
Oronogo	12	56	....	..	..	7	1	18	125	1	2500	1	500	150	100	1200	20	5	..	25	4	1	..	1	2	4	4	1	1	..	....	3	2
Rich Hill	3	164	1	3	..	....	1	17	157	1	7000	1	1200	100	100	225	40	10	..	50	6	1	..	1	5	5	5	1	6	..	....	....	2
Sarcoxie	38	210	2	1	3	31	2	28	225	2	4200	1	650	781	....	..	40	10	..	50	10	..	2	1	8	21	..	1	....	..	....	43	....
Seneca	11	83	....	1	..	5	1	18	90	1	4500	1	1000	300	80	..	11	7	..	18	6	1	..	1	6	9	3	1	....	..	....	11	3
Sheldon	17	105	....	..	2	7	2	20	110	2	3000	1	375	....	....	232	6	16	..	22	1	1	..	1	1	4	1	1	....	1	....	40	....
Spurgeon	45	85	....	3	..	7	3	23	200	3¼	2000	..	....	67	....	..	10	..	..	10	2	1	..	1	1	....	..	..	....	..	....	....	....
Webb City	15	243	....	1	6	12	3	35	320	1	3000	1	3500	2000	....	840	58	82	..	140	20	5	..	3	15	25	10	2	60	..	....	323	14
	637	5646	16	61	40	319	56	748	6318	57¾	203100	25	36525	23252	3248	26925	1455	589	..	2014	272	35	18	37	288	347	120	26	1045	72	82	905	108

STATISTICS NO. III. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Alba and Neck City	J. H. Boner	550	100	650	555	100	655	...	65	65	3	2	722	4	....	4	100	120	
Anderson	(Jas. E. Goins)	* 360	...	360	321	..	321	39	36	...	3	1	322	1	2	3	10	....	
Avilla Ct	(Milus Wormack)	550	50	600	365	50	415	185	60	48	9	4	467	2	....	2	114	...	
Butler	Joel A. Barker	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	....	110	110	12	6	1216	13	....	13	250	150	
Butler Ct	W. F. Baker	500	100	600	440	100	540	60	60	54	7	6	600	15	....	15	80	30	
Carl Junction	(Fred'k Getty)	515	72	587	518	72	590	....	58	58	7	5	653	10	....	10	....	....	
Carterville	W. T. Ferguson	800	125	925	800	125	925	....	92	82	10	6	1013	10	....	10	40	105	
Carthage	T. W. Jeffrey	2000	400	2400	2000	400	2400	....	240	240	30	30	2670	100	....	100	975	460	
Carthage Ct	Clinton A. Harris	500	100	600	450	100	550	50	60	50	7	5	605	6	....	6	65	50	
Chitwood	(J. N. Moore)	* 350	...	350	111	....	111	239	35	....	3	....	111	....	....	....	....	....	
Diamond Ct	(J. S. Kerr)	150	....	150	126	....	126	24	15	11	4	1	138	2	....	2	2	....	
Hume and Foster	(R. H. Lint)	510	50	560	406	50	456	104	56	56	9	7	519	15	....	15	110	....	
Jantha Ct	(D. S. Alexander)	400	60	460	400	60	460	....	46	46	6	6	512	12	....	12	52	130	
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	Thos. E. Prall	600	120	720	600	120	720	....	72	72	6	6	798	15	...	15	110	92	
Joplin—Byers Ave.	D. W. Crow	900	200	1100	900	200	110	...	110	110	15	12	1222	35	....	35	208	85	
—Central Ave.	G. M. Foster	* 500	....	500	442	....	442	58	50	45	4	3	490	10	....	10	80	70	
—First Church	W. F. Jones	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	....	180	180	25	25	2005	65	....	65	....	....	
—Missions	(J. N. Moore)	280	....	280	280		280	....	....	....	....	....	280	....	....	....	50	32	
Lamar	J. J. Martin	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	100	100	12	4	1104	3	....	3	334	..	
Liberal	E. H. Sapp	* 500	100	600	500	100	600	...	60	60	7	4	664	5	....	5	90	62	
Moundville	(E. L. Spiller)	500	50	550	367	50	417	133	50	39	5	3	459	7	....	7	38	60	
Nasnville	O. V. Suter	455	45	500	455	45	500	..	50	50	8	5	555	10	....	10	30	30	
Neosho	C. T. Harrison	622	...	622	622	..	622	....	62	62	6	6	690	12	3	15	150	68	
Nevada	G. H. Cosper	1200	150	1350	1200	150	1350	....	135	135	17	17	1502	30	....	30	330	75	
Oronogo	G. H. Gideon	600	60	660	600	60	660	....	66	60	5	3	723	11	....	11	80	70	
Rich Hill	A. E. Ryan	600	100	700	600	100	700	...	70	70	8	5	775	9	....	9	114	135	
Sarcoxie	J. C. Kirk	600	60	660	600	60	660	....	66	66	7	7	733	15	....	15	125	...	
Seneca	E. E. Sparks	* 500	60	560	500	60	560	....	56	56	7	4	620	8	....	8	100	65	
Sheldon	(W. C. Heiskell)	100	45	445	387	45	432	13	45	43	5	1	476	...	..	...	....	...	
Spurgeon	(E. L. Scholle)	* 200	...	200	190	...	190	10	20	19	5	....	209	...	....	....	....		
Webb City	Harry White	1050	100	1150	1050	100	1150	...	115	120	12	12	1282	25	....	25	160	293	
		20092	2647	22739	19185	2647	21832	915	2240	2107	264	196	24135	450	5	455	3797	2182	

* Have missionary appropriations.

STATISTICS NOS. I. AND IV. FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																		Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
																	Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Advance	3	180	1	..	3	2	2	20	210	3	3200	1	900	400	....	250	5	..	..	5	3	..	1	1	....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bismarck	23	74	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2000	..	....	....	....	....	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bloomfield	8	208	2	2	6	8	4	32	270	4	6600	..	....	1800	200	....	10	..	..	10	3	..	..	..	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Bonne Terre	75	62	..	..	2	25	1	9	100	1	3600	1	1500	....	....	....	14	6	..	20	5	..	1	1	5	10	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Cross Roads	18	200	1	1	..	....	2	10	123	5	3500	1	300	....	....	....	2	4	..	6	2	..	1	..	....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dexter Ct.	10	85	1	1	..	....	3	15	150	2	1800	..	....	....	....	....	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
De Soto	10	218	1	6	2	2	1	16	140	1	4500	1	1500	216	....	496	18	30	..	48	5	..	7	2	5	5	5	2	5	..	..	..	..	5
De Soto Ct.	5	50	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1	900	1	400	900	....	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Doe Run	8	156	..	1	10	4	1	19	214	1	4500	..	....	1000	....	....	20	30	..	50	10	..	28	2	5	528	6	2	..	..	..	89	6
Farmington	8	232	2	4	3	8	1	24	252	1	13000	1	2000	40	619	2193	70	40	5	115	13	..	3	3	11	63	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	9
Fairview	2	80	1	1	..	2	3	18	95	2	2000	..	....	....	....	....	12	..	..	12	3	..	..	..	....	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Flat River	33	50	1	5	15	10	1	12	60	1	1300	1	1000	....	....	....	20	..	..	20	5	..	1	1	1	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
Fruitland	65	166	1	1	10	1	3	32	183	3	4000	1	800	125	....	....	27	21	..	48	9	2	2	2	10	17	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	7
Graniteville	12	80	1	..	..	....	1	7	50	1	1700	..	....	....	....	....	2	1	..	3	1	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ironton	5	80	..	..	1	1	2	17	80	1	1500	1	800	100	....	....	12	10	..	22	4	1	1	1	2	8	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
Koshkonong	..	103	1	..	..	....	..	....	....	3	1300	..	....	....	....	....	2	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Lutesville	10	260	3	3	..	....	4	22	200	6	4050	1	500	400	150	....	20	..	..	20	5	1	1	1	....	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Mountainview	11	98	1	..	..	....	4	13	231	4	4200	..	....	....	....	....	..	15	..	15	..	..	..	..	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Palmer	152	15	2	1	..	2	3	16	220	4	3600	1	200	....	....	....	4	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Perryville	25	55	..	1	2	....	1	5	35	3	4000	1	650	90	....	....	4	..	..	4	1	..	1	..	....	5	..	1	..	1	..	1	1
Poplar Bluff	36	166	2	6	5	27	1	15	175	1	7500	..	....	1500	3000	....	17	25	..	42	7	..	..	1	6	15	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	5
Puxico	11	159	1	1	10	45	3	18	115	4	4250	1	1000	25	....	....	5	..	..	5	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	2
West Plains	10	190	1	2	2	....	1	15	140	1	4000	2	3000	162	247	191	53	27	..	80	12	3	3	2	9	20	6	2	31	..	50	10	9
West Plains Ct.	4	60	..	2	..	1	2	8	40	2	1500	..	....	2	....	....	10	..	..	10	3	1	1	1	3	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
Willow Springs	17	80	1	2	1	9	2	24	138	1	3000	1	600	100	....	100	20	..	..	20	6	..	1	1	2	8	..	1	..	..	..	....	4
Winona	..	65	..	2	..	....	1	5	30	2	2500	..	....	....	....	....	3	2	..	5	6	..	..	..	....	2	..	..	..	2	..	1	..
	561	3172	25	42	72	147	47	373	3251	61	94000	16	15150	6860	4216	3230	354	211	5	569	105	9	52	19	713	713	24	18	39	4	50	103	65

STATISTICS NO. III.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS			RECEIPTS.				Presiding Elders		Bish's		Total Support Pastors Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants Rec'd From			Current Expenses.		Raised for Deaconess Work
		Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.		Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lessons, Leaves, Books, Etc.	
Advance	(S. O. Taylor)	* 350	100	450	350	100	450	....	40	40	4	1	491	1	..	1	13	16	
Bismarck	(Geo. F. Austin)	200	....	200	105	....	105	95	30	15	3	..	120	...	..	...	10	....	
Bloomfield	(C. V. Bryan)	* 425	60	485	285	60	345	140	60	51	4	..	396	...	..	...	60	75	
Bonne Terre	(E. H. Maynard)	* 400	120	520	400	120	520	....	50	50	3	3	573	6	..	6	70	32	
Cross Roads	(M. S. Bumpus)	* 422	30	452	125	30	155	297	45	43	3	1	199	2	..	2	24	10	
Dexter Circuit	(J. E. Stickney)	* 321	....	321	200	....	200	121	40	27	3	.	227	...	..	...	....	15	
DeSoto	C. C. James	800	120	920	800	120	920	....	90	90	8	7	1017	...	18	18	130	90	
DeSoto Circuit	(R. H. Shute)	40	....	40	40	....	40	....	20	6	2	..	.....	...	..	...	....	....	
Doe Run	C. L. Halterman	800	100	900	900	100	1000	....	80	90	5	5	1095	14	..	14	150	123	
Farmington	L. M. Thompson	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	....	115	115	8	8	1273	18	..	18	178	107	
Fairview	(Wm. P. Johns)	375	....	375	192	....	192	183	50	50	4	2	244	3	..	3	15	27	
Flat River	(A. T. Osbron)	* 500	120	620	575	100	675	....	50	50	5	3	728	5	..	5	60	45	
Fruitland	A. M. Dixon	600	100	700	630	100	730	....	70	70	6	6	8 6	10	..	10	50	45	
Graniteville	(D. P. Cole)	200	....	200	100	....	100	100	35	35	3	1	130	...	..	...	5	10	
Ironton	A. J. May	* 3 0	100	400	300	100	400	....	40	40	3	3	443	6	..	6	32	20	
Koshkonong	(J. M. Willard)	100	....	100	100	....	100	....	30	30	3	..	130	1	..	1	10	....	
Lutesville	(D. E. Barrett)	* 500	60	560	412	60	472	88	50	50	3	3	525	6	..	6	37	35	
Mountain View	(J. L. Nations)	* 360	....	360	80	....	80	280	40	34	4	..	114	...	..	...	7	13	
Palmer	(J. M. Crisel)	* 300	30	330	120	30	150	180	55	45	4	..	195	1	..	1	21	20	
Perryville	(M. S. Bumpus)	* 350	60	410	186	60	246	164	40	40	3	1	287	1	..	1	5	6	
Poplar Bluff	Addyman Smith	* 720	....	720	720	....	720	....	90	90	4	4	814	11	..	11	94	125	
Puxico	(A. M. Stickney)	400	100	500	400	100	500	....	50	50	4	1	551	5	..	5	35	50	
West Plains	S. F. Stevens	900	150	1050	900	150	1050	....	105	105	8	8	1163	18	..	18	147	50	
West Plains Circuit	(W. O. Tolbart)	* 250	....	250	195	....	195	55	30	27	3	3	225	3	..	3	10	10	
Willow Springs	(T. G. Peterson)	* 400	100	5 0	400	100	500	....	55	55	4	3	558	5	..	5	50	46	
Winona	(D. L. Walker)	* 390	....	390	161	84	245	145	40	34	4	1	274	1	..	1	25	6	
		11403	1500	12903	9576	1561	11213	1848	1490	1332	108	64	1278	117	18	135	1238	982	

* Have Missionary Appropriations.

STATISTICS NOS. I. AND IV. KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.						Benevolent Collections.																		Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
																Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Adrian		123		1	2		2	21	156	2	2460	1	800	214				19		19							5					22	
Austin	12	195			3	4	2	23	138	2	3000	1	700	330			80	9	60	149	9	5		4	8	20	17	2	5			4	6
Amsterdam	2	81		1			2	17	103	2	2300			97			25	5		30	2		3	1	3	12	6	1					
Belton	5	124		1		9	1	8	40	1	1500	1	1000	49			46	8		54	6	2		1	5	10		1				73	2
Centerview	4	114		3		2	2	20	100	2	2000			50			46	9		55	2		1	1	2	12	10	1	3	1		21	1
Drexel	3	160		1	1		2	16	120	2	3100			125			40			40	10	1		2	8	20		1					5
East Lynne	19	190		1	7	35	2	22	130	3¼	4500	1	700	116			58	9	3	70	5	1		1	3	17	16	1					6
Garden City	5	135		1			2	26	90	2	3200				129		11			11	3	1			4	1						12	
Holden	5	196		1	2	18	1	17	120									55		55	8	2		2	5	8	4	1	15			6	4
Independence	25	177	1	2	2	2	2	23	133	2	26000	1	3500	100	390	7000	25	15		40	3	2		1	7	1	6	1				29	2
Kan. City—Ar'ton	35	400	1	3	8	14	1	52	350	1	7000	1	4000	21	27	450	179	78		257	30	5		3	20	10	6	4	112	147		75	
Beaumont	11	14					1	14	55	1	1200			902		71																5	
Ben'ton Hgts	14	135			2	12	1	23	150	1	5000	1	1600	30	325	1320	51	34		85	9		5	4	7	18		2		56		20	5
Grace	11	149		2	2	6	1	27	250	1	12000			25	611	2500	20	50		70	7	4		3	5	22		1				20	
Grand Ave	15	652					1	30	250	1	200000						796	104		900	140	30		30	130	83	90	20	1492	267	5	656	
Howard Mem	29	405	1	1	6	26	1	24	325	1	50000	1	500	900	2300	19000	225	50		275	30	4		3	25	40	10	2	102	38			20
Independ'ce Av.	36	1305	1	19	18	30	1	75	729	1	100000	1	10000	2179	8500	12500	900	200		1100	125	20		10	125	135	40	10	1086	268	182	1200	50
Linwood B'l'v'd	52	505	1	1	3	2	1	35	400	1	33000			100	3900	8500	217	108		325	40	10		10	36	46	10	5	232	228	50	218	
Maywood	13	35		2	5	7	7	12	75	1	2200	1	2500	135	415	2677	9	9		18	3	1			2		2					5	
Mt. Washington		16				1	1	5	23	1	3500			814		1200																11	
Oakhurst	68	295		2	4	50	1	30	417	1	25000				2874	15000													118	23		10	
Oakley	31	162		3	25	14	1	41	400	1	30000			100	500	12000	90	150		240	25	1		1	20	15	5	1	146	47	9	42	5
Phœnix Park	3	121				25	1	18	140	1	1700			75			37	13		50	7	3		3	6	10		2	6			30	6
Summit St.	9	205	1	1	8		1	27	225	1	6000			265			45	57		102	32	4		3	12	5	5	4	82	59		45	4
Lee's Summit	5	150		2			1	20	70	1	4000	1	1400				58	12		70	8	2		2	9	5	3					21	
Oak Grove	18	220		1		10	2	22	175	5	4000	1	1500				37			37	8	1		1	8	10		1					
Pleasant Hill	15	174		7			1	14	89	1	6000	1	2200	25			55	15		70	9	5		4	7	12	6	2	20			4	5
	445	6738	6	56	98	267	36	626	5247	39¼	538600	13	34900	6652	19671	82218	3050	1009	63	4122	521	104	9	90	447	512	171	63	3419	1134	246	2529	121

STATISTICS NO. III. KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work.
Adrian		600	60	660	600	60	660	...	66	66	9	..	726	..	.	...	60	40	
Austin	D. W. Britton	600	50	650	600	50	650	...	65	65	9	12	727	20	3	23	120	50	
Amsterdam	(C. E. Ferguson)	* 400		400	311		311	89	40	23	6	...	334	7	..	7	53	55	
Belton	W. L. Requa	* 475	100	575	426	100	526	49	57	52	9	7	585	13	..	13	46	19	
Centerview	J. H. Bishop	* 375	.	375	400		400	...	37	41	6	1	442	...	3	3	80	40	
Drexel	W. K. Chatten	525		525	544		544	...	52	52	7	7	603	12	..	12	80	50	
East Lynne	F. C. Moore	* 475	50	525	475	50	525	...	52	52	7	7	584	10	..	10	80	64	
Garden City	(C. V. Bigler)	* 390	....	390	186	...	186	204	39	24	5	.	210	2	..	2	30	43	
Holden	R. B. Templeton	750	100	850	750	100	850	...	85	85	12	5	940	12	..	12	136	68	
Independence	H. G. Humphrey	1000	240	1240	1000	240	1240	..	124	124	17	5	1369	5	..	5	175	65	
Kansas City—Arlington	S. J. Heaton	1450	200	1650	1450	200	1650	..	165	165	23	16	1831	50	..	50	480	325	
Beaumont	J. H. Thackrey	100	....	100	100	....	100	...	10	...	2	...	100	1	..	1	18	12	
Bennington Heights	J. E. Hall	900	...	900	900	....	900	...	90	90	12	12	1002	20		20	100	100	
Grace	W. E. Brown	728	...	728	750	..	750	...	72	72	10	4	826	16	..	16	100	120	
Grand Ave	Daniel McGurk	3600	....	3600	3000	600	3600	...	360	360	40	50	4010	225	..	225	2862	413	
Howard Memorial	H. A. Jones	1600	400	2000	1600	400	2000	...	200	200	27	20	2220	50	..	50	900	375	
Independence Ave	M. S. Hughes	4250	600	4850	4250	600	4850	...	485	485	67	50	5385	300	..	300	5018	636	
" "	Frank Neff, Ass't	1000	....	1000	1000	..	1000	..	.	.		..	1000	..	..	...	....	....	
Linwood B'l'v'd	W. T. Wright	2000	...	2000	2000	...	2000	.	200	200	28	26	2226	75	..	75	1398	325	
Maywood	J. H. Thackrey	650	150	800	600	150	750	50	80	55	11	3	810	4	..	4	218	40	
Mt. Washington	I. J. K. Lundeck	250	....	250	134	....	134	116	25	14	3	2	150	..	..	...	13	9	
Oakhurst	J. W. Coontz	1300	....	1300	1300	....	1300	...	130	130	18	14	1444	35	..	35	425	142	
Oakley	H. A. King	1600	....	1600	1600	....	1600	...	160	160	22	18	1778	30	..	30	1405	350	
Phœnix Park	J. F. Odom	600	...	600	600	....	600	..	60	60	9	8	668	12	..	12	80	121	
Summit Street	O. M. Stewart	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	..	100	120	14	14	1134	25	..	25	190	150	
Lee's Summit	(W. K. Collins)	580	120	700	480	120	600	100	70	70	10	5	675	11	..	11	130	57	
Oak Grove	B. E. Niblack	700	100	800	700	100	800	...	80	65	11	4	869	15	.	15	100	75	
Pleasant Hill	E. T. Rice	800	120	920	800	120	920	...	92	92	13	6	1018	10	.	10	186	62	
		28698	2290	30988	27556	2890	30446	542 608	2996	2922	407	298	33666	960	6	966	14513	3805	

* Have missionary appropriations.

STATISTICS NOS. I. AND IV. LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																	Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
																	Missions.					S.S. Un.				Education.				W.F.M. Soc.			
	Probationers.	Fu'l Members.	Local Preache s.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Child en's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Ava	6	97	1	2	1	7	1	6	94	2	2600	1	600	17	...	...	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	3	..	..	...	..
Buffalo	1	73	..	2	..	1	1	7	75	1	5000	1	1000	15	...	...	18	..	..	18	2	1	..	1	2	3	..	1	..	..	..	...	..
Buffalo Ct.	..	112	..	..	..	..	3	19	125	5	3150	1	300	....	...	...	6	..	..	6	3	..	..	1	..	...	4	1	..	..	..	...	..
Conway	25	236	1	2	8	..	4	37	195	5	4700	1	800		...	...	22	..	..	22	6	2	..	2	3	5	3	1	..	..	..	...	4
Eldon	16	192	1	2	..	10	2	24	135	3	4800	1	1200	25	...	...	35	5	..	40	8	2	..	2	5	11	..	2	..	..	..	...	5
Gainesville	9	118	1	1	..	7	3	24	125	3	1900	1	250	572	...	150	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	45	..
Hartville	2	118	3	3	..	..	1	9	70	3	4500	1	700	125	...	...	8	..	..	8	4	1	..	1	3	1	1	1	2	..	..	...	..
Houston & Cabool	4	116	1	1	..	4	2	26	250	5	2600	2	1100	125	...	...	18	..	..	18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	10
Iberia	56	118	..	2	1	43	4	31	140	4¼	6250	..	.....	60	...	...	5	..	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	26	..
Lebanon	38	219	..	7	1	14	1	18	130	1	5000	1	1800	12	...	...	57	3	..	60	10	3	..	3	8	16	4	2	18	..	..	11	12
Licking	..	154	1	..	..	..	1	5	45	2	2020	1	500	52	...	...	16	..	..	16	3	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	8	2
Linn Creek	28	142	2	3	..	16	5	27	225	3	2500	1	700	450	...	275	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	...	..	1	1	2	..	3	1
Macomb	..	65	4	..	..	..	1	4	25	4	1800	..	.....	90	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Mountain Grove	2	170	1	3	..	15	1	17	140	1	4000	1	1200	200	...	250	45	10	..	55	8	..	2	..	5	10	..	..	3	..	..	...	..
Newburg & Dixon	44	122	1	3	14	24	2	23	150	2	3500	1	600	70	200	...	40	..	..	40	7	..	2	2	5	10	9	2	19	2	..	...	6
Orla	9	200	1	1	12	19	1	9	45	4	2400	..	.....	15	...	...	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	...	1
Phillipsburg	18	110	..	3	..	3	1	11	63	3	2200	1	400	131	...	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	...	..
Richland	14	154	..	4	..	3	1	13	100	1	2000	1	500	242	...	..	18	12	..	30	4	1	..	1	4	14	..	1	..	..	..	...	7
Richland Ct.	5	100	..	..	..	..	3	15	115	3	1800	..	.....	....	...	...	2	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..
Rolla	6	152	1	3	..	5	1	17	150	1	9000	1	1000	200	...	...	67	13	..	80	12	4	..	2	10	15	..	2	16	..	..	6	12
Seymour-Mansfl'd	5	174	..	2	1	3	1	16	140	2	3000	1	600	....	...	...	33	..	..	33	5	1	..	1	3	10	3	1	..	..	..	81	5
Success	6	120	3	3	..	5	..	..	..	3	2300	..	.....	270	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..
Tuscumbia	8	70	..	1	..	2	2	24	70	2¼	300	..	.....	...	...	...	10	..	..	10	3	1	..	1	2	6	..	1	..	..	..	...	3
Upshaw Ct.	3	70	4	2	..	3	1	9	30	3	1750	..	.....	....	...	...	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..
Urbana	9	191	2	5	1	3	2	19	250	4	2700	..	.....	52	...	...	23	..	..	23	10	..	..	4	2	..	3	1	..	..	..	...	13
Vichy		78	1	..	1	..	3	2	10	135	2	2000	1	400	....	...	7	..	..	7	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	...	..
	304	3471	29	55	40	187	48	421	3022	69½	83770	19	13650	3263	200	675	435	43	..	478	94	18	4	24	56	110	28	20	62	5	..	200	85

STATISTICS NO. III.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS, Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Ava	(Andrew L. Simmons)	* 300	50	350	284	50	334	16	42	42	3	1	377	1	..	1	21	28	
Buffalo	Thomas Gideon	* 450	50	500	391	50	441	59	60	60	5	..	501	7	..	7	50	25	
Buffalo Circuit	(Daniel W. Lowe)	120	....	120	88	...	88	32	14	14	2	..	102	...	..	...	....	30	
Conway	Frank P. Reno	* 605	50	655	554	50	604	51	79	73	6	6	683	8	..	8	63	50	
Eldon	David T. Simmons	550	50	600	550	50	600	....	72	72	5	4	676	6	..	6	90	64	
Gainesville	(F. O. Forbes)	* 225	30	255	63	30	95	162	39	...	2	2	95	...	..	...	....	....	
Hartville	(Joseph McK. Barnes)	375	50	425	231	50	281	144	51	55	5	3	339	10	..	10	40	25	
Houston and Cabool	Purley B. Newman	* 252	123	375	244	123	367	8	45	43	3	1	411	1	..	1	50	50	
Iberia	W. Frank Baker	* 440	....	440	305	....	305	135	53	44	4	..	349	2	..	2	65	80	
Lebanon	D. Everette Standard	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	108	108	10	10	1018	15	..	15	135	76	
Licking	.....	* 405	60	465	132	60	192	273	56	55	5	2	249	4	..	4	50	15	
Linn Creek	M A. Kerr	* 400	30	430	286	30	316	114	48	32	4	2	350	2	..	2	25	85	
Macomb	(Wm. N. Zuvers)	230	....	230	85	...	85	145	28	20	3	..	105	...	..	...	....	....	
Mountain Grove	B. D. Jones	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	84	80	6	5	785	12	..	12	120	50	
Newburg and Dixon	Geo. C. Bechtel	* 350	100	450	350	100	450	....	54	54	4	4	508	...	..	...	120	78	
Orla	(Wm. McClanahan)	185	....	185	150	....	150	35	20	20	2	1	171	2	..	2	...	....	
Phillipsburg	(Lynderman Wright)	* 275	20	295	180	20	200	95	36	30	3	1	231	1	..	1	24	28	
Richland	N. H. Hudson	500	50	550	503	50	553	....	66	66	5	5	624	8	..	8	100	68	
Richland Circuit	.....	240	48	288	112	48	160	128	30	26	3	1	187	1	..	1	....	....	
Rolla	Thos P Shaffer	700	100	800	710	100	810	....	96	97	10	10	917	15	..	15	290	75	
Seymour and Mansfield	J. W. Slusher	* 475	50	525	442	50	492	23	63	54	5	5	551	8	..	8	50	65	
Success	(Jas. W. Williams)	220	....	220	176	....	176	44	26	26	1	..	202	...	..	...	....	..	
Tuscumbia	(Francis M. Stickney)	200	....	200	112	....	112	88	24	20	1	1	133	3	..	3	....	..	
Upshaw Circuit	(Taylor Mann)	255	....	255	155	....	155	100	30	26	2	..	181	...	..	..	....	5	
Urbana	(C. Julius Wegener)	415	....	415	266	....	266	149	50	49	4	..	315	...	..	..	24	30	
Vichy	(M. T. Fulcher)	400	..	400	252	30	282	118	52	45	4	1	328	1	..	1	....	12	
		9967	1061	11028	8021	1091	9112	1929	1317	1211	107	65	10388	106	..	106	1317	939	

*Have Missionary Appropriation.

Name of Charges.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																		Gen'l Cont. Expenses.
																	Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Child'en's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Cuba	21	108	1	3	7	8	1	10	125	3	3000	1	500	50	...	...	...	12	...	12	2		1	1	3	5	1	2	1	1	...	...	...	2
Pacific	2	42	..	1	1	.	2	44	125	2	3700	..	...	10	...	...	10	10	...	20	3	1		..	3	5	3	..	...	...	...	...	...	3
St. Louis, Bow'm.	55	358	1	2	24	12	1	47	650	1	30000	..	...	14500	...	11500	92	78	30	200	20	7	..	2	20	24	3	2	45	...	...	69	10
Calvary	3	53	1	..	...	...	1	12	75	1	2000	..	...	40	...	...		8	...	8	...	..	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carondelet	35	186	1	4	7	1	1	24	216	1	15000	..		49	78	850	32	34	...	66	12	..	7	2	9	7	5	4	33	...	...	10	5
Dr. Fry Mem.	13	191	1	..	5	4	1	22	164	1	27000	..	...	5654	...	6000	111	14	85	210	15	5	..	3	10	20	6	3	43	81	77	128	25
Epworth	13	23	..	1	6	4	1	11	100	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	1	..	..	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Goode Ave	4	180	..	..	5	4	1	25	225	1	9000	..	...	350	...	...	35	30	...	65	10	4	..	2	8	10	...	2	77	...	...	87	..
Harlem Place	38	73	..	1	4	1	1	20	150	1	4500	1	3300	788	8	1500	10	32	...	42	20	2	..	1	5	7	5	1	...	...	..	9	10
Jen'gs-Wel'n P'k	4	56	..	4	7	...	2	12	90	2	4500	.		35	...	800	2	10	...	12	1	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	...	...	...	...	...
Lindell Ave	19	378	..	4	10	5	1	26	190	1	135000	1	15000	2240	...	...	1386	114	1200	2700	100	15	..	5	80	3170	10	10	400	587	50	12013	55
Maple Ave	6	520	..	2	20	...	1	36	295	1	75000	1	7000	4000	...	18500	250	50	...	300	40	10	..	5	40	...	13	5	456	150	60	400	50
Maplewood	12	76	..	4	5	1	1	15	130	1	7500	..	..	...	1000	2300	32	8	..	40	5	..	1	..	5	5	6	1	...	...	...	56	2
Neidringhaus	...	...	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Luke's.	22	149	..	2	8	8	1	22	250	1	9000	1	8000	600	...	...	36	29	...	65	10	.	2	1	6	15	4	1	...	11	...	45	10
Shr'b'y-Web. Gr	6	40	..	..	2	...	2	12	80	1	1500	..	...	91	...	...	5	2	...	7	1	..	..	..	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Trinity	125	370	1	4	10	12	1	32	425	1	25000	..	...	...	650	...	87	13	...	100	15	5	..	2	10	15	15	3	50	...	...	106	...
Tuxedo Park	5	80	2	..	9	2	1	8	80	1	1800	..	...	75	...	...	15	25	25	65	5	1	..	1	3	5	..	1	...	...	...	18	5
Union	59	671	2	10	25	15	2	88	449	1	45000	1	4500	326	...	...	1005	235	1486	2726	150	10	13	10	65	75	34	10	819	164	104	1711	25
WagonerMem'rl	17	237	..	..	45	6	1	31	305	1	40000	..	...	522	1600	9400	90	10	35	135	15	.	5	2	10	24	10	3	27	...	...	100	15
Winsor	40	53	3	1	12	5	1	11	105	1	15000		3500	6187	...	1750	15	40	...	55	5	2	1	1	5	6	4	1	23	.	25	255	..
Salem	5	110	..	..	...	...	2	13	65	2	2000	1	1000	150	...	...	5	.	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sligo	30	45	..	..	2	24	1	11	171	1	1000	1	600	...	...	...	30	5	...	35	5	1	..	1	3	5	2	1	...	...	...	...	2
Sullivan	7	103	3	3	3	3	1	9	58	1	1200	..	...	...	...	400	10	7	...	17	3	1	..	..	3	2	1	..	...	...	...	...	...
	535	4102	16	46	217	115	28	511	4523	27	457700	9	43400	35667	3336	53000	3263	766	2861	6890	438	64	30	40	291	3403	123	51	1974	994	306	30406	219

STATISTICS NO. III. ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Cuba	(W Ward Smith)	400	75	475	400	75	475	....	40	40	2	2	517	..	10	10	50	50	
Pacific	W. T. Pare	* 460	....	460	462	....	462	....	40	40	3	2	504	5	..	5	86	51	
St. Louis—Bowman	Fred W. Simpson	1300	....	1300	1300	....	1300	....	100	100	15	8	1408	30	..	30	500	349	
Calvary	(R. V. Jones)	600	....	600	600	....	600	....	30	30	2	2	632	..	..	....	58	24	
Carondelet	Wm. Leatherman	1000	...	1000	1000	....	1000	....	75	75	10	10	1085	20	..	20	313	171	
Dr. Fry Memorial	Eli P. Anderson	1300	....	1300	1400	....	1400	....	110	110	15	15	1525	30	..	30	415	188	
Epworth	(M. L. Curl)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	
Goode Ave	H. C Leonard	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	80	80	10	10	1290	20	..	20	300	200	
Harlem Place	Thos. H. Corkill	* 850	50	900	750	50	800	100	60	60	5	5	865	15	..	16	112	79	
Jennings and Wellston Pk.	(W S Winkler)	* 400	...	400	430	....	430	....	20	35	2	2	467	2	..	2	30	40	
Lindell Ave	L. H. Dorchester	4000	1000	5000	4000	1000	5000	....	450	450	100	100	6550	225	..	225	6700	275	
Maple Ave	E. B. Randle	2500	500	3000	2500	500	3000	....	225	225	40	40	3265	75	..	75	3500	300	
Maplewood	J. W. Borah	* 925	....	925	925	....	925	....	45	45	2	2	972	5	..	5	55	70	
Neidringhaus	H. L. Harvey	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	....	....	..	..	1200	....	..	....	....	....	
St. Luke's	A. D Ball	1000	300	1300	1000	300	1300	....	80	80	5	5	1385	15	..	15	180	160	
Shrewsbury-Webster Gr'v.	(John Gautcheff)	400	....	400	600	....	600	....	30	30	2	1	631	1	..	1	35	30	
Trinity	H. B. Foster	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	100	100	15	12	1312	20	..	20	725	200	
Tuxedo Park	W. L. Gray	* 650	....	650	650	....	650	.	40	40	2	2	692	10	..	10	87	115	
Union	N. Luccock	3600	600	4200	3600	900	4200	....	400	400	80	80	4680	250	..	250	5592	51	
"	Ralph Martin, Ass't	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	....	....	..	..	1000	....	..	....	....	....	
Wagoner Memorial	Ralph Wakefield	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	90	90	15	15	1305	25	..	25	668	383	
Winsor	R. T. Smith	1100	400	1500	1200	400	1600	....	80	85	5	5	1690	5	..	5	350	105	
Salem	....	* 300	72	372	310	75	385	..	30	30	2	...	415	...	..	...	40	40	
Sligo	Peter R. Hoos	600	100	700	680	100	780	....	40	40	2	2	822	5	..	5	71	60	
Sullivan	(J B. Brewington)	428	72	500	350	....	350	150	35	35	3	2	387	6	..	6	40	20	
		27614	3169	30782	27957	3100	31057	250	2200	2220	347	322	33599	764	10	774	19850	3520	

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STATISTICS NOS. I. AND IV. SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																Gen'l Conf. Expenses.
																	Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc.			
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Alberta	11	124	..	2	1	4	2	15	90	4	3200	1	550	..	....	....	7	2	...	9	..	..	..	..	1	5	5	..	..	..	..	....	1
Appleton City	3	202	..	1	..	2	2	31	185	2	6000	1	1000	1725	....	625	66	14	...	80	10	1	..	1	10	19	4	1	77	..	..	11	8
California	9	100	..	..	..	..	2	8	100	2½	2300	1	700	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	..
Clinton	30	425	2	..	..	..	1	30	285	1	19000	..	.....	2460	....	2314	80	80	106	265	21	6	..	5	20	40	..	4	70	..	..	70	15
Deepwater	29	319	..	2	2	17	3	36	235	3	4000	..	.....	....	....	....	67	3	20	90	12	1	2	2	10	35	3	2	10	..	..	20	9
Dresden	11	125	..	1	3	..	2	20	150	2	3000	1	800	106	....	....	30	3	...	33	6	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	19	1
Eldorado Springs	34	183	1	2	2	18	1	16	225	1	4000	1	900	....	600	....	56	19	...	75	13	4	..	2	10	20	8	2	6	..	..	54	9
" " Ct	3	81	1	1	1	..	2	12	60	2½	1900	..	.....	....	....	....	10	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...
Green Ridge	1	211	1	2	..	..	3	35	185	3	5100	1	600	125	....	....	10	4	...	14	6	2	..	2	5	12	9	2	..	..	..	17	...
Huntingdale	4	163	..	3		4	1	8	50	3	4000	1	750	123	....	....	33	2	...	35	5	1	..	1	4	5	..	1	15	..	..	....	5
Knob Noster	2	160	..	2	1	9	1	9	33	5	4600	1	500	36	....	....	55	...	18	73	13	1	..	2	6	6	..	1	..	..	..	58	2
Lincoln & Warsaw	3	50	..	..	..	..	1	6	50	1½	1400	1	600	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	...
Malta Bend	4	132	1	..	..	4	2	15	90	2	2500	1	600	200	....	....	54	6	...	60	13	1	..	1	3	14	5	1	..	..	..	9	...
Marshall	36	171	3	2	..	10	1	14	125	1	11000	..	.....	....	....	....	30	30	..	60	10	2	..	1	8	10	3	1	..	..	..	20	...
Montrose	15	118	..	2	..	13	4	30	121	4	4200	1	600	150	....	....	25	1	..	26	3	1	..	1	2	1	2	1	..	..	..	....	2
Od'sa & Hig'sv'le.	52	142	..	3	..	3	2	21	150	3	6000	1	1000	100	....	....	25	..	..	25	7	1	..	1	4	4	..	1	15	..	..	....	5
Pilot Grove	2	96	1	1	..	..	1	15	100	1	1300	1	700	125	....	....	44	9	...	53	5	1	..	1	4	5	9	1	..	..	..	1	4
Rockville	18	145	..	2	..	1	3	30	150	3	3500	1	800	54	....	....	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	..
Schell City	47	215	..	1	..	16	2	30	150	2	2800	1	800	26	....	....	65	24	52	141	13	3	4	3	9	20	6	2	..	..	..	28	8
Sedalia—Epworth	15	270	..	1	..	20	2	25	225	2	14000	1	2000	608	100	970	47	3	..	50	3	..	..	..	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	16	...
First Church	110	550	1	9	4	8	1	36	400	1	40000	..	.....	200	3000	....	135	100		235	38	..	8	7	38	50	10	5	130	..	..	720	20
Smithton	3	246	..	3	2	2	1	14	160	1	4000	1	1200	60	....	....	80	10	50	140	16	4	..	3	14	20	6	2	34	..	..	50	10
Tipton	17	103	1	1	2	17	1	14	85	2¼	6000	1	800	174	125	....	71	10	..	81	11	3	..	2	10	12	12	2	58	..	..	....	8
Urich	18	168	..	3	..	7	2	20	140	2	3200	..	.....	130	....	150	34	5	...	39	3	1	..	..	5	17	7	1	..	..	..	10	...
Warrensburg	34	407	1	..	8	10	1	26	354	1	20000	1	3000	4459	....	....	50	29	..	79	8	1	..	1	9	8	..	1	89	..	..	8	5
Windsor	12	115	..	3	2	..	1	13	136	1	3500	1	1500	..	....	38	10	15	...	25	12	1	..	1	2	3	2	1	7	..	..	9	2
	523	5021	13	47	28	165	45	529	4044	56½	180500	20	19400	10861	3825	4097	1088	369	245	1702	228	36	14	38	177	311	90	32	511	..	..	1120	114

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NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS			RECEIPTS.				Presiding Elders		Bish's		Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From			Current Expenses.		Raised for Deaconess Work
		Salary.	House Rent.	Total	Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Apportioned.	Paid.	Apportioned.	Paid.		Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lessons, Leaves, Books, Etc.	
Alberta	(G. T. Beard)	* 280	25	305	273	25	298	7	32	22	4	...	320	...	..	...	...	...	
Appleton City	P. E. Pierce	940	60	1000	940	60	1000	....	105	105	10	10	1115	20	..	20	150	130	
California		...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	5	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	
Clinton	D. L. Thomas	1400	....	1400	1400	....	1400	....	147	147	13	13	1560	40	30	70	285	[illegible]	
Deepwater	L. L. Brannon	700	....	700	733	...	733	....	73	75	8	8	816	17	..	17	142	73	
Dresden	D. Weesner	400	50	450	233	50	283	167	48	48	5	3	334	4	..	4	50	66	
Eldorado Springs	H. A. Mitchell	560	90	650	560	90	650	....	68	68	8	8	726	18	..	18	110	63	
" Circuit	(I. M. Galbreath)	190	....	190	126	....	126	64	20	20	3	2	148	..	4	4	20	20	
Green Ridge	C. E. Wharton	500	50	550	445	50	495	55	58	45	7	5	545	16	..	16	85	42	
Huntingdale	L. Anderson	550	50	600	449	50	499	101	63	58	7	6	563	8	..	8	115	39	
Knob Noster	J. C. Stille*	* 405	60	465	333	60	393	72	49	41	5	4	438	8	..	8	35	24	
Lincoln and Warsaw	(E. O. Smith)	160	40	200	143	24	167	33	21	16	4	..	183	...	..	...	65	4	
Malta Bend	J. M. Carter	600	100	700	600	100	700	...	74	74	8	2	776	8	..	8	73	32	
Marshall	G. W. Shepherd	* 980	....	980	1180	180	1360	....	103	103	10	5	1468	10	..	10	182	83	
Montrose	(Mack L. Stille)	330	50	380	234	50	284	96	40	25	5	3	312	6	..	6	40	38	
Odessa and Higginsville	H. A. Babbitt	* 420	80	500	420	80	500	...	53	53	8	5	557	10	..	10	60	60	
Pilot Grove	(J. M. Mason)	450	50	500	465	50	515	....	53	53	7	7	575	12	..	12	50	23	
Rockville	Ewd. Turrentine	* 460	60	520	188	60	248	272	55	42	6	2	292	2	..	2	60	50	
Schell City	Clinton Senneff	500	60	560	500	60	560	....	59	59	7	7	626	14	..	14	120	60	
Sedalia—Epworth	Clarke Baker	800	200	1000	800	200	1000	....	105	105	10	2	1107	14	..	14	270	80	
First Church	S. S. Martin	1700	....	1700	1700	..	1700	....	179	179	18	18	1897	52	..	52	700	300	
Smithton	F. S. Beggs	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	84	84	9	9	893	20	..	20	125	45	
Tipton	(R. A. Hunt)	500	50	550	504	50	554	....	58	58	7	7	619	15	..	15	68	26	
Urich	G. B. VanBuskirk	* 400	...	400	351	...	351	49	42	42	5	3	396	7	..	7	63	50	
Warrensburg	W. C. Coleman	1050	150	1200	1050	150	1200	....	126	126	13	13	1339	24	..	24	90	80	
Windsor	Everett Simpson	* 500	100	600	504	100	604	....	63	63	8	8	675	16	..	16	85	40	
		15475	1425	16900	14831	1589	16420	916	1779	1711	198	150	18280	341	34	375	3045	1559	

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																	Missions.					S.S Un.				Education.				W.F.M Soc.				
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children	Adults.	No of Schools.	Officers & Teachers	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches	Fr'm Sunday School	Special Gifts.	Total	Board of Church Ex.	Church	Sunday School	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	
Ash Grove	19	161	..	2	..	5	2	22	125	3	3500	1	800	.....	20	300	20	...	1	21	4	..	1	1	4	12	..	1	...	....	...	13	4
Aurora	17	128	..	1	1	4	1	31	218	1	3500	..	.....	.....	...	.....	45	...	..	45	8	..	2	2	10	15	2	..	...	....	...	....	4
Billings	15	131	..	2	7	6	1	20	200	1	1700	1	300	850	...	50	22	7	..	29	2	1	..	1	3	13	2	1	2	....	...	38	..
Boaz	50	150	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	(2000)	..	.....	.....	..	.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	...	....	..
Bolivar	9	230	..	4	3	13	2	24	166	2	3700	1	1200	75	...	.....	125	10	..	135	12	48	2	2	10	25	4	2	49	....	...	133	8
Cassville	4	152	1	1	..	2	1	14	46	3	3200	1	300	100	...	150	15	...	..	15	2	..	..		1	6	..	..	..	....	..	....	..
Dadeville	5	96	2	1	..	...	1	7	50	5	1600	1	600	.....	...	100	3	...	..	3	2	..	..		2	2	3	..	..	....	..	....	1
Fairplay	13	134	1	2	.	6	1	12	77	4	4000	1	600	100	...	.....	24	12	..	36	6	1	..	1	6	13	2	1	..	....	...	..	5
Galena	7	49	..	..	2	5	1	11	70	1	2000	..	.....	.....	...	.....	10	6	..	16	3	1	..	1	3	5	5	1	..	....	...	10	4
Golden City	6	161	1	2	..	11	1	20	125	1	4000	1	1000	150	..	.....	44	11	..	55	10	2	..	2	10	11	4	2	..	....	...	36	7
Greenfield	48	192	2	1	.	17	1	24	262	1	1800	1	300	.....	...	.....	38	10	..	48	7	1	..	1	7	20	..	1	16	....	...	25	6
Humansville	11	200	1	3	..	...	2	25	140	3½	(3550)	1	600	...	...	.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	...	....	..
LaRussell	11	151	1	1	3	3	3	22	90	4	3200	..	.....	...	..	400	8	...	..	8	2	1	..	1	...	5	..	1	..	....	...	....	..
Lockwood	16	240	2	1	..	2	2	38	250	2	3200	1	825	85	...	.....	10	10	..	20	9	..	1	1	4	6	5	..	..	....	...	8	..
Marionville	37	273	4	1	..	21	1	18	250	1	3000	1	700	145	..	.....	33	41	..	74	13	2	..	2	11	32	..	1	78	....	...	3373	9
" Circuit	18	135	..	..	2	20	.	...	....	6	5500	..	.....	45	...	60	5	...	..	5	...	..	..	..	3	...	..	..	..	....	...	....	..
Marshfield	2	135	..	3	1	...	1	16	100	1	2000	1	600	200	...	.....	29	25	..	54	12	2	..	2	10	15	13	2	40	....	...	5	8
Monett	10	190	1	4	2	9	1	21	200	1	3000	1	1200	25	...	.....	66	10	..	76	13	..	2	2	11	22	..	2	28	....	...	64	10
Mt. Vernon	16	83	1	..	1	11	1	11	130	1	5000	1	800	800	..	.....	25	15	..	40	5	1	..	1	4	12	..	1	..	....	...	18	6
Osceola	22	201	1	1	2	20	2	26	225	2	10000	1	800	6000	...	.....	59	21	..	80	14	2	..	1	12	15	2	1	65	....	..	35	..
Peirce C'y, Purdy	7	110	..	4	..	3	2	26	115	2	4000	1	1000	4	...	100	14	...	..	14	5	1	..	1	3	5	..	1	..	....	...	....	3
Republic	9	97	..	1	1	1	1	21	150	1	4000	1	600	75	...	.....	....	10	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	....	...	19	..
Springfie'dBenton	4	210	2	4	..	2	1	32	148	1	16000	..	.	50	..	.....	107	19	..	126	15	3	..	3	15	15	..	..	56	8355	...	364	..
" Circuit	13	82	..	..	1	14	1	8	40	4	(3000)	..	.....	1000	...	.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	...	....	..
" Daily	25	140	..	..	7	3	1	22	175	1	12000	1	1400	.	500	.....	16	5	..	21	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	....	...	....	..
" Grace	54	570	..	7	13	12	2	52	290	1	30000	1	4000	685	105	...	287	43	..	330	25	5	..	5	20	50	17	1	130	230	234	30	..
" Mt. Car'l.	7	92	1	1	1	5	1	16	125	1	1200	1	1000	15	10	150	....	...	..	....	..	..	..	..	...	...	3	..	..	....	...	....	..
Stockton	...	139	..	..	...	...	3	30	150	3	3300	1	600	250	...	.....	....	...	..	....	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	....	...	....	..
Taneyville	2	28	1	..	..	..	1	8	25	1	500	.	.....	.	...	.....	....	...	..	....	..	..	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	....	...	....	..
Weaubleau	2	107	1	1	.	5	3	17	120	3	4000	1	300	75	...	.....	10	5	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	...	70	..
	475	4767	23	48	47	200	41	594	4062	65½	147450	22	19525	10729	635	1310	1025	250	1	1276	170	71	8	30	150	310	64	19	464	8585	234	4173	75

STATISTICS NO. III. SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS, Supplies in Parenthesis. ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Current Expenses. Church: Sexton, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School: Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.	Raised for Deaconess Work
Ash Grove	(Chas. J Gilbraith)	* 400	60	460	400	60	460	....	54	54	4	4	518	7	..	7	55	70	
Aurora	(R. W. Moore)	* 684	....	684	600	120	720	....	79	79	6	5	804	6	..	6	122	93	
Billings	M. D. Cox.	* 360	32	392	360	32	392	....	48	48	4	4	444	10	..	10	60	60	
Boaz	James Lokey	275	....	275	....	..	.....	....	30	....	4	..	.....	..	..	..	....	....	
Bolivar	G. J. Hunt	800	75	875	800	75	875	....	96	96	8	8	979	20	..	20	85	75	
Cassville	(J. F. King)	* 300	60	360	262	60	322	38	43	37	5	3	362	5		5	54	38	
Dadeville	(Frank Camp)	* 340	50	390	330	50	380	10	48	39	4	1	420	...	..	...	....	20	
Fairplay	L. R. Nichols	* 385	60	445	340	60	400	45	52	48	5	5	453	12	..	12	33	28	
Galena	(G. W. Hughey)	* 300	....	300	210	....	210	90	38	38	3	3	251	5	..	5	50	50	
Golden City	Guy Z. Moore	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	77	77	6	6	783	15	..	15	87	75	
Greenfield	A. M. Livingston	600	60	660	610	60	670	....	73	73	6	6	749	12	..	12	70	80	
Humansville	Walter Ross	* 350	50	400	350	50	400	....	50	....	4	...	.....	...	..	...	....	....	
LaRussell	(W. F. Yeager)	300	....	300	300	....	300	....	33	28	4	...	328	4	..	4	100	48	
Lockwood	A. G Keast	510	75	585	301	75	376	209	64	41	6	3	450	7	..	7	75	76	
Marionville	F. P. Leckliter	700	50	750	700	60	760	....	82	82	9	9	851	18	..	18	175	90	
" Circuit	(Virgil Henderson)	* 270	....	270	174	...	174	96	32	19	4	...	193	...	..	...	....	....	
Marshfield	Chas. F Tippin	500	50	550	500	50	550	..	60	60	8	8	618	12	..	12	125	45	
Monett	J W Needham	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	99	99	10	10	1009	20	..	20	100	100	
Mt. Vernon	E. W. Elayer	* 583	...	583	583	40	623	...	64	63	4	4	690	6	..	6	140	44	
Osceola	W. D. Sidman	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	88	81	10	8	889	15	..	15	60	60	
Peirce City and Purdy	W. O. Turrentine	* 468	40	508	427	40	467	41	59	54	6	4	525	5	..	5	120	90	
Republic	James Pine	450	50	500	450	50	500	....	55	55	6	4	559	10	..	10	100	55	
Springfield - Benton	C V Criss	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	110	110	10	10	1120	15	..	15	214	140	
" Circuit	(Frank Camp)	* 300	...	300	150	....	150	150	33	23	3	..	173	...	..	...	....	..	
" Daily	S. W. McClure	650	150	800	550	150	700	100	88	78	7	2	780	9	..	9	200	15	
" Grace	J. W. Stewart	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	....	198	198	20	...	1998	...	..	..	....	400	
" Mt. Carmel	C T. Cotton	* 400	100	500	140	50	190	310	63	53	4	...	243	...	..	...	....	....	
Stockton	Chas. Zimmerli	* 385	48	433	385	48	433	..	53	53	5	...	486	...	..	...	....	....	
Taneyville	...	* 150	....	150	90	...	90	60	22	34	3	...	114	...	..	...	....	....	
Weaubleau	(T. J. McCaffree)	* 400	....	400	448	....	448	..	49	44	5	...	492	...	..	...	90	72	
		15460	1610	17070	14335	1730	16065	1149	1940	1754	183	107	17281	213	..	213	2115	1884	

*Have Missionary Appropriation.

STATISTICS NOS. I. AND IV.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	Membership.				Baptisms.		Sunday Schools.			Church Property.							Benevolent Collections.																
																	Missions.					S. S. Un.				Education.				W.H.M Soc			
	Probationers.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	Number of Schools.	Officers and Teachers	Scholars.	Number of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness.	From Churches.	From Sunday Sch'l.	Special Gifts.	Total.	Board of Church Ex.	Church.	Sunday School.	Tract Society.	Freedmen's A. S. E.	Public Education Collection.	Children's Fund.	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Miss.	Cash.	Supplies	Other Benevolent Collections	Gen'l Conference Expenses
Carthage	637	5646	16	61	40	319	56	748	6318	57¾	203100	25	36525	23252	3248	26925	1455	589	..	2014	272	35	18	37	288	347	120	26	1045	72	82	905	10[illegible]
Farmington	561	3172	25	42	72	147	47	373	3251	61	94000	16	15150	6880	4216	3230	354	211	5	569	105	9	52	19	63	713	24	18	39	4	50	103	65
Kansas City	445	6738	6	56	98	267	36	656	5247	39¼	538600	13	34900	6652	19671	82218	3050	1009	63	4122	521	104	9	90	457	512	171	63	3419	1134	246	2529	121
Lebanon	314	3471	29	55	40	187	48	421	3022	69½	83770	19	13650	3263	200	675	435	43	.	478	94	18	4	24	56	110	28	20	62	5	..	200	85
St. Louis	535	4162	16	36	217	115	28	511	4523	27	457700	9	43400	35667	3336	53000	3263	779	2836	6878	425	6	3	46	291	3403	123	51	1974	994	306	30406	219
Sedalia	523	5021	13	47	28	165	45	529	4044	56½	180500	20	19400	10861	3825	4097	1088	369	245	1702	228	36	14	38	177	311	90	52	511	.....	...	1120	114
Springfield	475	4767	23	48	37	200	41	591	4062	65½	147450	22	19525	10729	635	1310	1025	250	1	1276	170	71	8	36	150	310	64	19	464	8585	284	4175	75
Totals	3490	32917	128	355	542	1300	301	3832	30467	376½	1705120	124	182550	97304	35131	171455	10670	3250	3150	21039	2715	337	135	278	1482	5766	620	229	7514	10791	918	38836	787
Totals last year	3492	32940	140	312	626	1652	302	3676	29550	374	1571550	124	167740	102687	45813	145751	10082	2987	377	13446	1833	325	82	267	1403	3079	532	261	8281	1953	1198	32117	41
Increase	....	.....	...	43	..		...	156	917	2½	133570	...	14810	....	....	25704	588	263	2773	7593	852	10	53	11	79	2627	88	..	....	8811	....	7019	744
Decrease	2	23	12		84	252	1	..	.....	....		..		5383	10682													32	767		28		

Kansas City paid $1435 to City Evangelization and Church Extension Society.

St. Louis paid $1454 to City Evangelization Union.

STATISTICS NO. III. RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. CLAIMS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total	RECEIPTS. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders. Apportioned.	Paid.	Bish's Apportioned.	Paid	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources	Total.	Current Expenses. Church Sexton, Ligh, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Carthage	20092	2647	22739	19185	2647	21832	915	2210	2107	264	194	24133	443	9	452	3797	2182
Farmington	11403	1500	12903	9696	1564	11240	1847	1400	1332	108	64	12588	117	18	135	1238	982
Kansas City	28698	2290	30988	37556	2890	30446	608	2996	2922	407	298	33666	960	6	966	14513	3805
Lebanon	9967	1061	11028	8021	1091	9112	1929	1317	1211	107	65	10388	113	..	113	1347	939
St. Louis	27613	3169	30782	27957	3100	31057	250	2200	2220	337	322	33599	764	10	774	19850	3420
Sedalia	15475	1425	16900	14731	1589	16420	916	1779	1711	198	150	18280	341	34	375	3045	1509
Springfield	15460	1610	17070	14335	1730	16065	1149	1940	1754	183	107	17281	213	..	213	2115	1884
Totals	128708	13702	142410	121581	14611	136172	7615	13872	13257	1504	1200	149927	2951	77	3028	44875	14721
Totals for last year	1189 1	13160	132061	110263	13736	124099	9336	12919	12407	1498	1121	135629	2946	43	2989	45163	14649
Increase	9807	542	10359	11318	1875	12073	....	953	1850	106	189	14398	5	34	39	.....	72
Decrease	....	....	....	....	....	....	1721	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	....	..

Conference Roll and Record.

NAMES. * Non. Effective. † Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST OFFICES. All in Missouri Unless Otherwise Stated.
Adams, Lewis G.	1899	1899	692 Pleasant St., E Weymouth, Mass.
Anderson, Eli P.	1888	1888	Clifton Heights, St. Louis
Anderson, Laban	1891	1904	Dresden
Ashley, John*	1872	1872	Bloomfield
Babbitt, Homer A	1888	1888	Higginsville
Baird, Edwin H.*	1859	1865	Marionville
Baker, Clarke.	1892	1893	Sedalia
Baker, William F	1880	1880	Amsterdam
Baker, William Frank†	1904	1904	Conway
Ball, Albert D.	1891	1891	4583 Gibson Ave., St. Louis
Barker, Joel A	1875	1901	Kansas City
Bechtel, Geo. C	1904	1904	Licking
Beggs, Francis S.	1859	1859	Smithton
Bell, Mordecai*	1877	1877	Golden City
Bitler, Jas. S	1878	1899	215 E 65th Place, Chicago, Ills.
Boner, John H.†	1905	1905	Alba
Borah. Jno. W	1894	1905	St. Louis
Brannon, Landor L	1900	1900	ElDorado Springs
Brewington, Jas. B	1880	188[illegible]	Richland
Britton, D. Wesley	1895	1907	Eight Mile
Brown, Walter E.†.	1904	1904	2818 Holly St., Kansas City
Buck, Noble H. *.	1870	1870	Seneca
Campbell, Stephen B.	1987	1903	2625 E. 50th St., Kansas City
Carlos, Charles R	1989	1900	3119 Grand Ave., St. Louis
Carpenter, Lewis R.*	1874	1874	Baldwin, Kas.
Carter, Jos. M	1870	1906	Malta Bend
Chatten, William K.†	1902	1906	Drexel
Clappool, E. V	1886	1907	1704 Prospect Ave., Kansas City
Coleman, William C	1893	1896	St. Louis
Collins, William K.*	1876	1883	Lee's Summit
Coontz, Jno. W	1898	1903	3912 E. 18th St., Kansas City
Corkill, Thos. H.	1886	1905	St. Louis
Corrington, Jas. F.*	187[illegible]	1873	Jerseyville, Ill.
Cosper, Geo. H	1885	1893	Nevada
Cotton, Carlton T.†	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kas.
Cox, Marvin D.†	1904	1904	Billings
Creamer, Wesley M.*	1874	1886	3730 Park Ave., Kansas City
Criss, Curtis V	1877	1877	Butler
Crow, David W	1881	1881	1724 Byers Ave., Joplin
Curl, Martin L	1868	1895	4537 Forest Park B'l'v'd, St. Louis

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Dixon, Artie M	1900	1904	Fruitland
Dorchester, Liverus H	1889	1903	4412 Lindell Ave., St. Louis
Elayer, Edward W	1897	1907	Mt. Vernon
Farr, J. W	1904	1907	Green Ridge
Ferguson, William T	1898	1898	Carterville
Fiedler, Jos. H. *	1887	1906	
Finley, Jno. W.*	1869	1869	Eldorado Springs
Foster, Geo. M	1890	1890	Oronoga
Foster, Henry B	1889	1895	Springfield
French, Silas A	1884	1895	Neosho
Fry, Charles D.*	1857	1887	Macomb
Galbraith, Isaac M.*	1881	1881	Eldorado Springs, R. F D. No. 2
Getty, Frederick	1889	1907	Carl Junction
Gideon, Geo. H	1878	1890	Hillsboro
Gideon, Thomas J	1882	1890	Bloomfield
Gillespie, Jno. H	1873	1873	Basin, Wyo.
Glens, Geo. A.	1886	1907	Adrian
Gray, William L.*	1905	1905	Tuxedo Park, St. Louis
Hagerty, Thos. H	1855	1863	1909 N. Grand Ave., St. Louis
Hallock, Leander*	1853	1877	Clitton Heights, St. Louis
Hall, Jno. E	1901	1901	923 Newton Ave., Kansas City
Halterman, Chas. L	1898	1903	Doe Run
Hamel, William V	1878	1878	901 W. Thoman St., Springfield
Harris, Clinton A.†	1905	1905	Seneca
Harris, Jacob S.*	1870	1892	Cuba
Harris, Joseph*	1862	1888	Boston, Mass.
Harrison, Cyrus T.†	1904	1904	Neosho
Harvey, Henry L	1897	1903	107 Tyler St. St. Louis
Hoos, Peter R.†	1905	1905	Sligo
Hudson, Newton H.†	1905	1905	
Hughes, Matt. S.	1888	1899	2411 Independence B'l'v'd, K. C.
Hughey, Geo. W.*	1850	1879	Galena
Humphrey, Harry G.†	1896	1896	Independence
Hunt, Enoch J.	1878	1878	914 West 3rd St., Sedalia
Hunt, Geo. J	1893	1893	Warrensburg
Hurley, John H.*	1881	1893	Crawford, Colo.
James, Chas. C	1891	1907	512 E. Commercial St., Springfield
Jeffrey, Thos. W	1890	1903	Carthage
Jones, Samuel*	1873	1873	Clinton
Jones, William F	1887	1887	509 W. 4th St., Joplin
Jones, Harvey A.	1891	1893	3210 Charlotte St., Kansas City
Jones, Burrell D	1878	1894	Seymour
Keast, Alfred G	1899	1899	Cascade, Mont.
King, Harry A	1898	1906	Baldwin, Kas.
Kirk, J. Caleb†	1904	1904	Sarcoxie
Knease, Thos. H.*	1872	1884	Seymour

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Koeth, Edward D. C.*	1896	1896	1369 Mich. St., Buffalo, N. Y.
Leatherman, William	1887	1900	7328 Michigan Ave , St. Louis
Leckliter, Francis P	1899	1899	Marionville
Leonard, Harry C	1902	1905	St. Louis
Livingstone, Alva M	1903	1905	Monett
Lokey, James	1879	1889	Boaz
Luccock, Naphtali	1874	1897	615 N. Garrison Ave., St. Louis
Lunbeck, Isaac J. K	1870	1870	3818 E. 18th St., Kansas City
Mais, Henry G	1892	1895	515 West Macon St., Carthage
Martin, David R.†	1905	1905	St. Louis
Martin, Jno. J	1878	1878	Lamar
Martin, Sebern S	1877	1902	403 W. 5th St., Sedalia
McClure, Sylvester W	1877	1901	2720 Holmes St., Kansas City
McCormack Wm. R	1894	1894	Farmington
McGurk, Daniel	1888	1906	1326 Forest Ave., Kansas City
Miller, Edwin F.†	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kas.
Miller, Aaron H.*	1873	1890	4620 Cooke Ave., St Louis
Mitchell, Charles A.*†	1896	1896	
Mitchell, Henry A	1900	1900	Lebanon
Moore, Guy Z	1900	1900	Golden City
Moore, Floyd O †	1904	1904	East Lynne
Moore, Jno. N	1874	1907	Joplin
Needham, Jno. W	189	1890	Mountain Grove
Neff, Frank	1901	1901	418 Olive St., Kansas City
Newman, Purley B	1899	1906	Phillipsburg
Niblack, Basil E	1892	1897	Oak Grove
Nichols, L. R	1904	1904	Stockton
Oechsli, Frank*	1872	1872	Baldwin, Kas.
Osborne, Harry R.*	1892	1905	
Osbron, Andrew T	1889	1907	Flat River
Pare, William T	1886	1886	Peirce City
Pierce, Jno. N.*	1859	1865	Clinton
Pierce, Perry E	1896	1896	Appleton City
Pine, James	1879	1879	Republic
Porter, Jas. S.*	1873	1873	Rich Hill
Porter, Jno H.*†	1896	1896	835 Calish St., Fresno, Cal.
Prall, Thos. E	1897	1897	Jasper
Pyles, William T.*	1883	1886	Baldwin. Kas.
Randle, Edwin B	1878	1907	5652 Cates Ave., St. Louis
Reno, Frank P	1894	1894	Dixon
Reser, Lewis G	1892	1892	Marionville
Requa, William L.†	1902	1902	Avilla
Rice, Edwin T.†	1903	1903	Pleasant Hill
Ridgway, David C.*	1863	1896	66 Pearl St., Springfield, Ohio
Ryan, A. E	1892	1907	Rich Hill

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Sapp, Electious H	1899	1895	Liberal
Senneff, Clinton†	1904	1904	Schell City
Shaffer, Thos. P	1899	1899	Rolla
Shepherd, Geo. W	1884	1903	Marshall
Sidman, Wm. D	1895	1891	Osceola
Simmons, Wm. J	1876	1887	Lockwood
Simmons, David T	1892	1892	Bolivar
Simpson, Frederick W	1895	1895	801 Cypress Av., Kansas City
Simpson, Everett	1899	1889	Windsor
Slusher, Jno. W	1887	1904	Hartville
Smith, Addyman	1902	1907	Poplar Bluff
Smith, Hervey*	1887	1887	Jamestown, Ohio
Smith, Julius	1884	1906	Baldwin, Kas.
Smith, Robert T	1883	1883	Hall's Ferry & Church Rd., St. Louis
Sparks, Edwin E.†	1903	1903	Belton
Squier, Edgar A *	1880	1900	Atlanta, Ill
Stephens, William*	1866	1866	Belton
Stevens, Scott F	1885	1902	West Plains
Stewart, Jno. W	1877	1897	408 Pearl St., Springfield
Stewart, Oliver M	1864	1869	1610 Jefferson St., Kansas City
Stickney, Francis M.*	1872	1872	Eldon
Stille, Jno. C.†	1905	1905	Knob Noster
Suter, Oscar V	1905	1906	Nashville
Templeton, Rufus B	1892	1905	Holden
Thackrey, John E	1894	1901	Rural Route 6, Independence
Thomas, Geo. B.†	1904	1904	Farmington
Thomas, D. L	1885	1907	Clinton
Thomas, Valentine C.*	1891	1905	Adrain
Thompson, Leon M	1895	1895	Farmington
Threlfall, Henry*	1866	1866	R. F. D. No. 1, Galena
Tippin, Charles F.*	1896	1896	Marshfield
Toland, Henry A.*	1885	1885	39 Burkett St., Sheridan, Wyo.
Turrentine, Wm. O	1896	1896	Greenfield
Van Petten, Jno. B.*	1852	1880	Cazenovid, N. Y.
Wakefield, Ralph	1903	1903	St. Louis
Warner, Samuel	1881	1881	Lebanon
Welch, Jno.*	1858	1866	ElDorado Springs
White, Harry	1895	1895	Webb City
Wright, Amzi C *	1890	1907	
Wright, Wm. T	1886	1886	3118 Olive St., Kansas City
Yeager, Wilbur F.*	1880	1880	Marionville

Thompson, J. L. – transfer

Probationers.

	NAME.	Admitted on trial.	POSTOFFICE.
4	W. G. Smith	1905	Lee's Summit
2	Thomas P. Woodson	1905	
2	Andrew J. May	1904	Ironton
2	Charles E. Wharton	1906	Springfield
2	Geo. B. Van Buskirk	1906	Chilhowee, Johnson Co.
2	Jno. H. Bishop	1906	Centerview
2	Jno. F. Odom	1906	2541 Jackson av., Kansas City
1	Marion A. Kerr†	1905	Linn Creek
1	Charles E. Ferguson	1907	East Joplin
1	Frank W. P. Camp	1907	Waubleau
1	Evert H. Maynard	1907	
1	James T. King	1907	Cassville
1	Charles J. Gilbraith	1907	
1	Thos. G. Peterson	1907	Willow Springs
1	Geo. T. Beard	1907	Rockville
1	Leon H. Sweetland	1907	Moundville
1	Andrew L Simmons	1907	Ava
1	C. Julius Wegener	1907	Urbana
1	J. M. Mason	1907	Pilot Grove
1	C. V. Bryan	1907	Buffalo
1	Robert Arthur Hunt	1907	Tipton
1	W. O. Tolbart	1907	Mt. View
1	Edwin L. Spiller	1907	Bismarck
1	Charles Vernon Bigler	1907	Garden City

†Deacon.

Number of full members, 172.
Number of Probationers, 24.
Whole No. in Conference, 196.

Postoffices of Supplies.

(Differing from Name of Appointment.)

Daniel W. Lowe ..... Urbana
R. K. Holland ..... Norwood
Wm. McClanahan ..... Niaugua, R. F. D.
William Baker ..... Embree
Taylor Mann ..... Denlow
Ray S. True ..... Carthage

Addenda.

The appointment of the fraternal delegates to the Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, was overlooked during the session of the Conference

On April 6th, Bishop Wilson named N. Luccock and W. C. Coleman as fraternal delegates.

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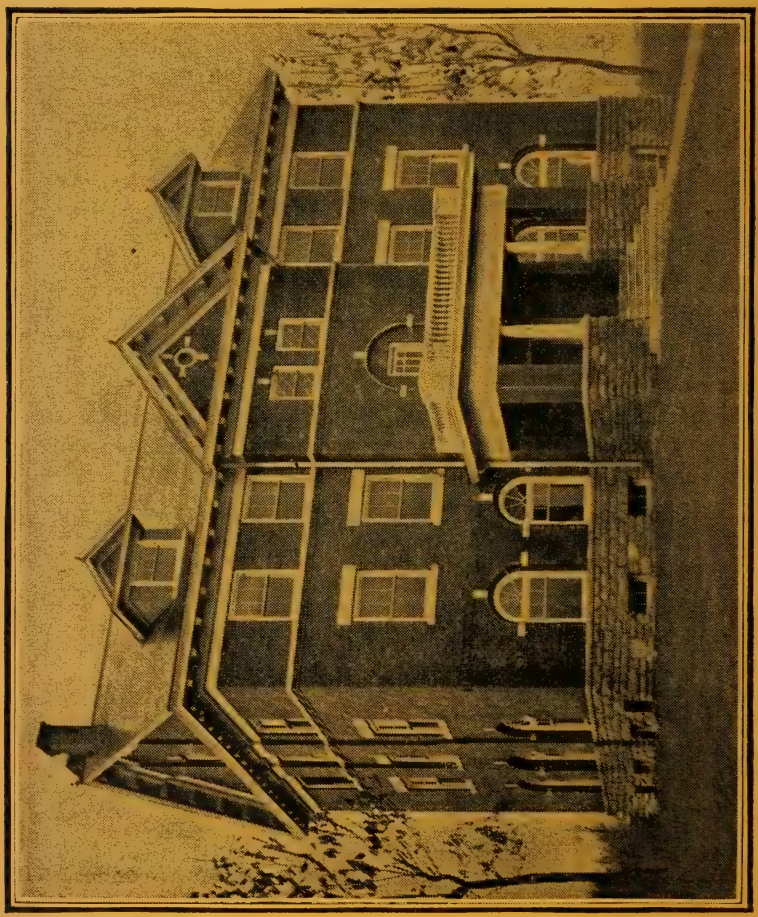

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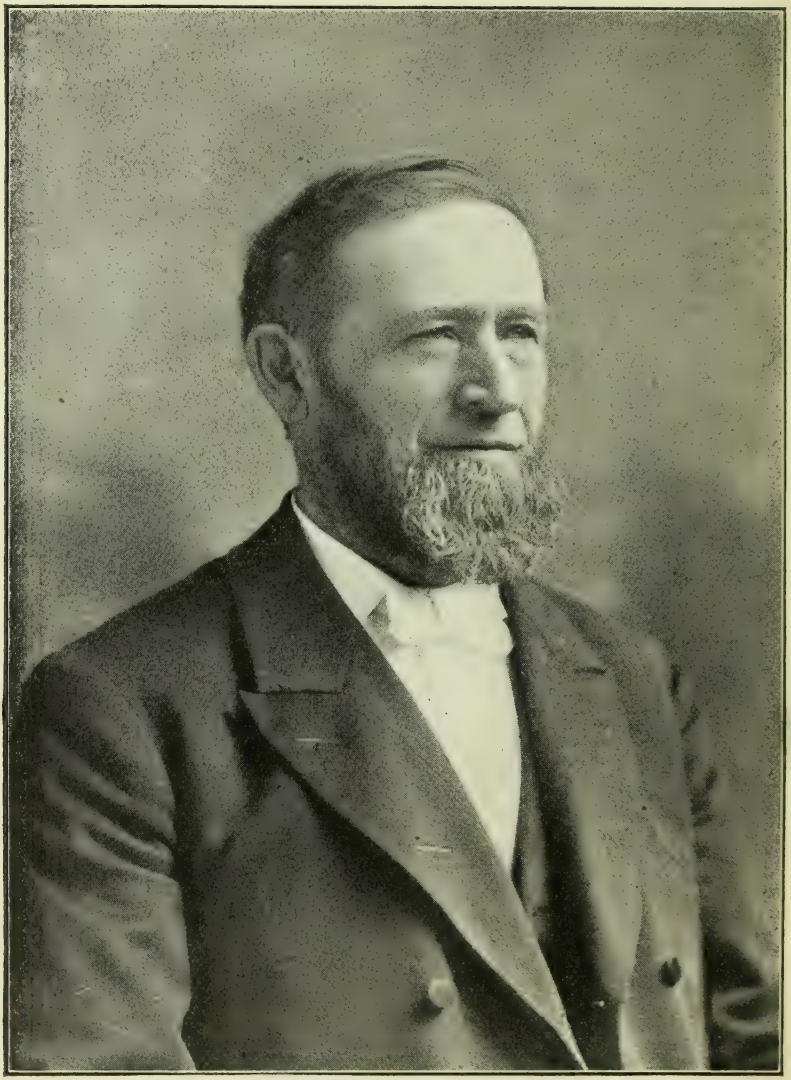

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II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate (except that the President may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

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V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member requests it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene—namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till everyone desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a question has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless for special reasons the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer, and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of the Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instructions? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

XV. The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, and the Officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the Officers and Managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitous Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned; of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 18, 1908.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its fortieth session in the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, Springfield, Missouri, March 18, 1908, Bishop Henry W. Warren, presiding.

Opening Service—The Conference was called to order by the Bishop at 8:30 a. m.

Fayette L. Thompson delivered an address on "The Holy Spirit the Administrator of the Church."

Hymn No. 798, beginning "And Are We Yet Alive," was announced and sung.

The Bishop read a portion of the second chapter of Acts and offered prayer, concluding with The Lord's Prayer in which the congregation joined. The Bishop then gave some gracious words of greeting, and assisted by the Presiding Elders administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Roll Call—Perry E. Pierce, the Secretary of the last session of the Conference called the roll and 124 members and probationers were present, viz.:

E. P. Anderson, Laban Anderson, C. Baker, W. F. Baker, William Frank Baker, A. D. Ball, J. A. Barker, G. C. Bechtel, F. S. Beggs, J. H. Boner, L. L. Brannon, J. B. Brewington, D. W. Britton, W. E. Brown, S. B. Campbell, C. R. Carlos, J. M. Carter, W. K. Chatten, E. V. Claypool, J. W. Coontz, T. H. Corkill, D. W. Crow, M. L. Curl, E. W. Elayer, J. H. Fiedler, J. W. Finley, G. M. Foster, F. Getty, G. H. Gideon, T. J. Gideon, J. H. Gillespie, G. A. Glens, T. H. Hagerty, C. T. Harrison, H. L. Harvey, P. R. Hoos, M. S. Hughes, G. W. Hughey, H. G. Humphrey, E. J. Hunt, G. J. Hunt, C. C. James, T. W.

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Transfers Announced—The following brethren were announced as transferred to this Conference and were introduced:

Fayette L. Thompson, from the North Minnesota; William S. Courtney and J. Will Caughlin, from the Missouri; H. Arthur Barton, from the Upper Iowa; Sylvester P. Stillman, from the Colorado; Willshire R. Peters, from the Nebraska; Henry P. Barnes, from the Southern Illinois.

Organization—On the nomination of J. J. Martin, P. E. Pierce was re-elected Secretary, and on his nomination T. P. Shaffer, R. A. Hunt, and G. B. Vanbuskirk were elected Assistant Secretaries.

On the nomination of J. J. Martin, W. D. Sidman was re-elected Statistical Secretary and on his nomination T. E. Prall, A. M. Livingstone, E. E. Sparks, C. J. Gilbraith, A. G. Keast, A. J. May and C. G. Davis were elected Assistants.

On the nomination of S. B. Campbell, I. J. K. Lunbeck was re-elected Treasurer and on his nomination Frederick

Getty, A. M. Dixon, J. E. Thackrey, H. A. Mitchell, W. L. Gray, Clinton Senneff and F. P. Leckliter were elected Assistants.

The following Standing Committees were appointed:

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Reforms—F. L. Thompson, E. W. Elayer, B. D. Jones, W. G. Smith, C. T. Harrison, D. L. Thomas, A. J. May.

Resolutions—Ralph Wakefield, B. D. Jones, G. B. Thomas, Frank Neff, L. L. Brannon, E. H. Sapp.

Stewards—E. P. Anderson, F. P. Reno, L. M. Thompson, W. F. Jones, D. W. Crow, W. T. Wright, H. B. Foster, S. W. McClure.

Woman's Work—T. H. Hagerty, W. E. Brown, Harry White, C. E. Wharton, Laban Anderson, T. J. Gideon.

Young People's Work—F. W. Simpson, T. E. Prall, Clinton Senneff, L. R. Nichols, W. L. Gray, G. C. Bechtel.

Introductions—The following visiting brethren were introduced to the Conference, viz: W. P. Buckner, Presiding Elder of the Springfield District of the Methodist Eqiscopal Church, South; J. L. Sullens, pastor in this city of the M. E. Church, South; C. O. Mills, of the Missouri Conference; J. F. St. Clair, Superintendent of Bethany Hospital; Revs. Wheeler of the M. E. Church (Col.) and Simpson of the Colored Cumberland Presbyterian Church; Joel A. Smith, who is to conduct the Evangelistic Services of this session of the Conference; W. E. Grose, who addressed the Conference with reference to the Daily Christian Advocate.

Hospitals—On motion the following Committees on hospitals were nominated by the Presiding Elders and confirmed by the Conference, viz.: Bethany Hospital; O. M. Stewart, Clinton Senneff, and C. V. Criss; Burge Deaconess Hospital, J. W. Stewart, Naphtali Luccock, J. W. Coontz.

Rules—The rules of the last session of the Conference were adopted.

Bar—The bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first six rows of pews.

Gifts—T. H. Hagerty presented to the Bishop a Testament on the back of which was pasted a piece of polished wood taken from the first Methodist Episcopal Church built west of the Mississippi River. The Bishop fittingly responded.

QUESTION The Thirteenth Question was taken up, viz:

XIII. **Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?**

W. R. McCormack, Presiding Elder of the Farmington District, passed in character and he read the report of his District.

Vote of Thanks—On motion of T. H. Hagerty a vote of thanks was extended to President Thomas and those who assisted him in clearing Carleton College of debt.

E. J. Hunt, Presiding Elder of the Sedalia District passed in Character and he read his report.

Gift—S. S. Martin on behalf of the Preachers of the Sedalia District presented E. J. Hunt and wife a beautiful silver tea set. F. S. Beggs added some words of appreciation. Brother Hunt responded in a happy and feeling manner.

Samuel Warner, Presiding Elder of the Lebanon District passed in character and he read the report of his District.

Drafts—The Conference ordered drafts on the Book Concern for $1,581 and on the Chartered Fund for $22.

The announcements were made, the Doxology was sung and the Benediction was pronounced by the Bishop.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., Bishop Warren presiding. N. Luccock delivered an address on "The Pauline Ideal."

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Greeting—The Bishop, on behalf of the Conference, greeted Bro. William Stephens, who for twenty-six years efficiently served the Conference as Secretary.

Methodist Review—On nomination, H. C. Humphrey was elected agent for the Methodist Review.

Books—The Bishop spoke in behalf of Byron Palmer recommending his books.

Rool Call—The roll of absentees was called and the following brethern were present: H. A. Babbit, M. Bell, C. V. Criss, H. B. Foster, S. A. French, W. L. Gray, H. A. Jones, T. H. Knease, D. R. Martin, J. W. Needham, F. P. Reno, L. G. Reser, E. E. Sparks, E. A. Squier.

PROBATIONERS.

W. G. Smith, C. J. Gilbraith, G. T. Beard, L. H. Sweetland, W. O. Tolbart, C. V. Bigler.

On motion the further calling of the roll was dispensed with.

Children's Home Society—C. C. Stahman, of the St. Louis German Conference, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of the Children's Home Society of Missouri.

QUESTION Question Thirteen was resumed.

XIII.

The Characters of the following Presiding Elders passed and they read their reports, viz: H. G. Mais, of the Carthage District; and S. B. Campbell, of the Kansas City District.

Address—T. C. Iliff was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of Home Missoins and Church Extension.

C. R. Carlos, Presiding Elder of the St. Louis District, passed in character and read his report.

Gifts—A. D. Ball on behalf of the preachers of the St. Louis District, in token of their appreciation of his work, presented C. R. Carlos with a sum of money.

In a short talk, expressing his love to the brethern, Bro. Carlos responded.

Ecumenical Conference—O. H. Stewart presented the following resolution, which, after remarks by N. Luccock, was adopted by a standing vote.

WHEREAS, The fourth session of the Methodist Ecumenical Counsel will meet on the Western Continent in 1911, and as St. Louis Methodism has taken steps toward inviting the Counsel to hold its session in the city of St. Louis; therefore,

Resolved, That we, the members of the St. Louis Conference, are gratified in this effort and pledge to it our most earnest Co-operation and support.

D. McGURK,
EARNEST V. CLAYPOOL,
O. M. STEWART.

C. C. James, Presiding Elder of the Springfield District, passed in character and he read the report of his district.

The class for Admission into Full Membership was called, a hymn was sung, and after offering prayer, and reading a Scripture lesson, the Bishop addressed the class.

QUESTION VII. The Seventh Question was taken up, viz: Who have admitted into Full Membership?

Charles E. Wharton, John F. Odom, John H. Bishop, G. Bennett Van Buskirk, and Jesse W. Barr, Passed in character, gave their reports, passed in their studies, were recommended by the Committee on Conference Relations, and on motion of their Presiding Elders were admitted into full membership and elected to Deacon's orders, and advanced to the class of the third year.

T. P. Woodson passed in character and in the studies of the second year.

Andrew J. May and Walter G. Smith passed in character, gave their reports, were passed in their studies, were admitted into full membership, and advanced to the class of the third year.

The notices were given and the Conference adjourned with doxology and benediction.

THIRD DAY.

Friday 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. Bishop Warren presiding. Matt S. Hughes delivered an address on the subject, "The Christian Doctrine of prayer."

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Education—The committee on Education presented the following preliminary report, which was adopted by the Conference:

We present for your consideration the following:

That the Board of Trustees of the Marionville Collegiate Institute be authorized by the St. Louis Conference to advance the curriculum of said Institute to the full college requirements and that such alteration of the present charter be secured as will allow Degree conferring privileges.

That such alteration of charter as is herein authorized be secured at the next annual meeting of the Trustees in June.

That the Chairman of the Committee on Education, the President of the Board of Trustees, and the President of the Institution be made a committee to report an appropriate name for the College. Said report to be in the hands of the Secrtary, John A. McCullah, by the annual meeting in June.

The Board of Trustees be increased to at least twenty-four members under the new charter.

Moved and carried that these recommendation be approved, with the understanding that the Degree Conferring power herein named shall not be exercised until they have a teaching force of not less than six doing collegiate in whole or in part, and have secured an eddowment of not less than $50,000.

Reports—The Conference ordered that in addition to the Disciplinary requirements, the preachers in reporting shall state the amounts raised for education and Conference Claimants.

QUESTION XIII. Question Thirteen was resumed.

The following effective elders passed in character and those present reported, viz:

Carthage District—W. L. Requa, J. W. Caughlan, C. V. Criss, Fred. Getty, W. T. Ferguson, T. W. Jeffrey, T. E. Prall, D. W. Crow, J. N. Moore, W. F. Jones, J. J. Martin, E. H. Sapp, O. V. Suter, C. T. Harrison, G. M. Foster, A. G. Keast, J. C. Kirk, Harry White.

Farmington District—T. J. Gideon, L. M. Thompson, A. M. Dixon, G. H. Gideon, S. F. Stevens.

Kansas City District—A. T. Osbron, G. A. Glens, D. W. Britton, W. F. Baker, R. B. Templeton, H. G. Humphrey, E.

V. Claypool, Daniel McGurk, H. A. Jones, M. S. Hughes, W. T. Wright, J. E. Thackrey, I. J. Lunbeck, F. W. Simpson, J. W. Coontz, O. M. Stewart, B. E. Niblack, E. T. Rice.

Lebanon District—J. W. Slusher, H. A. Mitchell, J. W. Needham, F. P. Reno, G. C. Bechtel, J. B. Brewington, T. P. Shaffer, B. D. Jones.

St. Louis District—W. C. Coleman, Wm. Leatherman, E. P. Anderson, H. C. Leonard, T. H. Corkill, F. L. Thompson, E. B. Randle, J. W. Borah, Ralph Wakefield, N. Luccock, A. D. Ball, R. T. Smith.

Sedalia District—P. E. Pierce, D. L. Thomas, Laban Anderson, H. P. Barnes, L. L. Brannon, J. M. Carter, G. W. Shepherd, H. A. Babbitt, S. S. Martin, F. S. Beggs, G. J. Hunt, Everett Simpson, S. W. McClure.

Springfield District—W. R. Peters, JamesLokey, D. T. Simmons, G. Z. Moore, W. J. Simmons, F. P. Leckliter, C. F. Tippin, W. D. Sidman, A. M. Livingstone, E. W. Elayer, W. T. Pare, H. B. Foster, J. W. Stewart, L. R. Nichols, W. S. Courtney.

The characters of the following effective elders passed; Frank Neff, James Pine, L. G. Reser, H. A. King, M. L. Curl, Julius Smith, H. A. Baker, T. H. Hagerty, J. H. Gillespie, J. S. Bitler, S. A. French, Joel A. Barker.

Change of Relation—William T. Ferguson, Homer A. Babbit, Jesse W. Farr, and Marion A. Kerr were granted the Supernumerary relation.

H. A. Babbitt was recommended to the favorable consideration of the board of Stewards.

Introduction—John H. Gillespie, missionary to Wyoming, was introduced and made a few remarks in reference to his work.

Trustees—On motion of Wm. Stephens, C. V. Criss and D. W. Crow were elected Trustees to fill vacancies caused by the deaths of W. V. Hamel and J. F. Corrington.

Sunday Schools—The following resolution, presented by O. H. Stewart, was adopted:

Resolved, That we co-operate with the interdenominational efforts of the Missouri Sunday School Association and

that we appoint as our delegates from the St. Louis Conference, to the next State Sunday School Convention, Ralph Wakefield, R. A. Hunt, E. V. Claypool and Jno. W. Coontz.

Address—Dr. P. J. Maveety was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of the Board of Education, Freedmen's Aid and Sunday Schools.

Election—The Bishop gave instructions regarding the election of delegates to the General Conference and appointed the following tellers: E. P. Anderson, Superintendent, F. P. Reno, L. M. Thompson, Harry White, H. A. Jones, E. W. Elayer, L. L. Brannon.

G. B. Van Buskirk and R. A. Hunt, assistant Secretaries, were appointed Secretaries to the tellers.

The first ballot was taken and the tellers retired.

Addresses—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference, viz.: Miss Minnie Pike, representing the Kansas City National Training School; Dr. Kirkbride, of the Colorado Conference, representing the American Bible Society, and Dr. Horace Reed, representing the Illinois Woman's College.

QUESTION IV. The Fourth Question was then taken up, viz.: **Who have been received on trial?**

Milus Womack was presented to the Conference, admitted on trial, and excused from further attendance at this session.

Address—U. G. Robinson, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

QUESTION X. The Tenth Question was taken up, viz.: **What members have completed the Conference Course of Study?**

The characters of W. L. Gray, W. E. Brown, Harry G. Humphrey, Edwin T. Rice, Wm. Frank Baker, Floyd O. Moore, J. Caleb Kirk, George B. Thomas, Wm. K. Chatten, Chas. A. Mitchell passed, they reported, were passed in their studies and elected to elders orders.

W. L. Requa, Chas. F. Tippin, and Carleton T. Cotton passed in character, those present reported, and they were continued in the studies of the fourth year.

L. R. Nichols and Walter G. Smith passed in character, gave their reports, and were passed in their studies.

QUESTION The Ninth Question was taken up, viz.:

IX. **What members are in the studies of the Fourth year?**

The characters of John H. Boner, Ralph Martin, Newton H. Hudson, J. C. Stille, and Peter R. Hoos passed, those present reported and were advanced to the studies of the fourth year. Those deficient in studies were conditioned on bringing them up.

Withdrawal—Clinton A. Harris was announced as withdrawn, and his credentials were returned to the Conference. On motion they were ordered returned to him.

QUESTION The Fifth Question was taken up, viz:

V. **Who have been continued on trial?**

Chas. E. Ferguson, Frank W. P. Camp, James F. King, Chas. A. Gilbraith, Thos. G. Peterson, Leon H. Sweetland, James M. Mason, Claire V. Bryan, Robert A. Hunt, and Wm. O.Tolbart passed in character, reports were given, and they were advanced to the studies of the second year.

Those deficient in studies were conditioned on bringing them up.

Geo. T. Beard, E. L. Spiller, and Chas. V. Bigler passed in character, gave reports, and were continued in the studies of the first year.

Reinstated—Walter Ross was re-instated and placed in the studies of the first year.

H. L. Harvey was placed in the studies of the third year.

Change of Relation—J. H. Porter was changed from the supernumerary to the superannuated relation and requested to locate.

Election—The tellers returned and reported the result of the first ballot. M. S. Hughes, J. W. Stewart and N. Luccock

having received a majority of all votes cast, were declared elected delegates to the General Conference. The second ballot was taken.

Constitutional Changes—The vote on the proposed Constitutional changes was taken and resulted as follows:

On Bishops with limited Episcopal Jurisdiction, ayes, 69; nays, 50.

On Rates of Ministerial Representation: Iowa Conference Proposition, ayes, 55; noes, 56. West Wisconsin Conference Proposition, ayes, 49; noes, 55. Illinois Conference Proposition, ayes, 85; noes, 22.

Address—Mrs. Iva Durham Vennard was introduced and addressed the Conference concerning Epworth Evangelistic Institute.

QUESTION IX. The Ninth Question was resumed.

Clinton Senneff and Cyrus T. Harrison passed in character, reported and were advanced to the class of the fourth year.

H. Arthur Barton was passed in character and placed in the class of the fourth year.

Edwin E. Sparks, John H. Porter and E. F. Miller were passed in character and continued in the class of the third year.

George C. Bechtel was discharged from the class of the fourth year.

QUESTION XXII. The Twenty-second Question was taken up, viz: **Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**

Edgar E. Squier, John Ashley, Edward D. C. Koeth, Wm. T. Pyles, Wm. K. Collins, Harry R. Osborne and Chas. A. Mitchell were passed in character and continued in the same relation.

Valentine C. Thomas and J. H. Fiedler were made effective.

Amzi C. Wright was announced as withdrawn.

The tellers having returned, the Bishop announced the result of the second ballot. There was no election, and

another ballot was taken. On motion the ballots were placed in the hands of the Superintendent of tellers, and the tellers were instructed to meet at his call to count the ballots.

On motion of E. V. Claypool it was ordered that when we adjourn, it shall be to meet at three o'clock.

Introduction—C. B. Larrabee, of the Oklahoma Conference was introduced.

Notices were given and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

Second Session.

Conference met at 3 p. m., Bishop Warren in the chair, and opened with song, Scripture reading, and prayer.

The result of the third ballot was announced and there was no election. Another ballot was taken and the tellers retired.

Addresses—H. A. King was introduced and spoke in the interest of Baker University.

Bishop Warren made some remarks commendatory to Denver University.

On motion the Bishop appointed J. J. Martin and Ralph Wakefield to escort the Lay Electorial Conference to this church.

Address—The Bishop delivered a short address on Foreign Missions.

The tellers returned, and the Bishop announced the result of the fourth ballot. There was no election and the fifth ballot was taken.

QUESTION XXIII. The Twenty-Third Question was taken up, viz: **Who are the Superannuated Preachers?**

J. B. VanPetten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, Mordecai Bell, Joseph Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threfall, and Geo. W. Hughey passed in character,

were continued in the same relation, and those who were present addressed the Conference.

Lay Electoral Conference—At this juncture the Lay Electoral Conference arrived and its President, C. T. Orr, was introduced.

The Secretary of the Lay Electoral Conference announced the Lay Delegates to the General Conference to be Hanford Crawford, Harry Hunter, J. P. Walker, and S. T. Gresham.

The Bishop addressed the Joint Session.

The Secretary of the Lay Electoral Conference announced the vote on the Propositions for Constitutional Changes as follows:

On Proposition I, yea 67; nay 11. On II, III, and IV, yea 0; nay 80.

The result of the fifth ballot was announced and there was no election.

Notices were given and the Conference adjourned.

FOURTH DAY.

Saturday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m.

E. V. Claypool gave an address on "Desecration and Consecration."

At 9:00 a. m. Bishop Warren took the chair.

Minutes—The minutes of yesterday were read, corrected and approved. The sixth ballot was taken.

QUESTION XXIII. The Twenty-Third Question was resumed.

G. W. Hughey concluded his address.

The following passed in character, those present addressed the Conference, and they were continued in the Superannuated relation, viz:

Frank Oeschli, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgeway, M. H. Buck, William Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J.

W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, W. M. Creamer, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, Harvey Smith, I. M. Galbraith, J. H. Hurley.

D. L. Thomas brought the greetings of Chaplain Houston.

J. H. Gillespie spoke a few words with reference to H. A. Toland.

The sixth ballot was announced and there was no election.

Minutes—The Secretary took the subscription for the miutes.

Address—Miss Luckey, Superintendent of Burge Deaconess Hospital, of Springfield, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Bishop Warren announced the death of Bishop Fowler, and spoke tenderly with reference to his character and ability. The Conference stood, for a moment, in silent recognition of his greatness, and then sang the verse beginning "Servant of God, well done."

Resolutions—O. H. Stewart introduced the following resolutions, and they were adopted, viz:

Resolved, that we declare our increased confidence in the continued prosperity and usefulness of the National Mutual Church Insurance Company and ask our churches to into the advantages of insurance with this Company.

O. M. STEWART.
FRED W. SIMPSON.

Resolved, that we co-operate with the continued success of Bethany Hospital and hereby elect from this Conference the following as members of its board of Trustees; S. B. Campbell, Jno. W. Bush, and M. F. Simmons.

O. M. STEWART.
FRANK NEFF.

On motion of G. W. Hughey the Committee on Resolutions was instructed to prepare a proper memorial concerning Bishop Fowler.

The seventh ballot was taken.

Introduction—Dr. C. H. Briggs, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in which the Lay Electoral Conference was held, was introduced.

Statistics—The Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer presented their reports, and they were adopted.

Permanent Fund—The Treasurer reported having received a request of $500.00 for the permanent fund from the estate of James Bray. On motion it was ordered that the Fidelity Trust Company, of Kansas City, be made the depository for said request.

QUESTION IV. The Fourth Question was taken up, viz: **Who have been received on trial?**

Edwin O. Smith and Edward Bridwell, being duly represented as to character and studies ,were admitted on trial, and placed in the studies of the first year.

The seventh ballot was announced and there was no election.

Introduction—Dr. Moffit,, pastor of South Street Christian Church, of this city, was introduced.

QUESTION IV. The Fourth Question was resumed.

James A. McFarland, James E. Stickney, Carl Stevenson, Dennis S. Alexander, Wm. C. Heiskell, and James D. Van Buskirk, Clair G. Davis, Virgil W. Henderson, Marvin O. Morris, Martin G. Keast, John D. Hollister, Mack L. Stille, Ray C. Walker, and John W. Frisbie were represented as to character and studies, admitted on trial, and placed in the studies of the first year.

Ordination—James D. VanBuskirk was elected to Deacon's and Elder's orders under the Missionary Rule.

The Ninth ballot was reported and there was no election. The Tenth ballot was taken.

QUESTION XI. The Eleventh Question was taken up, viz: **What others have been elected and ordained Deacons?.**

Dennis L. Alexander, being duly recommanded, was elected to Deacon's orders as a local preacher.

QUESTION XXI. The Twenty-first Question was taken up, viz: **What Other Personal Notation should be made?**

The orders of R. H. Lint, as a Deacon from the Evangelical Alliance and W. H. Bickers, as a Deacon from the Congregational Church, were recognized, they were received into full membership and place in the studies of the Third year.

The orders of Frank W. Moon and of A. Maxfield, as Elders from the Free Methodist Church, and the orders of James P. Johnson as Deacon from the Free Will Baptist Church, were recognized without admission to the Conference.

The tenth ballot was announced and there was no election. Another ballot was taken.

Deaconesses—The report of the Conference Board of Nine for Deaconesses was read and adopted. The Conference requested the consecration of the following deaconesses:

Luna Anderson, Anna M. Cady, Luella Pearce, Mary J. Schwinn, Minnie E. Shaner, and Margaret Wood, Mabel Wightman, of the Epworth Evangelistic Institute; and Ethel Adkins, of Kansas City National Training School.

Building Fund—S. B. Campbell offered the following motion, which was adopted, viz: That the balance of money from the sale of the property at Harrisonville be placed in the custody of the Conference Treasurer, that it be deposited with the Fidelity Trust Company, of Kansas City, Mo., and be appropriated to the building fund of the new church at Creighton, Mo.

Church Extension—The Conference Board of Church Extension presented their report and it was adopted.

The Bishop nominated the Board of Church Extension and they were elected.

Missionery Sermon—L. M. Thompson was appointed to preach the missionery sermon, and T. P. Shaffer, alternate.

Reports—The following committees submitted their reports and they were adopted, viz: Reforms, Young People's Work, and Woman's Work.

The Committee on reforms presented a supplementary report which was adopted and commended to the favorable consideration of the Legislature.

Election—The result of the eleventh ballot was reported, and L. G. Reser was declared elected as a delegate to the General Conference.

On motion of E. V. Claypool a ballot was taken for the election of the Reserve Delegates, to be chosen by plurality.

Adjournment—On motion of M. S. Hughes it was ordered that when we adjourn it shall be to meet Monday at 8:30 a. m.

On motion it was ordered that the tellers be allowed to unofficially report the result of the ballot for reserve Delegates to the General Conference.

Children Home Society—The Bishop was requested to appoint Joel A. Barker as Superintendent of the Kansas City District of the Children's Home Society of Missouri.

Conference Evangelists—On motion it was ordered that not more than three Conference Evangelists be appointed.

Notices were given, the Doxology was sung, and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

FIFTH DAY.

Love Feast—The Love Feast began at 9 a. m. and was led by T. H. Hagerty. After song and Scripture lesson, Brothers J. H. Gillespie and D. W. Crow led in prayer.

123 persons had testified to the power of the Gospel when the time expired with still others desiring to speak.

Ordination—At 10 o'clock seven persons were ordained Deacons according to the Ritual of the Church, by Bishop Warren.

Morning Worship—At 10:30 Hymn No. 438 beginning "Arise, my soul, arise, was announced and sung. The congregation repeated the Apostle's Creed and the Bishop led in prayer.

The choir of Grace Church sang a beautiful Anthem and the Scripture lessons were read from the 46th Psalm and 1st chapter of Hebrews.

Bishop Warren preached from Hebrews 2:17. It was a great sermon, full of tenderness and love.

Consecration and Ordination—The Conference assembled at 2 o'clock and after a half hour of love feast seven persons were consecrated as Deaconesses and eleven were ordained Elders according of the Ritual of the Church.

Memorial Service—The Memorial Service immediately followed with C. R. Carlos presiding.

Bishop Warren delivered a eulogy of Bishop Charles H. Fowler, and T. H. Hagerty under whose ministry Bishop Fowler was converted spoke further words of appreciation.

D. W. Crow read the Memoir of James F. Corrington and J. H. Gilliepie and G. W. Hughey paid tributes to his memory.

E. J. Hunt read the Memoir of W. V. Hamel and words of tender regard were spoken by W. T. Wright.

The Memoir of William O. Turrentine was read by F. P. Leckliter and C. C. James and W. J. Simmons told of his faithfulness in service.

L. L. Brannon read the Momoir of Mrs. Miriam Welch and J. W. Finley paid tribute to her Christian character.

Bishop then spoke with regard to Bishop Fitzgerald and great service to God and the Church.

Veterans Anninversary—At 8 o'clock the Veteran's anninversary was held, G. W. Hughey presiding. Addresses were delivered by Hanford Crawford and Geo. W. Brown both of St. Louis. Naphtali Luccock took a subscription for the Permanent Fund amounting to $1880.

SIXTH DAY.

Monday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. Daniel McGurk delivered an adrress on, "The Supreme Concern."

Minutes—The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Reserve Delegates—The ballot for reserve delegates to the General Conference was announced and S. B. Campbell, E. J. Hunt, and M. L. Curl were declared elected.

Triers of Appeals—The Bishop nominated the triers of appeals and they were elected.

Committees—The following committees reported, the reports were adopted, and the action recommended by them ordered. Board of Stewards, Education, Burge Hospital, Auditing Committee, Publishing Interests, Benevolences, Treasurer of Permanent Fund, Home Missionary Appropriations, Resolutions.

On motion of Matt. S. Hughes, F. S. Beggs was requested to preach a Semi-Centenial Sermon next year at the Conference.

The Board of Examiners was appointed. (See Examiners and their work.)

Resolutions—Geo. B. Thomas presented the following resolution which was adopted:

WHEREAS the spirit of Christianity and the largest success of the Kingdom demand organic union,

THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Farmington District of the St. Louis Conference, assembled at Bloomfield, Mo., That we request of the St. Louis Annual Conference to memorialize the General Conference, which meets in Baltimore, to appoint a commission to meet a like commission from our sister Church to perfect the organic union of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

F. F. Beggs presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That it has given us great pleasure to meet our brother J. H. Gillespie in our Conference again. He has done excellent service in this Conference in former years, and by the report of the Superintendent of the Wyoming Mission, is doing heroic work in that frontier field. We therefore take pleasure in endorsing him as a faithful minister of the Gospel of Christ, and we congratulate the good

people of Lander, on his reappointment to that important charge.

We have heard with satisfaction of the continued usefulness of our dear brother, H. A. Toland, a member of this Conference, working in Wyoming Mission Conference, and sympathize with him in the serious condition of his eyesight.

GEO. J. HUNT,
F. S. BEGGS,
G. B. THOMAS.

Introduction—Mrs. Ellen Burge, the donor of Burge Deaconess Hospital, of Springfield, Mo., was introduced and heartily applauded by the Conference.

Memoirs—The memoirs read on the Sabbath were formally adopted.

Minutes—On motion the Printed Minutes were made the official record of the Conference.

Special Appointments—The Bishop was requested to make the following special appointments. (See Appointments.)

Trustees—Trustees of the Permanent Fund were elected.

Resolutions—The following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That we desire to express our appreciation of the address, of Mr. Hanford Crawford, on behalf of the vetrans of the Conference and the interest manifested by himself and Mr. Geo. Warren Brown in the movement to increase the permanent fund for the superannuated Ministers of our Conference, to Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Fred W. Simpson presented the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That we undertake to increase our permanent fund to the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars within the next four years.

That in doing so we adopt and persue the following plan. That each minister pay annually the definite sum of five or ten dollars annually, for the period of four years, and that each Church be urged to contribute a sum equal to twenty-five cents per member annually for four years.

Resolved Further; That the Presiding Elders, in conjunction with the President of the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund, be instructed to prepare a subspriction blank for subscriptions for a Permanent Fund, to be submitted to the pastors during the first quarter of the year 1908, and that the Presiding Elders report immediately to the President of the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund, who, if the subscribers shall number three fourths of the members of this Conference, shall report the fact to the Central Christian Advo-

cate, upon which said subscriptions shall become valid and operative.

The following resolution from Dr. Trimble was read and adopted:

WHEREAS, The young People's Missionary Movement is rapidly becoming the greatest factor in the Church for the dissemination of Missionary knowledge and the arousing of Missionary etnhusiasm, and

WHEREAS, There is to be held in June of this year at Pertle Springs, Mo., within the bounds of the St. Louis Conference, one of the seven Annual Missionary Conferences of the Young People's Missionary Movement in the United States; Now therefore, be it

Resolved, That we the members of the St. Louis Conference in Conference assembled do heartily endorse and approve of said Missionary Conference, that we pledge to it our hearty support, and that we recommend to both pastors and people the organization of Mission Study Classes and the using of every other legitimate means to arouse Missionary enthusiasm, and that we urge upon our people the importance of attendence at sessions of said Conference to the end that the cause of Missions may be greatly advanced within the bounds of the St. Louis Conference.

Addresses—Dr. C. B. Spencer, Editor of the Central Christian Advocate, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

F. E. DuBois was introduced and addressed the Conference.

QUESTION XXX. The Thirtieth Question was taken up, viz: **Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?**

Sedalia was unanimously chosen.

Conference Societies—The following Conference Societies were nominated and elected. Board of Church Location, Conference Deaconess Board, Conference Missionary Society, Conference Education Society.

Withdrawals—Ralph Martin requested a withdrawal from the Methodist Episcopal Church and a Commendation to the Congregational Church.

The request was granted.

M. L. Curl requested permission to withdraw from the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which request was granted.

Reserve Delegate—Wm. R. McCormack was declared the

Third Reserve Delegate to the General Conference in place of Brother Curl.

Collection—A collection amounting to $16.22, was taken for the Janitor.

Resolution—The following resolution was adopted:

Recognizing faithful and afficient done through many years by Dr. M. L. Curl in this Conference, be it

Resolved, That we deeply regret his withdrawal from the Conference, and that the doors of the Conference be thrown wide open for his return.

L. M. THOMPSON,
GEO. J. HUNT,
R. T. SMITH,
D. W. CROW.

Introduction—Horace L. Geiger was introduced and requested to sing.

QUESTION I. The First Question was taken up, viz: **Who have been transferred, and to what Conferences?**

V. C. Thomas, to the S. W. Kan.; Addyman Smith, St. John's River; Newton H. Hudson, N. Y. East; Thos. P. Woodson, New Eng.; Evert H. Maynard, W. Neb.; Andrew L. Simmons, Ill.; Marvin D. Cox, Ia.; G. H. Cosper, Mo.; A. E. Ryan, Kan.; L. H. Dorchester, Wyoming; John H. Bishop, Kan.; G. Z. Moore, Mo.; T. H. Corkill, Oklahoma; G. W. Shepherd, Ark.; Harry White, Upper Iowa.

After a few appropriate remarks and advices by the Bishop, the Appointments were read.

The Conference adjourned sine die.

Certificate of Ordination—This certifies that at Springfield, Mo., on March 22, 1908, I did ordain as Deacons, Dennis S. Alexander, John H. Bishop, Jesse W. Farr, G. Bennett VanBuskirk, James D. VanBuskirk, and Charles E. Wharton; and at the same place and date, assisted by a number of Elders present, I did ordain as Elders, William Frank Baker, Walter E. Brown, William K. Chatten, William L. Gray, Harry G. Humphrey, J. Caleb Kirk, Charles A. Mitchell, Floyd O. Moore, Edwin T. Rice, George B. Thomas, and James D. VanBuskirk.

Given under my hand, this 23rd day of March, 1908.

H. W. WARREN.

This certifies that at Springfield, Mo., on the 22nd day of March, 1908, I did consecrate Ethel Adkins, Luna Anderson, Anna M. Cady, Luella Pearce, Mary J. Schwinn, Mabel Wightman, and Margaret Wood as Deaconesses.

Henry W. Warren

PRESIDENT.

Perry E. Piercy

SECRETARY.

JOURNAL OF THE LAY ELECTORAL CONFERENCE.

Friday, March, 20, 1908.

The St. Louis Lay Electoral Conference met in St. Paul's M. E. Church, South, at 10 a. m., C. T. Orr, of Webb City, Mo., was elected temporary chairman, and H. C. Moore, of Kansas City, Mo., was elected temporary Secretary.

No motion the chairman was instructed to appoint the following committees; on Permanent Organization, Credenials and Order of Business. The chair appointed the following committees:

Credentials: W. A. Matthew, of St. Louis, Dr. J. W. McKee, of Kansas City, Mo., H. Phelps, of Joplin, Mo., Bro. Messer, of Springfield, Mo., Bro. H. Greife, of Windsor, Mo., J. E. Lingsweiler of Lebanon, Mo., and J. H. Denby, of Farmington, Mo.

Order of Business: J. H. Garnsey, of Kansas City, Judge Cox, of Boldivar, F. P. Hayes, of St. Louis.

Permanent Organization: Geo. W. Brown, W. H. Dalton, Bro. Hargrove.

Bro. Banks of St. Louis, addressed the Conerence on the work of the Y. M. C. A.

Bro. House of Iberia spoke on the Gideon Movement.

Dr. Thompson of St. Louis, addressed the meeting on the Brotherhood of Man.

The Committee on Credentials reported.

The Committee on Order of Business reported.

The Committee on Permanent Organization reported as follows:

That Chas. T. Orr of Webb City, be Permanent chairman and D. E. Grieg of Carondelet, St. Louis for Permanent Secretary.

GEO. WARREN BROWN,
Chairman.

The Secretary selected H. G. Moore of Kansas City, as his assistant.

The following Committee on Resolutions was appointed: J. H. Garnsey, of Kansas City, W. A. Cann, of St. Louis, W. W. Brinkley, of Carthage.

The following were nominated for Delegates to the General Conference: Jno. P. Walker, of Joplin, J. F. Cell, of Kansas City, C. W. Fuller, of Kansas City, S. F. Gresham, of Farmington, Hanford Crowford of St. Louis, Conference adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

Second Session.

The Conference was called to order at 1:30.

The following nominations were made for Delegates to General Conference: H. L. Hunter, of Clinton, J. H. Lucas, of Osceola.

The Candidates addressed the Conference.

The following Tellers were appointed for the election: Bros. Plank, Williams, Walker, Jones, Cox, Konezeski, Denman, Wilson.

The following candidates were elected: Hanford Crawford, J. P. Walker, H. L. Hunter, S. F. Gresham.

Miss Combs, Ed. Bridwell, G. F. Gilbert, Alfred Matthews were elected alternates.

The Propositions for Constitutional changes were read and voted upon.

Proposition 1 Ayes 67 Noes 11.
Proposition 2 Ayes 0 Noes 80.
Proposition 3 Ayes 0 Noes 80.
Proposition 4 Ayes 0 Noes 80.

The Committee on resolutions reported. (See Resolutions.)

Representatives from the Ministerial Conference addressed the meeting.

Bros. Hays, Cox, and Denman were appointed as a committee to draft resolution on the death of Bishop Fowler.

Resolution by Dr. McKee was Adopted as was also the one by E. V. Jones.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE LAY ELECTORAL CONFERENCE.

Resolved, First, that the thanks of this Lay Conference now assembled, be hereby extended to the citizens of Springfield, for the hospitable manner in which they have entertained this body.

Second, that the thanks of this Conference be extended to the Pastors, Officers and Members of St. Paul M. E. Church South for the use of their beautiful church building for this conference, and,

Third, that we fully appreciate the able service rendered this Conference by our worthy Presiding Officer, Bro. C. T. Orr and also of our Secretaries D. E. Greig and H. G. Moore and record our thanks for their assistance in this conference.

Resolved, That the Presiding Elder of each District be requested to furnish each of the charges in his District the regular blank form certifying to the election of the Lay Delegate or Alternate, also furnish a type-written copy of the list of delegates elected in his District.

JAS. A. GARNSEY,
MRS. RALPH WAMMACK,
W. W. BRINKLEY,
W. A. CANN.

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Illinois Womans College—M. L. Curl.
McKendree College—A. D. Ball, J. W. Borah.

BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

President—Hanford Crawford.
Vice President—Naphtali Luccock.
Secretary—M. L. Curl.
Treasurer—Alfred Matthews.
Additional Members—Jno. O. Lee, Everett Simpson, H. G. Humphrey, and Presiding Elders ex officio.

CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD.

President—E. P. Anderson.
Secretary—Wm. Leatherman.
Frederick W. Simpson, H. A. Jones, Mrs. J. W. Bush, Mrs. N. L. Moffitt, J. W. Stewart, Mrs. Ellen Burge, D. W. Crow.

BOARD OF CHURCH LOCATION.

Carthage District—Presiding Elder, T. W. Jeffrey, D. W. Crow, W. H. Waters, Otto J. Gosh, J. S. Walker, Frederick Getty, C. T. Orr.

Farmington District—Presiding Elder, A. M. Livingston, W. H. Bickers, T. J. Langston, C. H. Hargrove, S. T. Gresham.

Kansas City District—Presiding Elder, M. F. Simmons, H. A. Jones, John Punton, O. M. Stewart, C. T. Kornbrodt.

Lebanon District—Presiding Elder, T. P. Shaffer, H. A. Mitchell, B. D. Jones, John T. Cassell, John G. Lingsweiler, George F. Gilbert.

St. Louis District—Presiding Elder, N. Luccock, F. P. Hays, J. C. Lea, E. P. Anderson.

Sedalia District—Presiding Elder, Jacob Brandt, P. E. Pierce, F. S. Beggs, J. L. Porter.

Springfield District—Presiding Elder, Ely Paxon. J. H. Dameron, F. P. Leckliter, H. B. Foster, A. W. Lincoln, W. I. Bodine.

MISCELLANEOUS APPOINTMENTS

TRIERS OF APPEALS.

J. M. Carter, W. J. Simmons, O. M. Stewart, T. W. Jeffrey, W. D. Sidman.

DISTRICT MISSIONARY SECRETARIES.

Carthage—Frederick Getty,
Farmington—L. M. Thompson,
Kansas City—J. W. Coontz,
Lebanon—T. P. Shaffer,
St. Louis—Ralph Wakefield,
Sedalia—D. L. Thomas,
Springfield—W. R. Peters.

CONFERENCE SOCIETIES.

Missionary Society—This society shall consist of the Presiding Elder, District Missionary Secretary, and the District Epworth League President of each District and three additional members as follows:

Carthage District—Mrs. I. C. Hodson, D. W. Crow, D. C. Dutton.

Farmington District—W. T. Robertson, J. B. Graves, J. W. Karsh.

Kansas City District—W. E. Brown, E. T. Rice, J. W. McKee.

Lebanon District—Ed. Lingsweiler, T. P. Shaffer, W. L. Long.

Sedalia District—J. M. Carter, H. L. Hunter, M. Harter.

Springfield District—F. A. Dunlap, George Dillard and W. S. Courtney.

St. Louis District—Wm. Leatherman, W. A. Cann, Geo. W. Brown.

D. W. Crow, President of the Conference Society.

Educational Society—J. W. Stewart, President; F. W. Simpson, Secretary; M. S. Hughes, C. V. Criss, J. W. Needham, W. C. Coleman.

CONFERENCE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Managers—O. M. Stewart, H. B. Foster, W. S. Platt, T. H. Hagerty, Wm. Stephens.

Committees on Visitation—

Marionville Collegiate Institute—Julius Smith, D. T. Simmons, J. W. Coontz.

Carleton College—W. T. Wright, S. S. Martin, Ralph Wakefield.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDER-GRADUATES. 1905-08.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the Studies of the four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference, for Undergraduates:

MONTHS	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May JUNE	Divine Library of the Old Testament 1. ~~Harman's Introduction. O. T. pp. 1-447.~~ TO BE READ; 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol 1.—Sermons 1-33. 2. Methodist Review.	The inspiration of an English Bible 1. ~~Harman's Introduction. N. T. pp. 448-770.~~ TO BE READ, 1. Wesley's Sermons. Vol. I.—Sermon 34-58. 2. Methodist Review.	The Hebrew language in Methodist 1. Biblical Hermeneutics. 2. ~~Land of Israel.~~ TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. II. 2 Methodist Review. 3. The Christian Church Ecclesiastical II. 1-253. 4. Ecclesiastical Architecture	1. Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief. 2. Outlines of Un. History, Part III. TO BE READ; 1. ~~History of the Ritual M. E. Church.~~ 2. The Pentateuch.—Bissell. 3. Methodist Review. Social aspects of Religious Institutions
July August SEPT.	1. Lectures on Homiletics. TO BE READ; 1. Compendious History of American Methodism. 2. The Heart of Asbury's Journal. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Lessons in Logic. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism, Vol. 1. 2. ~~The General~~ Conference and Episcopacy. 3. Methodist Review 2. The Pastor and Modern Missions 4. How to Conduct a Funeral	1. Outlines of Universal History. Parts I and II. TO BE READ; 1. History of Western Europe. 2. ~~The Supernatural Book~~ 3. Methodist Review. 2. Christianity and the social problem.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. II. TO BE READ; 1. History of Methodism. Vol. III. 2. ~~Governing~~ Conference in ~~Methodism.~~ 3. Methodist Review. Philosophy of Christian Religion
Oct Nov. DEC.	System of Christian Doctrine—II. 1-322 1. ~~Systems of Theology—Miley, Vol. I.~~ TO BE READ; 1. Digest of Methodist Law. 2. Extemporaneous Oratory. 3. Methodist Review. How to be a Pastor	System of Christian Doctrine II. 325-635 1. ~~Systematic Theology, Vol. II.~~ TO BE READ; 1. English and American Literature. 2. ~~Eccl. Architecture.~~ 3. Methodist Review. Hist. of Freighton Ch 25 articles of the Religion Pub. M. E. C.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. I. TO BE READ; The Bible: 1. ~~Christian~~ Archaeology. Origin & 2. ~~Political Economy.~~ nature 3. Methodist Review. 4. Hymn Treasures	1. Butler's Analogy. TO BE READ; 1. Sociology. 2. ~~Life and Epistles of Paul.~~ The Land of Israel. 3. Methodist Review.
Jan. FEB.	1. Student's American History. 2. Written Sermon. TO BE READ; 1. Methodist Review. The Social Mission of the Modern Pulpit	1. Short History of the English People.—Green. 2. Essay. TO BE READ, 1. Methodist Review. The Church and the Social problem	1. Psychology. 2. Written Sermon. TO BE READ: 1. Methodist Review Psychological Principles of Christian Work	Studies in ethical Principles. 1. ~~Christian Ethics,~~ 2. Essay. TO BE READ; The Study of the Church. 1. Methodist Review.

Notice must be given the Chairman at the opening of the Conference year by those who intend to make claims for credits.

IV. Itinerant Club.

1st. The Board shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three, the Chairman and Registrar being members ex-officio, who shall have charge of the program of the "itinerant Club," such program to be published not later than one month before the meeting of the Annual Conference. The committee for the year 1908-9 consists of Ralph Wakefield, F. S. Beggs, N. Luccock.

of the examiner in each case will be made known to the student. Within 60 days from adjournment of the Conference each examiner will deposit with the Chairman a suitable number of sets of questions on each of the studies he has charge of. The minimum number of questions on one study being ten and the maximum twenty.

4th. No examinations will be granted at the seat of Conference except in cases of the most extreme necessity, and no re-examination shall be granted. A candidate for admission on trial will be granted examination at any time, on the request of his Presiding Elder, but the earliest date is desirable.

5th. Conference Examiners will report to the Registrar at the end of each schedule term as to the grades they have given.

II. Students.

1st. All candidates for examination who are present at the session of the Conference shall some time during the session be convened before the Board for mutual consultation.

2nd. In no case shall two or more examination papers be bound together, but each must be made separate; on paper of uniform size designated by the Board, viz: "letter" size. All must be neatly written in ink, or type-written, on one side only, and being properly dated, paged, fastened together and signed.

3rd. No undergraduate shall be advanced from the class of the first year, or of the third year who has failed in any of the requirements of said year, except on the recommendation of two-thirds of the Board present and voting. In case of the continuance of any undergraduates in the same class or year, or their advance, they shall be permanently credited with the grades of the studies in which they passed.

4th. All students must certify in writing that they have "read the books carefully."

5th. Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months.

6th. No grades will be furnished students before reporting thereon in Conference.

Credits and Fees.

1st. In view of the expense on the part of the Chairman and others, in postage, printing, etc., it is required that a fee of fifty cents be paid in advance to the Treasurer by each student annually while in the course. No papers will be sent without compliance with this rule.

2nd. Credits will be given by the Board through the Chairman in harmony with the provisions of the Discipline (1904) Appendix par. 63.

T. W. JEFFREY—Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief.

L. M. THOMPSON—History of Christian Church, Third and Fourth Years.

J. W. STEWART—Systematic Theology, Vol 1.

A. D. BALL—Christian Perfection; Land of Israel.

D. W. CROW—English Branches.

M. S. HUGHES—Christian Ethics, Essays.

C. V. CRISS—Lectures on Homiletics; Sermons.

T. P. SHAFFER—Systematic Theology, Vol. II.

H. B. FOSTER—Logic.

RALPH WAKEFIELD—Outlines of Universal History.

B. D. JONES—Students of American History.

HARRY KING—Hermeneutics.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK—Outlines of Descriptive Psychology.

J. J. MARTIN—Short History of the English People.

O. M. STEWART—Discipline; John Wesley the Methodist.

G. J. HUNT—To have general supervision.

R. T. SMITH—To enter all grades and receive all fees.

To examine for Local Elder's Orders, H. B. Foster.

To examine for Local Deacon's Orders, D. W. Crow.

N. B.—At the earliest possible moment let each Examiner send to the Chairman the needed number of sets of questions for the books assigned him.

Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months. Let claims for College credits be presented at once to the Chairman.

No Sallabi will be required this quadrennium.

G. J. HUNT, Chairman.
Warrensburg, Mo.

RULES OF EXAMINING BOARD.

1. Examinations and Examiners.

1st. All examinations on the Conference course must be taken in the months of June, September, December and February, as per plan published in the Conference minutes. Page opposite.

2nd. All examinations must be taken before the Board member in charge of the study, or an appointee of the Chairman, who must be a member of a Conference, and such sub-examiner must authenticate the examination and transmit all questions and answers to the said Board Examiner. See Discipline, 1904, Appendix par. 64, sec. 5.

3rd. All papers must emanate from the Chairman, but the name

T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, Hervey Smith, I. M. Galbraith, J. H. Hurley, J. H. Porter.

24. **Who are the Triers of Appeals?**
J. M. Carter, W. D. Sidman, W. J. Simmons, O. M. Stewart, J. W. Jeffrey.

25. **What is the Statistical Report for this year?**
See Statistical tables.

26. **What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?**
$34,714.

27. **What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?**

28. **What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?**
$5,093.77; See Conference Claimant's Directory.

29. **Where are the Preachers Stationed?**
See Appointments.

30. **Where shall the Next Conference be held?**
Sedalia.

EXAMINERS AND THEIR WORK FOR 1908-9.

President—Geo. J. Hunt, Warrensburg, Mo.

Registrar and Treasurer—R. T. Smith, Hall's Ferry & Church Road St. Louis, Mo.

O. M. Stewart, Harry King, Naphtali Luccock, C. V. Criss, L. M. Thompson, R. T. Smith, B. D. Jones, M. S. Hughes, G. J. Hunt, D. W. Crow, T. W. Jeffrey, J. J. Martin, F. S. Beggs, J. W. Stewart, H. A. Jones, A. D. Ball, H. B. Foster, E. V. Claypool, T. P. Schaffer, Ralph Wakefield.

SUBJECT FOR ESSAYS—"The Pauline Influence in the Early Church."

TEXT FOR SERMONS—Admission: John 3:16; First Year, Titus 2:11-12; Third year, John 8:31-32.

E. V. CLAYPOOL—Analogy of Religion.

H. A. JONES—Harman's Introduction, First and Second years.

F. S. BEGGS—Manual of Bible History; Manual of Christian Doctrine.

14. **Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?**
V. C. Thomas, to the S. W. Kans.; Addyman Smith, St. John's Riv.; Newton H. Hudson, N. Y. E.; Thomas P. Woodson, N. E.; Evert H. Maynard, W. Neb.; Andrew L. Simmons, Ill.; Marion D. Cox, Ia.; G. H. Cosper, Mo.; A. E. Ryan, Kans.; L. H. Dorchester, Wyo.; John N. Bishop, Kans.; G. Z. Moore, Mo.; Thompson H. Corkill, Okla.; G. W. Shepherd, Ark.; Harry White, Up. Ia.

15. **Who have Died?**
W. V. Hamel, Jas. F. Corrington, Wm. O. Turrentine.

16. **Who have been Located at their own Request?**
None.

17. **Who have been Located?**
None.

18. **Who have Withdrawn?**
Amzi C. Wright, Clinton A. Harris. P. B. Newman, Ralph Martin, M. L. Curl.

19. **Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?**
None.

20. **Who have been Expelled?**
None.

21. **What other personal Notation should be made?**
Frank W. Moon and A. Maxfield, were received as Elders, from the Free Methodist Church; Jas. P. Johnson, as a Deacon, from the Free Will Baptist Church.

22. **Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**
Edgar A. Squier, five years; John Ashley, five years; Edward D. C. Koeth, three years; Wm. T. Pyles, three years; Wm. K. Collins, three years; Harry R. Osborne, three years; Chas. A. Mitchell, two years; Jesse W. Farr, one year; Marion A. Kerr, one year; Wm. T. Ferguson, one year; Homer A. Babbitt, one year.

23. **Who are the Superannuated Preachers?**
J. B. VanPetten, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, M. Bell, Joseph Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgeway, N. H. Buck, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, W. M. Creamer,

7. **Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?**
   (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
   Chas. E. Wharton, G. Bennett VanBuskirk, John H. Bishop, John F. Odom, Jesse W. Farr.
   (b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
   Andrew J. May, Walter G. Smith.

8. **What Members are in Studies of Third Year?**
   (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
   Chas. E. Wharton, G. Bennett VanBuskirk, John H. Bishop, John F. Odom, Andrew J. May, Jesse W. Farr, Edwin F. Miller, R. H. Lint, William H. Bickers.
   (b) Admitted into full membership previously.
   Herman L. Harvey, Jno. H. Porter, E. E. Sparks, Edwin F. Miller.

9. **What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**
   John H. Boner, John, C. Stille, Peter Hoos, Clinton Senneff, Cyrus T. Harrison, H. Arthur Barton, Wm. L. Requa, Chas. F. Tippin, Carlton T. Cotton, Dean C. Dutton.

10. **What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**
   (a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
   W. Lee Gray, Walter E. Brown, Harry G. Humphrey, Edwin T. Rice, William Frank Baker, Floyd O. Moore, J. Caleb Kirk, Geo. B. Thomas, William K. Chatten, Chas. A. Mitchell, Charles F. Tippin, Carlton T. Cotton.
   (b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
   L. R. Nichols, Walter G .Smith, G. O. Bechtel.

11. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**
   (a) As Local Preachers.
   Dennis S. Alexander.
   (b) Under Missionary Rule.
   James D. VanBuskirk.
   (c) Under Seminary Rule.
   None.

12. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**
   (a) As Local Deacons.
   None.
   (b) Under Missionary Rule.
   James D. VanBuskirk.
   (c) Under Seminary Rule.
   None.

13. **Was the Character of each Preacher examined?**
   This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

.1 **Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conference?**
Fayette L. Thompson, from the North Minnesato; William S. Courtney and J. Will Caughlan, from the Missouri; A. Arthur Barton, from the Upper Iowa; Sylvester P. Stillman, from the Colorado; Henry P. Barnes, from the Southern Illinois; Willshire R. Peters, from the Nebraska; Charles Larrabee, from the Oklahoma; F. E. DuBois, from the Arkansas; G. F. Bundy, from the Ind.

2. **Who have been Readmitted?**
None.

3. **Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?**
R. H. Lint, from Evangelical Association; William H. Bickers, from the Congregational Church.

4. **Who have been Received on Trial?**
(a) In studies of first year.
Milus Womack, Edwin O. Smith, Edward Bridwell, James A. McFarland, James E. Stickney, Carl Stevenson, Dennis S. Alexander, Marvin O. Morris, Martin G. Davis, John D. Hollister, Mack L. Stille, Ray C. Walker, Jno. W. Frisble, Wm. C. Heiskell, Jas. D. Van Buskirk, Clair G. Davis, Virgil H. Henderson.
(b) In studies of third year.
None.

5. **Who have been Continued on Trial?**
(a) Instudies of first year.
Geo. T. Beard, E. L. Spiller, Chas. V. Bigler, Walter Ross. Marion A. Kerr, Wm. R. Ward.
(b) In studies of second year.
Chas. E. Ferguson, Frank W. P. Camp, Jas. F. King, Chas. A. Gilbraith, Thos. G. Peterson, Leon H. Sweetland, Jas. M. Mason, Claire V. Bryan, Robert A. Hunt, Wm. O. Tolbart.
(c) In studies of third year.
None.
(d) In studies of fourth year.
None.

6. **Who have been Discontinued?**
C. Julius Wegener.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

CHARLES C. JAMES, P. E., 2, Springfield, Mo.

Ash Grove.....J. W. Frisbie..1
Aurora.....(R. W. Moore) 1
Billings.....J. F. King 1
Bolivar.....D. T. Simmons 2
Bolivar Circuit.To be supplied ..
Cassville.....To be supplied ..
Clever..... Jas. Lokey 1
Dadeville.....C. R. Young 1
Fair Play.....J. C. Gilbreath 1
Galena
Golden City.....R. H.Lint 1
Greenfield.....T. E. Prall 1
Hemansville... ..M. O. Morris 1
La Russell.....To be supplied
Lockwood.....W. J. Simmons 2
Marionville....F. P. Leckliter 3
Marionville Ct.....C. G. Davis 2
Monett.....S. F. Stevens 1
Mt. Vernon.....E. W. Elayer 2
Osceola.....W. S. Courtney 2
Pierce City and Purdy.....
.....W. T. Pare 2
Republic.....W. C. Heiskell 1
Springfield
Dever's Benton av..H. B. Foster
Deven's Benton Avenue.....
.....H. B. Foster 2
Dailey.....W. R. Peters 2
Grace.....J. W. Stewart 3
Mt. Carmel....W. F. Baker 1
Springfield Ct.....To be supplied
Stockton.....L. E. Lurvey 2
Weaubleau...V. W. Henderson 1
Taneyville.
30 Charges.

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Member Q. C.

T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain St. Louis City Institutions.....Union
L. G. Reser, Pres. Marionville Collegiate Institute.....Marionville
G. B. Thomas, Pres. Carleton College.....Farmington
John H. Gillespie, Missionary in Wyoming.
C. L. Halterman, Missionary in Nevada.
J. N. Moore, Teacher of Eng. Bible in Marionville Collegiate Institute. . .....Marionville
J. N. Pine, Supt. Turrentine Hall.....Marionville
Julius Smith, Missions Lecturer Baker University.....Grand Avenue
H. A. King, Financial Sec'y. Baker University.....Grand Avenue
James S. Bitler, Conference Evangelist.....1st Church, Sedalia
Silas A. French, Conference Evangelist.....Neosho
F. E. DuBois, Conference Evangelist.....Houston & Cabool
J. A. Barker, Agent State Children's Home Society.....Summit St.
E. P. Miller, left without appointment to attend one of our schools. . .....Linwood Boulevard
C. T. Cotton, left without appointment to attend one of our schools. . .....Grace, Springfield
J. H. Fiedler, Field Supt. Missouri Anti-Saloon League.

SAINT LOUIS DISTRICT.

W. T. WRIGHT, 1, P. E., St. Louis, Mo.

Cuba.....(H. F. Miller) 1
Pacific....(Hallock A. Carlin) 1
St. Louis—
Baden.....R. T. Smith 6
Bowman.....W. C. Coleman 2
Calvary.....(R. N. Jones) 2
Carondelet.....Peter R. Hoos 1
Dr. Fry Mem.Eli P. Anderson 3
Epworth.....To be supplied
Goode Avenue..H. C. Leonard 3
Harlem Place.W. Leatherman 1
Jennings & Walnut Park.....
.....E. O. Smith 1
Lindell Ave...F. L. Thompson 2
Maple Ave.....E. B. Randle 2
Maplewood....J. E. Thackrey 1
Neidringhaus..To be supplied
Overland Pk. & Wellston Pk. ...
.....(P. O. Purcell) 1
St. Lukes.....J. W. Borah 2
Shrewsb'b Pk..(Henry Tudor) 1
Trinity..... Ralph Wakefield 2
Tuxedo Pk.....C. B. Larrabee 1
Union..... N. Luccock 12
University.....To be supplied
Wagoner Mem.....A. D. Ball 2
Webster Groves.To be supplied
Salem.....H. L. Harvey 1
Sligo.....W. L. Gray 1
Sullivan....(W. Ward Smith) 1
27 Charegs.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

W. F. JONES, P. E., 1, Sedalia, Mo.

Alberta. . .....To be supplied
Appleton City....J. M. Carter 1
Clinton.....D. L. Thomas 3
Deepwater.....H. P. Barnes 2
Dresden.....Laban Anderson 2
Eldorado Spgs..L. L. Brannon 2
Eldorado Springs Ct...To be supplied. . .. .
Green Ridge...Ray C. Walker 1
Huntingdale.....M. L. Stille 1
Knob Noster.....J. C. Stille 3
Lincoln and Warsaw..To be supplied. . ...
Malta Bend.....Clarke Baker 1
Marshall.....To be supplied 1
Montrose.....To be supplied
Odessa & Higginsville..To be supplied..... . ...
Pilot Grove.....J. M. Mason 3
Rockville.....Geo. T. Beard 2
Schell Cy.Geo. B. Van Buskirk 1
Sedalia
Epworth.....P. E. Pierce 1
First Church...S. S. Martin 7
Smithton.....F. S. Beggs 3
Tipton. . .....R. A. Hunt 3
Urich.....J. D. Hollister 2
Warrensburg.....G. J. Hunt 2
Windsor.....S. W. McClure 2
25 Charges.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

STEPHEN B. CAMPBELL, 4, 2624 Brooklyn Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Adrian.....G. A. Glens 2
Austin.....D. Wesley Britton 5
Amsterdam....To be supplied
Belton.....F. O. Moore 1
Centerview....To be supplied
Drexel.....W. K. Chatten 3
East Lynne.....A. J. May 1
Garden City.....C. V. Biglers 2
Holden.....R. B. Templeton 3
Independence.....H. G. Mais 1
Kansas City—Arlington .....
.....E. V. Claypool 2
Benn'ton Hts...A. T. Osbron 2
Broadway..H. G. Humphrey 1
Grace..... Clinton Senneff 1
Grand Ave...Daniel McGurk 4
Howard Mem...H. A. Jones 3
Hyde Pk.....H. A. Barton 1
Indep. Ave.....M. S. Hughes 10
Linwood Bd...C. R. Carlos 1
Maywood & Beaumont.....
.....W. G. Smith 1
Mt. Washington... .....
.....I. J. K. Lunbeck 3
Oakhurst.....J. W. Coontz 7
Oakley.....F. W. Simpson 2
Phoenix Pk...W. E. Brown 1
Summit St....O. M. Stewart 6
City Missions...F. F. Odom 1
.....J. D. Van Buskirk 1
Kingsville.....To be supplied
Lee's Sumit
Oak Grove.....B. E. Niblack 1
Pleasant Hill.....E. T. Rice 3
30 Charges.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

SAMUEL WARNER, 3, Lebanon, Mo.

Ava.....(J. William Manuel) 1
Buffalo.....C. V. Bryan 2
Buffalo Ct...(Daniel W. Lowe) 3
Conway.....C. F. Tippin 1
Eldon.....S. P. Stillman 1
Gainesville.William T. Walker 1
Hartville.....J. W. Slusher 2
High Point.....W. F. Baker 1
Houston & Cabool.(J. M. Cole) 1
Iberia.....J. A. McFarland 2
Lebanon.....H. A. Mitchell 2
Licking.....G. C. Becktel 2
Linn Creek...(A. S. Jenkins) 1
Marshfield.....F. P. Reno 1
Mt'n Grove....J. W. Needham 2
Newburg and Dixon .....
.....C. E. Wharton 1
Orla.....(W. McClanahan) 3
Phillipsburg. . .....
.....(Lynderman Wright) 1
Plato.....(T. M. Rogus) 1
Richland....J. B. Brewington 2
Rolla.....T. P. Shaffer 3
Seymour & Mansfield.....
.....B. D. Jones 2
Upshaw.....(F. O. Farbes) 1
Urbana.....Milus Womack 1
Vichy.....Edward Bridwell 1
25 Charges.

THE APPOINTMENTS

(Supplies in Parenthesis.)

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

E. J. HUNT, P. E., 1, Carthage, Mo.

Alba & Neck City.....
.....C. E. Ferguson 1
Anderson...(J. R. Woodcock) 1
Avilla.....W. L. Requa 2
Butler.....C. V. Criss 2
Butler Ct.....O. V. Suter 1
Carl Junction.F. W. P. Camp 1
Carterville ..Frederick Getty 1
Carthage.....T. W. Jeffrey 6
Carthage Ct.....J. H. Boner 1
Duenweg.....(W. O. Miller) 1
Hume & Foster..G. M. Foster 1
Iantha.....(J. L. Medsker) 1
Jasper & M. Moriah.J. C. Kirk 1
Joplin—Byers Ave.D. W. Crow 5
Central Ave..To be supplied
Epworth. ....To be supplied
First Church....Frank Neff 1
Joplin Ct.....To be supplied
Lamar.....J. J. Martin 3
Liberal. . .....To be supplied
Moundville...L. H. Sweetland 2
Nashville.....D. S. Alexander 1
Neosho.....C. T. Harrison 3
Nevada.....J. W. Caughlan 2
Oronogo.....E. H. Sapp 1
Rich Hill.....A. G. Keast 2
Sarcoxie.....A. M. Dixon 1
Seneca.....M. H. Keast 1
Sheldon.....L. R. Nichols 1
Spurgeon. .....To be supplied
Webb City....Dean C. Dutton 1
31 Charges.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

WM. R. McCORMACK, P. E., 3, Farmington, Mo.

Advance..... ..Walter Ross 1
Bloomfield.....T. G. Gideon 2
Bismark.....(C. C. Miller) 1
Bonne Terre.....G. F. Bundy 1
Dudley.....(A. W. Hill) 1
De Soto.....Everett Simpson 2
De Soto Ct.....G. H. Gideon 1
Doe Run.....T. G. Peterson 2
Farmington...L. M. Thompson 3
Farmington Ct.To be supplied
Flat River.....W. H. Bickers 1
Irondale & Graniteville.....
.....(M. S. Bumpus) 1
Ironton.....E. L. Spiller 1
Lutesville.....(D. E. Barrett) 3
Mt. View.....W. O. Tolbart 2
Palmer.....(D. P. Cole) 1
Patton... ....Carl Stevenson 1
Poplar Bluff....W. D. Sidman 2
Poplar Bluff Ct.(G. W. Davis) 1
Puxico.....(A. H. Barnes) 2
Perryville.....J. E. Stickney 1
Robertville.....Wm. P. Johns 1
West Plains6.A. M. Livingston 1
West Plains Ct..J. M. Willard 1
Willow Spring..(E. M. Smith) 1
Winona.....(D. W. Gibison) 1
27 Charges.

day of March, 1908 do express our keen sense of loss and sincere sorrow in the death of Bishop Fowler and

Resolved, that we sympathize with his family and close personal friends in the bereavement they have experienced and commend them in their grief to the great Head of the Church for consolation and strength.

FRANK P. HAYS,
CLINT H. DENMAN,
ARGUS COX.

A motion to lay on the table the Resolution on Temperance was carried.

The Conference Adjourned to visit the Ministerial Conference.

A. E. GREIG,
Secretary.

Resolved, By the Lay Electoral Conference of the St. Louis Conference assembled in Springfield, that we recommend to the Ministerial conference that provision be made to maintain a S. S. field Secretary in the bounds of our conference.

Resolved, that a Conference board be formed consisting of the P. E. and S. S. worker of each district to manage this work.

Resolved, that provision be made for the support of this work by an apportionment of not more than one per cent of the pastoral support of the charges in our Conference.

I move that these resolutions be adopted.

JOSEPH W. MCKEE.

MEMORIAL TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE OF 1908.

We the delegates assembled in the Lay Conference of the St. Louis Conference at Springfield, Mo., March 20, 1908, do respectfully, but most earnestly petition your honorable body to make the Cause of Conference Claimants your first and chief care at the present session. For over a century, few sessions of the General Conference have failed to receive memorials and appeals in this behalf.

The Report of the Commission created by the General Conference of 1904 will be before you. We urge its adoption with such amendments, as may be needed, if any, as will insure its being practical in method, adequate in relief, and equitable in principle to all interests involved. We have full confidence that your honorable body, composed of sympathetic, loyal and able representatives of the church can end the shame and sorrow of this long continued neglect.

We unite in urging with the utmost earnestness that you will permit nothing, however important it may seem to be, to interfere with your making the session of 1908 the most memorable in our history by banishing the shadow which darkens the life of every pastor. Establish the Veteran in his true place as the Pastor Emeritus of the whole connection. Adopt such provisions for his comfortable support that he may be able to exclaim: "My last days are my best, my happiest and most free from anxiety and care."

E. F. JONES.

WHEREAS, in the death of the Rev. Bishop Charles H. Fowler, D. D., LL. D. the Methodist Episcopal Church loses one of her Chief Pastors and most honored members, and

WHEREAS, For many years Bishop Fowler has brought conspicuous distinction to the denomination by his unsurpassed eloquence, his profound mentality and his superior administrative ability, therefore

Resolved, that we the members of the St. Louis Lay Electorial Conference in conference assembled at Springfield, Mo., this the 20th.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANT'S DIRECTORY

NAME.	ADDRESS.	AM'T REC'D
Baird, E. H.	Marionville, Mo.	$ 90 00
Barber, Mrs. A.	Moran, Kans.	75 00
Beatty, Mrs. W. M.	2243 G St., San Giego, Cal.	100 00
Beaty, Mrs. C. B.		70 00
Benefield, Mrs. T. S.	Columbus, Kans.	40 00
Buck, N. H.	Tulsa, Okla.	100 00
Bewley, Mrs. C. A.	50 Henderson Ave., Hot Springs, Ark	100 00
Brough, Mrs. A. B.	7402 Minnesota Ave., St. Louis, Mo.	160 00
Babbitt, H. A.	Baldwin, Kans.	100 00
Clifford, Mrs. A. J.	1317 N. 7th St., Kan. City, Kas.	80 00
Cowden, Mrs. H. R.	1427 Washin'ton Av., Colorado Spgs.	85 00
Creamer, W. M.	3730 Park Av., Kan. City, Mo.	150 00
Daniel, Mrs. S. B.	Warsaw, Mo.	210 00
Durham, Mrs. M. M.	Lamar, Mo.	160 00
Finley, J. W.	730 Reynolds Av., Kan. City. Kas.	140 00
Fry, C. D.	Cabool, Mo.	40 00
Garner, Mrs. Eliza	622 Wallace St., Dennison, Tex.	50 00
Harris, J. S.	St. George, Ga.	140 00
Harris, Joseph.	15 Hill St., Dorchester, Mass.	75 00
Heinlein, Mrs. A. H.	1348 Newton St., Washington, D. C.	50 00
Houghts, Mrs. M. A.	Centerview, Mo.	60 00
Hughey, G. W.	Galena, Mo.	235 00
Hurley, J. H.	Epworth, Ga.	90 00
January, Mrs. M. B.	Dixon, Mo.	170 00
Jump, Mrs. H. A.	Muskogee, Okla.	170 00
Jones, Samuel.	Clinton, Mo.	100 00
Knease, T. H.	Seymour, Mo.	200 00
Little, Mrs. Corrila,	Cartersburg, Ind.	50 00
McKee, Mrs. Rachel	5157 Morgan St., St. Louis, Mo.	60 00
Miller, Mrs. L. E.	Steelville, Mo.	80 00
Miller, Mrs. G. B.	Kansas City, Mo.	100 00
Moffatt, Mrs. A. J.	Washburn, Mo.	125 00
Morris, Mrs. Jane	Springfield, Mo.	25 00
Porter, J. S.	Rich Hill, Mo.	200 00
Porter, Mrs. L. A.	Rich Hill, Mo.	60 00
Ridgeway, D. C.	713 Tuxedo bd., Webster Grove, Mo.	100 00
Salloway, Mrs. M. E.	Smithton, Mo.	165 00
Stephens, Wm.	Belton, Mo.	325 00
Stickney, F. M.	Eldon, Mo.	110 00
Threlfall, Henry.	Galena, Mo.	150 00
Toland, H. A.	Hyattville, Wyo., Big Horn Co.	80 00
Walker, Mrs. C. B.	Marionville, Mo.	80 00
Welch, John.	Eldorado Springs, Mo.	200 00
Woods, John	1267 W. 22 St., Los Angles, Cal.	75 00
Yeager, W. F.	Marionville, Mo.	60 00
		$ 5085 00

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons.*	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevolences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av. K. C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

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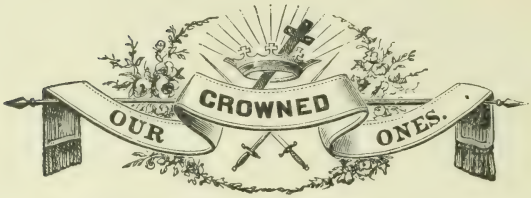
33	1901, March 20...	Bolivar.	Andrews.	Wm. Stephens. ..	L. E. Gower.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	6	3	11	3	6	3	..	20	2	3	32,338	18,815
34	1902, March 26...	Butler.	Warren.	Wm. Stephens. ..	Perry E. Pierce....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	8	8	9	7	4	..	..	17	1	..	32,573	22,189
35	1903, March 25...	Marshall.	Hamilton.	Wm. Stephens. ..	Perry E. Pierce....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	5	8	10	6	2	..	..	10	1	2	30,025	26,025
36	1904, March 23...	Carthage.	Walden.	Wm. Stephens. ..	Perry E. Pierce....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	12	4	10	3	3	3	1	9	1	..	33,882	27,259
37	1905, March 22...	Farmington.	McDowell.	Wm. Stephens. ..	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	12	5	8	2	11	2	1	14	2	2	34,350	29,940
38	1906, March 29...	Joplin.	Fitzgerald.	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	8	10	10	11	3	..	..	12	3	2	36,432	32,567
39	1907, March 20...	Clinton.	Wilson.	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	16	7	16	6	3	1	1	8	2	3	36,407	46,832
40	1908, March 18...	Springfield.	Warren.	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	17	7	11	7	11	..	5	14	1	3	37,503	34714

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	183*	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj. F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2. '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13. '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21. '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	3[illegible]	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19. '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

*Lucien W. Berry entered Itinerant Ministry 1856.

IN MEMORIUM—Continued.

Robert I. Fleming..	1886	Aug. 28, '84.	Seattle, Wash.	34	Effective.	8
Benj. F. Poole.....	1875	Nov. 25, '94.	St. Louis, Mo.....	43	Effective.	19
Thos. M. Durham...	1866	Aug. 23, '96.	Irwin, Mo.	49	Supernumerary.	23
Rolan Moffat	1872	July 30, '95.	Washburn, Mo.	80	Superannuated.	44
Erastus A. Porter...	1851	Aug. 27, '95.	Rich Hill, Mo.....	50	Superannuated.	23
Jas. W. Cowden....	1872	Oct. 21, '95.	Lebanon, Mo.	72	Superannuated.	39
Wilbur G. Williams.	1876	Apr. 16, '97.	St. Louis, Mo.....	44	Effective	20
William Jones.	1862	Jan. 1, '98..	Kansas City, Mo...	64	Effective.	34
Francis Ballaine ...	1880	Aug. 15, '98.	Horine, Mo.	65	Superannuated.	18
Jacob Miller.	1859	Apr. 16, '99.	Kelleysville, I. N...	73	Superannuated.	40
Cyrus Brough.	1878	May 8, '99..	St. Louis, Mo.....	52	Superannuated.	21
Wm. M. Beatty.....	1887	Sept. 17, '99.	Marshall, Mo.	51	Effective.	12
Harry M. Hackney.	1875	Dec. 3, '99..	Ashland, Neb.	50	Superannuated.	24
Jas. H. Vaughan....	1859	Apr. 15, '00.	St. Clair Co., Mo...	80	Superannuated.	41
Jas. D. Daniel.....	1867	Aug. 28, '00.	Sedalia, Mo.	65	Superannuated.	33
Albert Jump.	1877	Jan. 5, '01..	Holden, Mo.	60	Effective.	24
Clark B. Beaty.....	1876	May 9, '02..	Buffalo, Mo.	52	Superannuated.	16
Isaac Entwisle.	1866	July 30, '02.	Indianapolis, Ind. ..	78	Superannuated.	36
Standford Ing.	1858	Nov. 11 '04.	Thompsonville, Ill..	84	Superannuated.	46
Benj. F. January...	1880	Nov. 15, '04.	Dixon, Mo.	71	Effective.	24
Theo. S. Benefiel....	1866	Aug. 28, '05.	Lamar, Mo.	77	Superannuated.	39
Alanson Barber.	1865	Mar. 27, '06.	Baxter Springs, Kas.	72	Superannuated.	41
Levi W. Munsell....	1841	Apr. 24, '06.	Peggy, Mo.	88	Superannuated.	21
George P. Miller....	1889	May 7, '06..	Tipton, Mo.	52	Effective.	16
Milton B. Wood....	1867	Feb. 15, '07.	.....	66	Superannuated.	16
Wm. V. Hamel.....	1878	Nov. 30, '07.	Clinton, Mo.	33	Effective.	29
James F. Corrington	1896	Sept. 16, '08.	Piasa, Ill.	67	Supernumerary.	31
Wm. O. Turrentine.	1873	Sept. 5, '07.	Greenfield, Mo.	49	Effective.	12

REV. JAMES F. CORRINGTON.

James F. Corrington was born on a farm in Greene County, Ill., February 21, 1840. He died at Piasa, Chautauqua, Ill., September 5, 1907. He was a son of Rev. Dr. James B. Corrington, one of the fathers of Methodism in Illinois. Growing up to manhood in a Metho dist parsonage, the son imbibed the spirit of the father. With an ambition to prepare himself for the active duties of life, he entered McKendree College, but before he finished the college course, he yielded to the call of his country and enlisted as a private in one of the regiments of his native State. He was soon promoted to the rank of captain and appointed on the staff of General Dodge. At the close of the war he resumed his studies in college, from which he graduated with honor. Later he recieved the degree of B. A., A. M., Ph. D. and D. D. from his almo mater. He was married July 3, 1867, to Miss Julia Hamlin, of Salem, Ill.—a happy union that lasted to the close of his life. Where he was engaged as professor and teacher of a military acadeny and afterward he occupied the position as principal of the public schools of the city. Soon after marriage he went to Lexington, Mo., and engaged in teaching as principal of the city schools. He retained this position until he entered the St. Louis Conference in 1873. He remained in the effective relation for thirty-one years, taking a supernumerary relation in 1904. As pastor he served Dresden, Independence, Butler, St. Luke's and Water Tower, in St. Louis, and as

presiding elder of the St. Louis District. Then Grace Church, Springfield, and again in St. Louis—Water Tower, St. Luke's, Tower Grove, and there years as financial agent of the Twentieth Century Fund. He suffered a physicial and nervous collapse about three years ago, from which he never recovered. During his last days, his mind was sometimes clouded, but his Christian experience suffered no eclipse and continued bright and clear to the end. "At even time it was light"; his sun set without a cloud; he passed away as one falling into a quiet slumber.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Dr. J. A. Scarritt, assisted by Dr. N. Luccock, of St. Louis. It was held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church at Alton, Ill. Many of his acquaintances and brethern in the ministry were present. The remains were laid to rest in the family burial-place at Bunker Hill, Ill. The wife of his youth and an adopted daughter survive him.

Dr. Corrington was a man among men, but with a heart simple and tender as a child. He was the soul of honor, a devout follower of the Master, and a loyal Methodist preacher. He brought to the ministerial office the advantages and equipment of the scholar, the discipline of the soldier, and the tact of the teacher, and above all the inspiration of a divine call to his work. In the pulpit he was logical, clear and valiant for the truth. In pastoral work he was tender, kind, faithful; and maintained the dignity of his calling and won the love and esteem of the people he served. Many will rise up at the great day and call him blessed. D. W. CROW.

REV. W. V. HAMEL.

William Valentine Hamel, son of James and Nancy Hamel, was born at Renfrew, Butler County, Pa., September 19, 1853. He attended Butler Academy, where he afterward taught. He worked his way through Scio College, finishing in 1876. For a time he was paralyzed, as the effect of diphtheria. Being in poor health, he came to Barton County, Mo., where he taught school until the spring of 1878. He was united in marriage to Miss Van Rilla Criss, of Paris, Pa., in Kansas City, Mo., January 10, 1879. To them a son and a daughter were born. Earl S. is a dentist in Springfield, Mo. Crissola, the daughter, lives with her mother. Bro. Hamel was brought up in the Baptist faith. When sixteen years of age, he was converted at a Methodist camp-meeting. After carefully considering Church polity and doctrine for a year and a half, and finding himself in harmony with the Methodist Episcopal Church, he united with it at Brownsville, Pa., and was li-

censed to preach. The St. Louis Conference received him on trial at Kansas City, in March, 1878. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Foster at Sedalia, Mo., in March, 1880, and elder by Bishop Warren, in St. Louis, in March 1882. He served successfully the following charges: 1878, Sixteenth Street, Kansas City; 1879 and 1880, Cuba, 1881 to 1883, Appleton City; 1884 and 1885, Smithton and Pilot Grove; 1886 to 1891, presiding elder of Carthage District; 1892, Carthage, 1893 to 1897, Warensburg; 1898. Smithton; 1899 to 1904, Benton Ave. Church, Springfield; 1905 to 1907, presiding elder of Springfield District.

In the earlier part of his ministry, the days of camp-meetings, he was regarded as a strong camp-meeting preacher. Before entering the pulpit his habit was to pray until conscious of the victory, after which he preached with such unction that the audience was often swayed, and many, being dedeply convicted, came to the altar and were gloriously saved. As a preacher he was clear, logical and forceful. He knew the Church doctrines, which he preached and defended. By giving careful attention to the needs of Church property, five churches were built on the seven charges he served. While presiding elder of the Carthage District twenty-three churches were built and dedicated. They stand today as monuments of his administration. When the mortgage on First Church, Joplin, was about to be foreclosed, he saved the church by borrowing $4,000 on his personal note and meeting the claim. On June 6, 1895, the North Nebraska Normal College conferred the degree of doctor of divinity upon him. His friends for two or three years thought they could see signs of falling health. When he reached Clinton, the seat of the Conference, he was sick. He was advised to give attention to himself, lest he become seriously sick. He assured them that he would be strong in a few days. Being determined to do his full duty, he attended the larger number of Conference sessions and cabinet meetings. On Saturday he suffered a nervous collapse; he rallied somewhat Sabbath morning, but soon collapsed again, and became delirious. On Monday morning Bishop Wilson reappointed him to the Springfield District. His wife and son reached him on Tuesday and gave him their tnederest devotions. He grew worse and suffered greatly until one o'clock Saturday morning, March 30, when he passed away. During his rational moments he knew that he was nearing the end and talked freely about it. To his son, he said: "Son, be true to your Church and your God, and tell Crissola I have been worried since I have been sick for fear the children would get the idea I thought money was the thing; but I have worked only for their protection. All have gained in earthly goods is lost, lost. Tell her there is nothing endures but Jesus. Listen; this is important. Tell her there is nothing endures but Jesus. Tell your wife the same, and bring the baby up for Jesus." He said to his wife: "I will soon

be in heaven: I will soon be in glory." With these words he passed through the gates into the City. His funeral was conducted in the Benton Avenue Church, Springfield, by the presiding elders of the other districts, and Drs. N. Luccock, W. T. Wright and J. W. Stewart; Dr. Luccock making the chief address. The audience assembled filled to overflowing the church building. About fifteen other members of the Conference were present. The body was affectionately laid to rest by a sympathetic and appreciative people.

E. J. HUNT.

WILLIAM ORR TURRENTINE.

William Orr Turrentine was born in Morgan County, Alabama, December 6, 1858, when but a child of five years he removed with his parents to Illinois, where at the age of 17 years he knelt at the Altar in old Maries Chapel and dedicated himself to the Lord. His was a constant trust in God. He made it the rule of his life to help others to understand the possibilities of the life hid in Christ. He was happy then, but that service was not enough. God spoke, the active ministry was entered. Why not. He was in the line of succession, his father and grandfather and a number of the family connection were Methodist preachers.

The coal touched his life he was obedient to the heavenly vision. The duties of the farm were placed in other hands and he walked out to preach the unsearchable riches of divine truth. April 24, 1894 he was married to Miss Kittie Alice Thomhill of Marionville, Mo., to them were born three sons and one daughter. In 1896 Brother Turrentine was admitted to the St. Louis Conference probation. He was ordained deacon at Marshall by Bishop Hamilton in 1903 and ordained elder at Farmington by Bishop McDowell in 1905. He filled the following appointments: Dadeville 1896 to 1898, Conway 1899 to 1902, Billings 1903 to 1904, Pierce City 1905 to 1906, Greenfield 1907 and 1908 until February 16, he passed on in great peace, to his reward. two days later a large company of former neighbors and sympathetic friends assembled in the Marionville Church, where the Presiding Elder the Rev. C. C. James conducted the funeral services asisted by a former Presiding Elder the Rev. W. J. Simmons and several preacher of the Springfield District.

Brother Turrentine was a true man, faithful husband, affectionate father and a loyal Methodist preacher. He know the doctrines of our church and loved to preach them. For some months before his death he was a great sufferer, not able, at times to stand and preach he would sit and tell the old gospel story in a most convincing way. The Sunday before his death he preached his last and one of his best

sermons. A few hours before he visit home, he said, to his wife and children "I believe this is my last I am willing and ready to go." A neighbor said "truly a Christian man has gone with nothing against him." He fought a good fight he kept the faith and finished his course henceforth the crown of life is his to wear.

F. P. LECKLITER.

MIRIAM FRANCES OATLEY WELCH.

Miriam Frances Oatley Welch was born near Zanesville, Ohio, January 8, 1836, and died at her home in El Dorado Springs, Mo., October 10, 1907, aged 71 years, 9 months and 2 days. Deceased became a Christian in early life. She was married to Rev. John Welch, a member of the St. Louis Conference, at Clinton, Mo., September 8, 1872, and shared the labors and joys of the itinerancy with her husband on the following charges: Versailles, Osage Mission, Urbana, Oronogo and Seneca. Since 1878, when Brother Welch took a supernumerary relation, her patient economy and industry were exercised to meet the limitations of the superannuate's home. Sister Welch had been in failing health for some years, but her last distressing illness covered a period of about three months, when Jesus came with relief and took her to her "reward." She leaves, besides her faithful husband, a stepson and three stepdaughters to mourn their loss and awit "the promise of God." The funeral service was held in the Methodist Episcopal Church in El Dorado Springs, conducted by the Pastor. W. S.

PASTORAL RECORD

(Including 1907.)

This Record is intended to include only the appointments during membership in Conference, and not those as supplies.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99, Nevada; '00-'05, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '06-'07, St. L., Dr. Fry Memorial.

Anderson, Laban—M. E. Sh. So.; St. L. Conf. M. E. Ch., 1904 Montrose; '05, Deepwater; '06, Huntingdale; '07, Dresden.

Ashley, Jno.—St. L. Conf. 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler, '88-'89, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '90-'91, Lebanon; '92-'93, Lamar; '94-'96, Gerenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca; '00-'02, Bloomfield; '03, Pacific; '04-'07, Sup'ry.

Babbitt, H. A.—1888-'89 High Point; '90-'91, Cuba; '92-'93, Butler Ct.; '94-'97, Oak Grove; '98-'00, East Lynne; '01, Rockville; '02-'03, Smithton; '04-'07 (in part), Higginsville and Odessa.

Baird, E. H.—Pitts. Conf., 1859, Senecaville; '60, Edinburg; '61, Butler; '62 Newton; '63-'64, New Lexington; '65, Bible Agt.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '66-'67, Buffalo; '68-'75, Bible Agt.; '76-'77, Republic; '78-'07, Sup'ted.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'95, Austin; '96-'97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton; '02-'03, Rockville; '04, Deepwater; '05-'06, Butler Ct.; '07, Amsterdam.

Baker, C.—Ark. Conf., 1892, West Side Mission, Little Rock; St. L. Conf., 1893, Festus; '94, Fair Play; '95-'96, Billings; '97, Springfield, Daily Chapel; '98-'00, Humansville; '01, Liberal; '02-'03, Schell City; '04-'05, Smithton; '06-'07, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.

Baker, William Frank—1904, Garden City; '05-'06, Iberia; '07, Conway.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00-'05, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '06, St. L., St. Luke; '07, Wagoner Memorial.

Barker, J. A.—Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf. 1901-'92, St. Louis, Bowman; '03, Carondelet; '04-'06, Butler; '07, Agent State Children's Home Society.

Bechtel, Geo. C.—1904, Salem; '05-'06, Newburg and Dixon; '07, Licking.

Beggs, F. S.—1859-'60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63-'64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67-'68, Cape Girardeau; '69-'70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P E. St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, St. L. Central; '83, K. C. Summit St.; '84, St. L. Carondolet; '85-'86, Sup'ry (with work); '87-'91, P. E. Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93-'94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95-'96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L. Tower Grove; '99, Goode Ave.; '00-'05, Rolla; '06-'07, Smithton.

Bell, M.—1877-'78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80-'81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87-'88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93-'94, Adrian; '95-'07, Supt'ed.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Genl. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-'93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'04, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association, Sup'ry; '05-'07, Conf. Evangelist.

Boner, J. H.—1905, Sheldon; '06-'07, Alba and Neck City.

Borah, J. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1894-'95, Irvington Ct.; '96, Watson Ct.; '97-'98, Patoka Ct.; '99-'01, Okawville; '02-'04, E. St. L. Century Ch.; St. L. Conf.; '05-'06, St. L. Maplewood; '07, St. Luke's.

Brannon, L. L.—1800, Eldorado Sp's Ct., '01-'02, Huntingdale; '04-'05, Green Ridge; '06, Deepwater; '07, Eldorado Springs.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82-'83, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85, Belivar; '86-'88, Marshfield, '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Peirce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '05, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97-'98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part), Pacific (in part), Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place; '03-'06, Sup'ted; '07, Richland.

Britton, D. W.—Ill. Conf., 1895-'98, DeLand; '99-'01, Havana; '02-'06, Supry; St. L. Conf. '07, Austin.

Brown, Walter E.—1904-'05, Carthage Ct.; '06-'07, K. C., Grace.

Buck, N. H.—1870-'71, Leesburg; '72, S. James; '73-'74, Licking; '75-'76, Potosi; '77, Webster; '78-'79, Sup'ry; '80, Houston; '81-'83, West Plains; '74, Greenfield; '85, Avilla; '86, Billings; '87, Dixon; '88-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'07, Sup'ted.

Campbell, S. B.—1887-'88, Osceola; '89-'91, Nevada; '92, St. Louis Goode Av.; '93-'97, Maple Av.; Mo. Conf., '98-'02, St. Joseph, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '03-'04. K. C., Linwood Av.; '05-'07, P. E. Kansas City Dist.

Carlos, C. R.—Ill. Conf., 1889-'90, Cisco; '91, St. Joseph; '92-'93, Grove City; '93, Raymond; '95-'97, Springfield, Kumler Ch.; '98 (in part), Greenfield; '99-'00, Anti-Saloon Work; St. Louis Conf., '00 (in part), '01, St. Louis, Trinity Ch.; '02-'07, P. E. St. L. Dist.

Carpenter, L. R.—1874, Dadeville; '75-'76, Mecklin; '77-'79, Butler Ct.; '80-'81, Austin; '02, K. C., 16th St.; '83-'84, K. C., Dundee Place; '85-'87, Sup'ry; '88-'07, Sup'ted.

Carter, J. M.—Tenn. Conf.; 1870, Galloway and Brownsville; '71, Benton and Henry, '72; Tullahoma; '73-'74, Prof. in University; '75, Dickson; '76 Long Branch; Cen. Tenn. Conf., '77-'78, Shelbyville; '79, McMinnville; '80-'81, Tullahoma; '82-'85, P. E. McMinnville Dist.; '86, Tullahoma; '87-'89, P. E. Nashivle Dist.; '90-'91, Tullahoma; '92-'93, P. E., Tullahoma Dist.; '94-'99, P. E., Huntington Dist.; '00-'02, Huntington; '03, Lexington; '04, Field Worker, S. S. Un.; St. L. Conf.; '05-'07, Malta Bend.

Caughlan, J. W.—Mo. Conf., 1894, Blue Ridge Ct.; '95-'96, Laredo; '97-'98, Ludlow; '99-'01, Jamesport; '02-'04, in School; '05, Maitland; '06-'07 (in part), Hannibal; St. L. Conf., '07, Nevada.

Chatten, W. K.—South Kans. Conf., 1904, Crestline; '05, New Lancaster; St. L. Conf., '06-'07, Drexel.

Claypool, E. V.—1886-'89, N. W. Ind. Conf.; '90-'97, Puget Sound Conf.; '98-'04, Upper Ia. Conf.; '05-'06, Kansas Conf.; St. L. Conf., '07, K. C., Arlington.

Coleman, W. C.—Kansas Conf.(1893-'95, DeSoto; St. L. Conf., '96-'00, Kansas City, Summit St.; '01-'06, Warrensburg; '07, St. L., Bowman.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76-'77, Cambridge; '79, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa; '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L., Trinity; '86, Clinton; '87-'89, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01-'02, Pleasant Hill; '03-'05, Lee's Summit; '06-'07, Sup'ry.

Coontz, J. W.—S. W. Mo. Conf. (M. E. Ch. So.), 1898-'00, K. C., Washington St.; '01-'02, Neosho; St. L. Conf. (M. E. Ch.) '03, Holden; '04-'07, K. C., Hammond Place (Oakhust).

Corkill, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1883, Osceola; '84-'85, Butler Ct.; Austin Conf., '86, Gainesville; '87, Waco Trinity Ch.; '88-'92, Dennison, 1st

Ch., '93-'95, Iowa Park; '96, Sup'ry; '97, Dallas Missions; '98-'01, P. E. Fort Worth Dist.; '82-'05 (in part), Dennison Grace Ch.; St. L. Conf., '05, Holden; '06-'07, St. L., Harlem Place.

Corrington, J. F.—1873-'74, Dresden; '75-'76, Independence; '77-'78, Butler; '79-'81, St. L., St. Luke's; '82-'83, Water Tower; '84-'87, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '88, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '89-'93, Water Tower; '94-'98, St. Luke's; '99, Tower Gr.; '00-'03, Financial Agt. 20th Century Offering; '04-'07, Sup'ry.

Cotton, C. T.—1903-'04, Avilla; '05-'06, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '07, in school.

Cox, M. D.—1904, Cassville; '05-'07, Billings.

Courtney, W. S.—1887, Schell City; '88-'89, K. C., Liberty St., '90-92, Summit St.; '93, Nevada; '94-'98, St. L., Bowman; W. Wis. Conf., '99-'01, Eau Clair, First Ch.; '02-'04, New Richmond; Mo. Conf., '05, Fairport; '06-'07, (in part), New Albany; St. L. Conf., '07, Osceola.

Creamer, W. M.—1873-'85, in Ohio Conf., M. P. Ch.; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-'87, Salem; '88-'89, Farmington; '90, Sup'ry; '91, Fredericktown; '92-'94, Malta Bend; '95, Gr. Ridge; '96, Osceola; '97, Rockville, '98-'99, Sup'ry; '00, Linn Creek; '01, Iberia; '02, Phillipsburg; '03, Sheldon; '04, Iantha; '05-'07, Sup'ted.

Criss, C. V.—1877-'78, Lamar; '79-'80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82-'83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92-'93, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'04, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '05-'06, Springfield, Benton Av.; '07, Butler.

Crow, D. W.—1881-'82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86-'87, Crystal City; '88-'92, DeSoto; '93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '00-'03, DeSoto; '04-'07, Joplin, Byers Ave.

Curl, M. L.—Ill. Conf., 1868, Paxton Ct.; '69, Farmer City Ct.; '70-'71, Farmer City; '72, Arcola; '73, Champaign, University Ch.; Mo. Conf., '74-'76, Louisiana; '77, Glasgow; '78-'80, Chillicothe; '81-'82, Hannibal; '83-'86, P. E. Kirksville Dist.; '87-'89, Pres. Lewis Col.; Ark. Conf., '90-'92, Pres. Little Rock University; '93, P. E. L. R. Dist.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part) '98, Marionville and Pres. of Institute; '99-'01, Clinton; '02-'05, St. L. Dr. Fry Memorial; '06-'07, Executive Sec'y Methodist Deaconess Ass'n, St. L.

Dixon, A. M.—Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch. So., 1900, West End; '01-'03, Du Quoin, S. Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch., '03, Mt. Vernon Ct.; St. Louis Conf., '04-'07, Fruitland.

Elayer, E. W.—1897, Urbana; '98-'99, California; '00-'01, Mountain Grove; '02, Aurora and Mt. Vernon; '03-'06, Columbia River and Oregon Confs.; St. Louis Conf., '07, Mt. Vernon.

Ferguson, W. T.—1897-'98, Carl Junction; '99, Carthage Ct.; '00-'01, Carl Junction; '02-'05, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '06-'07, Carterville.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70-'71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73-'74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84-'85, Sup'ry; '86-'87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91-'92; Knobnoster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Springs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02-'03, Windsor and Leeton; '04-'07, Sup'ted.

Foster, G M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93-'94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lemonte; '99-'02, Green Ridge; '03-'04, Liberal; '05-'06, Joplin, Central Ave.; '07, Oronogo.

Foster, H. B.—Kan. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Church; St. L. Conf., '92, Mountain Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94-'95, Mountain Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00-'05, P. E. Lebanon Dist.; '06, St. L., Trinity; '07, Springfield, Benton Ave.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83; Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94-'95, Carterville; '96, Golden City; '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01-'02, Pierce City; '03-'04, Seneca; '05-'07, Conf., Evangelist.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83-'84, Prairie Grove; '85-'86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Tvilla; '88-'89, Billings; '90-'91, Dadeville; '92-'93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99-'00, Bolivar Ct.; '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool; '03-'04, Ava.; '05-'07, Sup'ted.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-84, Lebeck; '85-'86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98-'99, Carterville; '00-'01, Eldorado Springs; '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07, Sup'ted.

Getty, F.—Philadelphia Conf., ———; St. L. Conf., '07, Carl Junction.

Gideon, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1878-'79, Magazine; '80-'81, Charleston; '82-'83, Ellsworth; '84-'85, Magazine; '86-'88, Amity; '89, Hot Springs; St. L. Conf., '90-'92, Festus; '93-'94, DeSoto; '93, Hartville; '96-'97, Buffalo; '98-'99, Hume and Foster; '00-'01, Golden City; '02-'03, Carl Junction; '04-'05, Carterville; '06, Oronogo; '07, Hillsboro.

Gideon, T. J.—1897, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99-'00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02-'04, Hartville; '05, Conway; '06, Buffalo; '07, Bloomfield.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873-'74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78-'79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83-'84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88-'89, Pleasant Hill; '90-'07, Missionary to Wyoming.

Glens, G. A.—1886-'87, Cuba; '88-'89, Salem; '90-'91, Sarcoxie; '92, Mt. Vernon; '93-'94, Appleton City; '95-'96, Malta Bend; '97-'98, Tipton; '99-'01, Smithton; '02-'03, Belton; '04-'06, Austin Conf.; St. L. Conf., '07, Adrian.

Gray, W. L.—1905-'07, Tuxedo Park.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855-'56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58-'59, Newark; '60-'61, Princeton; '62-'63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf., '64, St. Joe; '65-'68, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '69-'72, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '73-'75, P. E., St. Louis Dist.; '76-'77, Jefferson City; '78-'79, Pleasant Hill; '79-'80, K. C., Liberty St.; '81-'83, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '84-'86, St. L., Water Tower; '87-'07, Chaplain St. L. Institutions.

Hall, J. E.—1901-'02, Adrain; '03-'05, Webb City; '06-'07, K. C., Bennington Heights.

Halterman, C. L.—Congregational Ch., ———; M. E. Ch., St. Louis Conf., '03, Salem; '04, St. L., Carondolet; '05, Harlem Place; '06-'07 (in part), Doe Run.

Hamel, W. V.—1878, K. C., 16th St.; '79-'80, Cuba; '81-'83, Appleton City; '84-'85, Smithson and P. Gr.; '86-'91, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '92, Carthage; '93-'97, Warrensburg; '98, Smithson; '99-'04, Springfield, Benton Ave., '05-'06, P. E. Springfield Dist., died Mar. 30, 1907.

Harris, C. A.—1905, Avilla; '06, Carthage Ct.; '07, Seneca.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64-'65, Brighton; '66-'67, Salem; '68, Duquoin; '69-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E. Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree, Col.; '86-'87, Sup'ry (with work); St. L. Conf., '88-'89, St. L. Trinity; '90-'91, St. Luke; '92-'93, Sup'ry (with work); '94, St. L., '95, Union, Ass't Pastor; '96-'07, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73-'74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76-'77, Ironton; '78, DeSoto; '79, Schell City; '80-'81, Lebeck; '82, transf'd to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92-'93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96-'07, Sup'ted.

Harrison, C. T.—1904-'05, Oronogo; '06-'07, Neosho.

Harvey, H. L.—W. Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03-'07, St. L., Neidringhaus Memorial.

Hoos, P. R.—1905, Huntingdale; '06-'07, Sligo.

Hudson, N. H.—1905, Licking; '06, Richland; '07, in school.

Hughes, M. S.—Iowa Conf., 1887, Ewart Ct.; '88-'89, Malcom; '90, Grinnell; Maine Conf., '90-'94, Portland, Chestnut St.; N. Minn., Conf., '95-'98, Minneapolis, Wesley Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '99-'07, K. C. Indep. Av.

Hughey, G. W.—S. Ill., 1850-'78; St. L. Conf., '79-'81, St. L. Trinity; '82-'83, Carondolet; '84, Conf. Tem. Agt.; '85, Carondolet; '86-'88, Carthage; '89-'93, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '94-'95, Benton Ave.; '96-'07, Superanuated.

Humphrey, H. G.—1896-1901, at school; '02, K. C., Howard Memorial; '03-'05, at school; '06-'07, Independence.

Hunt, E. J.—1878-'79, Walnut; '80-'82, Osceola; '83-'85, Malta Bend; '86, East Lynne; '87-'90, Holden; '91-'92, Lee's Summit; '93, K. C., Arlington; '94-'99, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '00-'01, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '02-'07, P. E. Sedalia Dist.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry City; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S.; '96-'00, Lamar; '01-'02, Lebanon; '03-'06, Bolivar; '07, Warrensburg.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf. 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84-'85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnel Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in school; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf. (mid-year), St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96-'97, California; '98, Urbana; '99-'00, Licking; '01, Hartville; '02, Knobnoster; '03,-'04, Huntingdale; '05-'06, Dadeville; '07, Sup'ted.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97-'02, Malta Bend; '03-'04, Rich Hill; '05, Transf'd to St. Johns Riv. Conf.; St. Louis Conf., '06, DeSoto; '07, P. C. Springfield Dist.

Jeffrey, T. W.—Ind. Conf., 1890-'92, Missionary to Wyoming; Colo. Conf., '93-'96, Leadville; S. W. Kans. Conf., '97-'02, Winfield; St. L. Conf., '03-'07, Carthage.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton; '98-'03, Butler; '04-'07, Joplin, 1st Church.

Jones, Sam'l.—1873-'74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'07, Sup'ted.

Jones, B. D.—Ork. Conf., 1878, Huntingdale; '79-'80, Yellville; '81-'82, Mountain Home; '83-'84, Waldron; '85, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '87-'89, P. E. Harrison and Ft. Smith Dist.; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part); St L. Conf., '93-'97, Marshfield; '98-'99, Bolivar; '00-'03, Monett; '04-'06, Mountain Grove; '07, Seymour and Marshfield.

Jones, H. A.—1892-'93, Missionary in Utah; '94, at school; '95-'98 St. L. Goode Av.; '99-'05, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '06-'07, K. C., Howard Memorial.

Keast, A. G.—1899-'00, Iantha; '01-'02, Humansville; '03-'06, Lockwood; '07, Missionary to Montana (in part), '07, Rich Hill.

King, H. A.—1898, K. C., Liberty St.; '99, Kansas Ave.; '00-'01, Oakley; mid-year at school; '02-'03, at school; '04, Transf'd to Maine Conf., St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), -'06, K. C., Oakley; '07, financial secretary Baker University.

Kirk, J. C.—1904-'06 (in part), Hume; '06-'07, Sarcoxie.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75-'76, Springfield; '77-'78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84-'85, Cassville; '86-'87, Mt. Vernon; '88-'89, Urbana; '90-'91, Stafford; '92-'07, Sup'ted.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-'92, Farina; '93-'94, Pinckneyville; '95-'98, Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Ave.; '02-'03, Neosho, '04, DeSoto; '05-'07, St. L. Carondolet.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00-'01, Mt. Vernon; '02-'03, Missionary to Montana; '04, Sup'ry; '05, Springfield, Daily Ch.; '06-'07, Marionville.

Leonard, H. C.—1902, St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; 1903-'04, Harlem Place; '05-'06 (in part), DeSoto; '07, St. L., Goode Ave.

Livingstone, A. M.—S. W. Kan. Conf., 1897, Coldwater; '97-'99, Latham; '00-'01, at school; '02-'03, Argonia; St. L. Conf., '04-'06, Greenfield; '07, Monett.

Lokey, J.—Ark. Conf., 1879-'80, Clear Cr.; '81-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Batesville; '85, Harrison; '86-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Kan.; St. L. Conf., '90-'91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93-'94, Purdy; '95-'97, Mt. Vernon; '89-'99, Purdy; '00, Billings; '01-07, Boaz.

Luccuck, N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1874-'75, Tippecanoe, O.; '76, Addison, Pa.; '77-'78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-84. Pittsburg; Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Allegheny Col.; '88-'91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92-'96, Pittsburg, Smithfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897-'07, St. Louis Union Ch.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870-'71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72-'73, K. C., 16th St.; '74-'75, Rolla; '76-'78, Greenfield; '78-'79, Carthage; '80-'82, Lebanon; '82-'85, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-'91, Rolla; '92, Nevada; '93-'95, Holden; '96-'01, Lee's Summit; '02-'04, K. C. Phoenix Park; '05, Cor. Sec. of Evan. Ch. Ext. Society, Kan. Cy., Mo.; '06-'07, K. C., Mt. Washington.

Mais, H. G.—1895-'96, St. Louis Trinity; '97-'02, Carondelet; '03-'05, Lebanon; '06-'07, P. E. Carthage Dist.

Martin, D. R.—1905, Windsor; '06, St. L. Assistant Union; '07, Maplewood.

Martin, J. J.—1878-'79, Seneca; '80-'81, Oronogo; '82-'83, Avilla; '84-'85, Golden City; '86-'89, Marionville; '90-'91, Mt. Vernon; '92-'94, Joplin; '95-'96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden; '03-'05, Independence; '06-'07, Lamar.

Martin, S. S.—Iowa Conf., 1877-'78, Ottumwa; '79, Melrose; '80-'81, Morning Sun; '82-'84, Keota; '85, Agency; S. Kan. Conf., '86-'88, Howard; '89-'90, Chanute; '91-'92, Independence; '93-'98, P. E. Ottawa Dist.; '99-'01, Ft. Scott; St. L. Conf., 1902-'07, Sedalia, 1st Ch.

McClure, S. W.—E. Ohio Conf., ———; St. Louis Conf., 1901-'02, St. L. Goode Ave.; '03-'05, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '06, Springfield, Daily; '07, Conf. Evangelist.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Doe Run; '99-'00, Ironton; '01-'02, Fruitland; '03-'05, Farmington; '06-'07, P. E. Farmnigton Dist.

McGurk, D.—N. W. Kan. Conf., 1887, Mentor; '88-'90, Tescott; Rock R. Conf., '90-'91, Park Side; '92-'93, Harvey; N. W. Kan. Conf., 93, Belleville; '94-'98, South America (Miss'y); N. W. Kan. Conf., '99-01, Jewell City; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03, Gladbrook; '04-'05, (in part), Cedar Falls; St. L. Conf., '05-'07, K. C., Grand Ave.

Miller, A. H.—Pittsburg Conf., 1873-'74, Circuit; '75-'80, Pittsburg, Thirty-third S;t.'81-'83, Liberty St.; '84-'86, Fifth Ave.; '87-'90, Beaver Falls; St. L. Conf., '91-'97 (in part), St. L. Neidringhaus Memorial; '97 (in part), '98, Shrewsbury; '99-'04, Sup'ry; '05-'07, Sup'ted.

Miller, E. F.—1903-'04, Oak Grove; '05-'07, at school.

Mitchell, C. A.—1896-'97, Neosho; '98-'99, Pierce City; '00-'05 (in part), Financial Agt. Marionville Col. Institute; '07, Sup'ry.

Mitchell, H. A.—1900-'01, Lincoln and Warsaw; '02-'06, Eldorado Spgs.; '07, Lebanon.

Moore, F. O.—1904-'05, Centerview; '06-'07, East Lynn.

Moore, G. Z.—1900, Sheldon; '01-'03, Nashville; '04-'05, Carl Junction; '06-'07, Golden City.

Moore, J. N.—1874-'75, Lebanon Ct.; '76-'77, Cuba; '78-'80, Richland, '81, Oronogo; '82-'84, Webb City; '85-'87, Pierce City; N. W. Kan. Conf., '88, Ellis; '89-90, Jewell City; Ark. Conf., '91-'93, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part), Prof. L. R. Un.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '95-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '00, City Missions; '01-'03, Hammond Place; '04, Amsterdam; '05, withdrawn; '07, Re-admitted, Joplin Epworth.

Needham, J. W.—1890-'91, Winona; '92-'93, at school; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield; '02-'03, Osceola; '04-'06, Monett; '07, Mountain Grove.

Neff, F.—1901-'02, Bolivar; '03-'06 (in part), Clinton; '06-'07, associate, K. C., Independence Ave.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S., 1897-'98, Conway; '99-'00, Sarcoxie; '01-'02, Butler Ct.; '03, Austin; '04, Drexel; '05-'07, Oak Grove.

Nichols, L. R.—S. Ill. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '04-'05, Sullivan; '06, Fairplay; '07, Stockton.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75-'76, Warsaw; '77-'78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80-'82, Butler Ct.; '83-'84, Austin and Pl. Val.; '85-'86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92-'93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; '99-'07, Sup'ted.

Osborne, H. R.—Mo. Conf., 1892, Osborn; '93, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; '94-'95, at school; Iowa Conf., '96, Nichols; '97-'98, Sweetland; Cen. O. Conf., '99-'00, Timberville; '01-'02, Grand Rapids; Gulf Conf., '03-'04, Port Arthur; St. L. Conf., '05, Marshall; '06-'07, Sup'ry.

Osbron, A. T.—M. E. Church, South, ——; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '07 (in part), Flat River; '07, K. C., Bennington Heights.

Pare, W. T.—1886-'87, Hermitage; '88-'89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'03, Newberg and Dixon; '04-'05, Sligo; '06, Pacific; '07, Pierce City and Purdy.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1859-'60, (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61-'62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; St. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67-'68, K. C. Grand Ave.; '69-'71, St. L. Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73-'74, Warrensburg; '75-'76, Carthage; '77-'80, P. E. Sedalia District; '81-'82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85, Lee's Summit; '86-'90, Sup'ry; '91-'92, Lowry City; '93-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'07, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00-'03, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '04-'07, Appleton City.

Pine, J.—1879-'81, Cape Girardeau; '82-'93, Rolla; '94, Bolivar; '85, Knob Noster; '86-'87, Lincoln; '88-'90, Carterville; '91, St. L., Jennings; '92-'95, Sarcoxie; '96-'97, Joplin, 2nd Ch.; '98-'99, Mountain Grove; 1900, Transf'd to Okla. Conf.; St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), '07, Republic.

Porter, J. S.—1873-'74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownville; '77-'79, Malta Bend; '80-'81, Knob Noster; '82-'83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87-'88, East Lynne; '89, Knob Noster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'07, Sup-ted.

Porter, J. H.—1896, Mountain View; '97, Potterville; '98, Appleton City Ct.; '99-'00, Lowry City; '01-'02, Eldorado Sp'gs. Ct.; '03-'07, Sup'ry.

Prall, T. E.—1897-'99, Sullivan; '00-'01 (in part), Old Orchard; '01-'03, Pilot Grove; mid-year to Montrose; '04-'05, Schell City; '06-'07, Jasper.

Pyles, W. T.—S. W. Mo. Conf., M. E. Ch. S., 1883, Vienna; '84, Altoona; '85, Exeter; S. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-'88, Knobnoster; '89-'90, Smithton and Pilot G.; '91, Malta Bend; '92-'93, Buffalo; S. Kan. Conf., '94, Cedarville; St. L. Conf., '95, Golden City; '96-'97, Carterville; '98, Butler Ct.; '99-'00, Austin; '01-'02, Rich Hill; '03-'05, Marionville; '06-'07, Sup'ry.

Peters, Willshire R.—Black Hills Mission Conf., 1891-'95; North Neb. Conf., Wood River, '96-'97; Scotia, '98-'99; Springfield, '00; Scribner, '01-'02; Norfolk Ct., '03-'05; Neb. Conf., McCool Jct., '06; St. L. Conf., Springfield, Daily, '07.

Randle, E. B.—Ill. Conf., 1879-'80, Harristown; '80-'83, Ashland; '84, in school; '85-'86, Kansas; '87-'91, Paris; '92-'95, Springfield, First Ch.; '96-'98, P. E., Decatur Dist.; '99-'01, Danville, First Ch.; California Conf., '02 (in part), San Jose, First Ch.; N. Indiana Conf., '02-'06 (in part), Muncie, High St.; St. L. Conf., '06-'07, St. L., Maple Ave.

Reno, F. P.—1894, Carl Junction; '95-'96, Rockville; '97-'00, Huntingdale; '01, Lamonte; '02-'03, Tipton; '04-'05, Buffalo; '06, Conway; '07, Newburg and Dixon.

Requa, W. L.—1902-'03, Fairplay and S.; '04, Mt. Vernon; '05-'06, Belton; '07, Avilla.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93-'94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at school; '97, K. C. Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '99-'07, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Rice, E. T.—1903-'05, Golden City; '06-'07, Pleasant Hill.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf., to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97-'98, Pleasant Hill; '99-'00, Higginsville; '01-'07, Sup'ted.

Ryan, A. E.—Gulf Conf., ———; '06-'07 (in part), Rich Hill.

Sapp, E. H.—1899-'02, Webb City; '03-'04, Butler Ct.; '05-'07, Liberal.

Senneff, Clinton.—1904-'05, Rockville; '06-'07, Schell City.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899-'00, Hartville; '00 (in part),-'01, California; '02-'05, Richland; '06-'07, Rolla.

Shepherd, G. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1886-'88, Louisville; '89-'91, Sumner; '92-'93, Flora; '94-'97, Fairfield; '98-'99, Belleville, 1st Ch.; '00-'02, Alton; St. L. Conf., '03, St. L., Maplewood; '04, Anti-Saloon League Work; '05, St. L. Trinity; '06-'07, Marshall.

Sidman, W. D.—1895-'97, Stockton; '98-'99, Republic; '00-'03, Greenfield; '04-'00 (in part), Osceola; '07, Poplar Bluff.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876-'77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79-'80, Russellville, '81-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85-'86, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville; '88-'90, Greenfield; '91-'92, West Plains; '93-'97, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '99-'02, Marionville; '03, Carterville; '04, Neosho; '05-'06 (in part), Sarcoxie; '07, Lockwood.

Simmons, D. T.—1892-'93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-'01, Fairplay; '02-'04, Marshfield; '05-'06, Eldon; '07, Bolivar.

Simpson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97-'00, Osceola; '01-'02, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '03-'06, St. L. Bowman Ch.; '07, K. C., Oakley.

Simpson, E.—1899-'00, Avilla; '01-'04, Sarcoxie; '05, Neosho; '06, Windsor; '07, DeSoto.

Slusher, J. W.—Ark. Conf., 1887, Yellville; '88, Greenbrier; '89, Wild Cherry; '90, Oxford; '91, L. Rock Ct.; '92, L. Rock, North Side; '93-'97, Atkins; '98-'00 (in part), Almyria; Okla. Conf., '00-'02, Lehigh & C.; St. L. Conf., '03-'04, Conway; '05-'06, Seymour; '07, Hartville.

Smith, J.—Mo. Conf., 1884-'88; St. Louis Conf., '98-'90; Bengal, Burma, Conf., P. E. Burma Dist., '91-'01; Burma Mission Conf., '01-'03, P. E. Burma Dist., '04, ———; '05, Secy. Indian Missionary Jubilee; St. Louis Conf., '06-'07, Instructor in Missions, Baker University.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89-'90, Hartville; '91-'93, Republic; '94, Schell City; '95-'96, Montrose; '97-'98, Green Ridge; '99-'00, Lamonte; '01, Windsor and Leeton; '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07, Sup'ted.

Smith, R. T.—1883, Sheldon; '84-'96, at school; '87-'89, Pierce City; '90-'92, Payson, Utah; '93-'95, K. C., Summit St.; '96-'98, Springfield, Benton Ave.; '99-'00, Anti-Saloon League; '01-'02, Conf. Evangelist; '03-'07, St. L., Baden.

Sparks, E. E.—1903-'04, Moundsville; '05-'06, Seneca; '07, Belton.

Squirer, E. A.—So. Ill. Conf., ———; St. L. Conf., 1900, West Plains; '01, Sup'ry; '02-'03, Webster Grove; '04-'07, Sup'ry.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67-'69, Marshall; '70-'71, Independence; '72-'73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77-'78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '87-'88, Smithson; '89-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97-'98, Drexel; '99-'02, Odessa; '03-'07, Sup-ted.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kan. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84-'86, Galesburg; '87-'90, Virgil; '91-'92, Americus; '93-'96, Waverly; '97-'99, Galena; '00-'02 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02-'03, Nevada; '04-'05, Lamar; '06-'07, West Plains.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65-'66, Manor Hill; '67-'68, Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69-'70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '71, Springfield; '75-'77, S. L. Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81-'82, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '83-'85, Carthage; '86, K. C., Summit St.; '87-'92, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '93-'98, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '99, '00, K. C. Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Ave.; '02, Clinton; '03-'07, Kansas City, Summit St.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kan. Conf., 1877-'78, Oxford; '79-'81, in school; '82-'83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87-'88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E. Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, 1st Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part), '02, Carthage; '03-'05, Kansas City, Howard Mem.; '06-'07, Springfield, Grace.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81-'82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'89, Iberia; '90, Linn Cr.; '91-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'07, Sup'ted.

Stille, J. C.—1905, Alberta; '06-'07, Knob Noster.

Suter, O. V.—1905-'07, Nashville.

Templeton, R. B.—Blue Ridge Conf., 1893, St. L. Conf.; '05, Rich Hill; '06-'07, Holden.

Thackrey, J. E.—N. W. Neb. Conf., 1894, Crawford; '95-'98 (in part), at school; Kan. Conf., 1898-'01 (in part), Chapman; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part); '05, Kansas City, Grace Ch.; '06-'07, Maywood.

Thomas, G. B.—1904-'05, Poplar Bluff; '06-'07, Pres. Carleton College.

Thomas, D. L.—Michigan Conf., 1885-'88; Neb. Conf., '89, Lincoln, University Place; '90-'91, in school; Mich. Conf., '92-'95, Epworth, Saginaw and Lapeer; Montana Conf., '96, Helena, St. Paul's; Des Moines Conf., '97-'00, Ames and Dallas Center; Neb. Conf., '01-'05, Beatrice, Centenary and Lincoln, Grace; St. L. Conf., '06 (in part)-'07, Clinton, Washita; '99-'00, W. Ft. Dodge; '01, Newell; '02-'03 (in part), Hull; St. L. Conf., '04, Belton; '05, Adrain; '06-'07, Sup'ry.

Washita; '99-'00, W. Ft. Dodge; '01, Newell; '02-'03 (in part), Hull; St. L. Conf., '04, Belton; '05, Adrain; '06-'07, Sup'ry.

Thompson, Fayette L.—Mich. Conf., 1885, Hanover; '86-'87, Big Rapids; '88-'90, Manister; '91, abroad; '92-'94, Betoskey; '95-'98, Lansing, Central; '99-'00, Jackson, First; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03, Davenport, St. John's; N. Minn. Conf., '04-'06, ——; St. L. Conf., '07, St. L., Lindell Ave.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'03, Appleton City; '04-'05, Pleasant Hill; '06-'67, Farmington.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70-'71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72-'73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77-'78, Meeklin; '79-'80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82-'83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage;

'85, Dixon; '86-'87, Conway; '88-'89, Dadeville; '90-'91, Galena; '92,-'93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'07, Sup'ted.

Tippin, C. F.—1896-'97, Newberg and Dixon; '98-'00, Seymour; '01-'04, Eldon; '05-'07, Marshfield.

Toland, H. A.—1885, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87-'88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90-'07, Sup'ted.

Turrentine, W. O.—1896-'98, Dadeville; '99-'02, Conway; '03-'04, Billings; '05-'06, Pierce City; '07, Greenfield.

Van Patten, J. B.—Black Riv. Conf., 1852, '53, Cape Vincent; '54-'60, Fairfield Sem'y.; '61, Chaplain in the Army; '62-'65, in Military Service; '66, located; St. L. Conf., (re-admitted), '80-'84, Sedalia Seminary; '85-'89, Claverack Col., N. Y.; '00-'07, Sup'ted.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82-'83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-'89, St. L., Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91-'92, Holden; '93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96-'97, Kan. City, Howard Mem.; '98-'00 (29th St.), Grace Ch.; '01-'05, Bennington Heights; '06-'07, P. E. Lebanon Dist.

Wakefield, R.—1903-'06, St. L. Tower G. (Wagoner Mem.); '07, Trinity.

Welch, Jno.—Iowa Conf.—Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville; Mo. and Ark. Conf., 1866, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68, Linn Creek; '69, Washington; '70-'71, Linn Creek; '72, Versailles; St. L. Conf., Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78-'79, Sup'ry; '80-'07, Sup'ted.

White, H.—1895-'96, Seneca; '97-'98, DeSoto; '99-'00, St. L., St. Luke's; '01-'05, West Plains; '06-'07, Webb City.

Wood, M. B.—N. W. Ind. Conf., 1867, Wheeler; '68, Calumet; '69, Argus; '70-'72, Pittsburg, '73-'74, Summit Grove; '75, Wheeler; '76-'77, Jamestown; '78-'82, located; St. L. Conf., '83, St. L. Goode Ave.; '84, Farmington; '85, Carterville; '86, Jasper; '87, Tipton; '88-'07, Sup'ted.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88, Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93-'94, Carterville; '95-'98, Joplin; '99-'04, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '05-'07, K. C. Linwood Blvd.

Yeager, W. F.—1880-'82, Cassville; '83-'84, Dadeville; '85-'86, Buffalo; '87-'88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90-'91, Fairplay; '92-'93, Dadeville; '94-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '99-'00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena; '02, Marionville Ct.; '03-'07, Sup'ted.

REPORTS

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session March 18-23, 1907.

Perry E. Piercy.

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE

The Auditing Committee of the St. Louis Conference at Springfield, Mo., have examined the accounts of the Presiding Elders' Funds, Conference Treasurer's accounts. Conference Secretary's accounts the treasurer of the board of stewards and have found them correct.

H. G. HUMPHREY, Chairman.
J. W. BORAH, Sec'y.

March 23, 1908.

BENEVOLENCES.

We would call special attention to and endorse our Board of Home Missions and Church Extension and as pastors will endeavor to rally our people to the highest endeavor possible using the Board's Motto "America for Christ."

We would call attention to the fact that because of Consolidation of the S. S. Union and Tract Societies With Fredman's Aid And Southern Education the latter named Society will need the loyal support of our people in raising the $500,000 apportioned to their work. Farther that we do not forget the needs of our S. S. Union and Tract work both in the raising of funds and circulating our literature and Tracts through the medium of both pastor and people.

The work of the American Bible Society we endorse recognizing that in the circulation of the Holy Scriptures lies the advancement and welfare of our Christian work.

F. S. BEGGS, Chairman.
J. W. CAUGHLAN, Sec'y.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

During the Conference year we have recommended that a loan of $4,000 be made to the Church of Poplar Bluff, that an emergency donation of $1,000 be made to Flat River; and that regular donations be made as follows: Pine Union, $50; Star Ridge, $50; Fremont, $100; Maplewood, $500; Bloomfield, $500; Maywood, $250; Brush Creek, $100; Urich, $350; Crow, $150; Adrain, $250.

We are glad to report that Harrisonville and Mt. Carmel Church Springfield, disappear from the list of those owing loans. But the following churches have allowed their obligations to increase, and now owe as given below: Birch Tree, $308; Sullivan, $406; Epworth Sedalia, $1,011.75; Thornfield, $360; Gainsville, $213.29; Purdy, $151.50.

February 25 ult, the credit of the Conference was $74: On March 3, we made recommendations for donations amounting to $1,100. To pay these donations will require $1,026 more than was in the treasury to our credit when the recommendations were made. This means that $1,026 of the collection reported to this Conference in cash will be absorbed in making donations already recommended.

This year the Conference is asked to raise $8,800 for Home Missions and Church Extension work. If this amount is raised we will receive a credit of $2,200 for Church Extension. Even this would leave us but $1,174 for appeals next year.

Respectfully submitted,

HANDFORD CRAWFORD, Pres.

M. L. CURL, Sec'y.

BURGE HOSPITAL.

Your Committee on the Burge Deaconess Hospital, of Springfield, Mo., desire to submit the following, report:

Certainly no form of Christian Conference is more thoroughly in the Spirit of the Master, or touches a wider range of human service than the work of the Deaconess Hospitals of the church.

We desire to record our gratitude to God that he has put it into the heart of our devoted Sister Burge to provide so generously for suffering and needy ones, and we congratulate the city of Springfield, that so worthy and noble an institution is established within its fair borders.

We praticularly note the excellent equipment and admirable management of the Institution so apparent to careful inspection.

We commend the Hospital to the interest and co-operation of the public and especially to our own Methodist household.

The governing body is as follows:

Board of Trustees.

MRS. ELLEN BURGE, Pres.
MRS. J. H. LEONARD,
MRS. FLORENCE HAWLEY,
MRS. SUSAN ROAS,
MRS. W. C. DILLORD,
MRS. NANNIE COGLEY,
MRS. JENNIE MARTIN,

Advisory Board.

The Presiding Elder of the Springfield District; and the Pastors of the Methodist Episcopal Church of the city of Springfield.

J. W. STEWART,
J. W. KOONTZ,
NAPHTAL LUCCOCK.

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Balance cash from last year	6.18
Cash rec'd at Conference.	
Conf. Collections	3,164.00
Book Concern	1,581.00
Permanent Fund	320.59
Chartered	22.00
Total	$ 5,093.77
Amount paid to Conf. Claimants	$ 5,085.00
Amount ask	$ 9.075.00

We recommended that $4,500 be apportioned to the Conference this year for the Claimants Fund.

L. M. THOMPSON,
Sec'y.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Anderson, $60; Central Av. Joplin, $100; Liberal, $80; Neosho, $50; Seneca, $60; Spurgeon, $50; Epworth & Chitwood, $189; Total, $589.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

Advance, $40; Bloomfield, $40; Bonne Terre, $175; Flat River, $135; Ironton, $50; Lutesville, $100; Mt. View, $40; Patton, $28; Poplar Bluff, $200; Perryville, $60; Willow Springs, $100 District, $100; Total, $1,068.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Amsterdam, $60; Belton, $60; Centerview, $60; East Lynne, $60; Garden City, $60; Kingsville, $40; Total, $340.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

Ava, $50; Buffalo, $50; Gainesville, $50; Hartville, $40; High Point, $100; Houston & Cabool, $50; Iberia, $30; Licking, $50; Linn Creek, $50; Newburg & Dixon, $30; Phillipsburg, $40; Seymour & Mansfield, $50; Upshaw Ct., $50; Plato, $50; Vichy, $50; District, $124, Total, 864.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Cuba, $70; Pacific, $60; Salem, $100; Sullivan, $50; Harlem Place, $50; Tuxedo Park, $70; Total $400.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Alberta, $60; Odessa and Higgs, $80; Knob Noster, $60; Lincoln and Warsaw, $80; Marshall, $100; Montrose, $60; Rockville, $60; Urich, $100; Windsor, $100; Total, $700.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Aurora, $36; Ash Grove, $32; Billings, $40; Cassville, $50; Dadeville, $45; Fair Play, $32; Galena, $60; Humansville, $50; Marionville Ct., $30; Pierce City & Purdy, $32; Sprinfield Ct., $30; LaRussel, $40; Lockwood, $40; Mt. Carmel, $72; Stockton, $50; Weaubleau, $50; Bolivar Ct., $50; Total, $739.

I approve the above missions and appropriations.

Henry N. Warren

EDUCATION.

THEOLOGICAL SCHOOLS.

We commend the work done by our various theological schools and recommend our young men to avail themselves of the excellent facilities for theological training which they present.

ILLINOIS WOMANS COLLEGE.

We rejoice to hear of the continued prosperity of this, the only school of its kind in the Mississippi Valley and congratulate it on the addition of a $50,000 building for music and art and an increase of $500,000 in endowment. The school has added to its equipment and courses of study and is now offering full collegiate work and granting collegiate degrees. We heartily commend it to parents desiring a safe place to send their daughters for the kind of training that will fit them for the various duties of life.

ACADEMIES AND COLLEGES.

We record with gratitude the progress that has been made by our MARIONVILLE COLLEGEIATE INSTITUTE and congratulate it on the approaching dedication of its new building. We earnestly urge its constituency to be alert to the necessities and opportunities of the expanding life of this rapidly growing institution and especially that provision be made to meet the requirements incident to the larger purposes of the school.

With equal gratification we note the decisive gains made at Carleton College. The successful completion of the debt-clearing and improvement campaign is a source of satisfaction to all the friends of the institution. The moral tone of the school and advancement in the character of the school work are likewise to be commended.

We also wish to congratulate the Kansas and South Kansas Conferences for the notable victory won the past year by Baker University in surmounting the obstacles that confronted her by reason of the disastrous fire which destroyed the Gymnasium We rejoice with them over the splendid achievements the past year.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

1. We recommend that an apportionment equal to 3 per cent of the entire pastoral support, including house rent, be assessed to all charges throughout the Conference for the support of our local educational institutions. Special gifts for building and improvements shall not be credited on this apportionment. The amount raised on this apportionment to be divided as hitherto.

2. That the board of Trustees of the Marionville Collegiate Institute, be authorized by the St. Louis Conference to advance the curiculum of said Institute to the full college requirements and that such alteration of the present character be secured as will allow Degree Confering privileges.

That such alteration of character as is herein authorized, be secured at the next annual meeting of the Trustees, in June.

That the Chairman of the Committee on Education, the President of the Board of Trustees, and the President of the Institution be made a committee to report an appropriate name for the College. Said re-

port to be in hands of the Secretary, John A. McCullah, by the annual meeting June 3rd.

That the Board of Trustees be increased to at least 24 members under the new charter.

Moved and carried that these recommendations be approved, with the understanding that the Degree Confering power herein named shall not be exercised until they have a teaching force of not less than six doing collegiate work in whole, or in part, and have secured an endowment of not less than $50,000.

3. That the Bishop be requested to appoint Lewis G. Riser, President of Marionville Collegiate Institute for the ensuing year.

4. That the following be named as Trustees of the Institute:

A. To fill vacancies: John A. McCullah, H. A. Jones, W. T. Wright, J. S. Walker, R. E. Darby.

B. To fill new places created by proposed new charter: Chas. T. Orr, Ely Paxon, James Luke, Matt. S. Hughes, John A. Lucas, George Gilbert.

5. That the following be elected Trustees of Carleton College: J. E. Cover, J. S. Clay, C. B. Danman, S. T. Greshaw, J. W. McCarthy, F. P. Graves.

DANIEL MCGURK, Sec'y.

PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

Our Methodist Publishing houses should be supported by every Methodist not only becouse of the commercial returns but also because of the excellence of their publications.

We commend to our people the large family of Advocates and especially the one published within the bounds of our Conference, The Central Christian Advocate.

We recommend the Daily Advocate which will be published during the coming session of the General Conference.

We commend to our young people the Epworth Herald.

We commend to our Sunday Schools our own publications which we consider second to none.

HARRY C. LEONARD.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON REFORMS.

We record our profound gratitude for the quickening, everywhere, of the public conscience touching all forms of civic righteousness, as evidenced in ever widening temperance legislation, and the marked

modern trend toward right living. More and more the laws of man are approximating the laws of God and ethical ideals are finding embodiment in the legal codes of our commonwealths.

We lament a tendency toward the celebration of Independence Day in a manner neither truly Christian or patriotic. We suggest that as far as possible our churches and Bible Schools observe the Fourth of July in such form as shall place the emphasis upon the highest type of citizenship and shall contribute to temperance sentiment and reform.

We anticipate the annihilation of the Liquor Traffic. To this end Local Option is good; Statewide Prohibition is better and legislators should be elected next November who will submit this proposition to the voters of the State.

More stringent laws against the desecration of the Lord's Day are demanded. Sunday Baseball and like amusements are demoralizing to our young men; to many homes and communities. Our present laws are not sufficiently specific; therefore our next Legislature should revise and strengthen these laws until they express the convictions of the highest types of our civilzation .

The most loyal support is due those public officials who are fearlessly executing and enforcing our statutes; especially those enactments most bitterly assailed. We approve the conspicuous service of Judge J. L. Fort of Dexter, because of his fearless enforcement of the liquor laws; of Judge Nortoni of St. Louis because of his clear and somprehensive opinion handed down in behalf of our Sunday laws.

We commend with all enthusiasm the fearless and stalwart enforcement of our Sunday laws by Judge William H. Wallace, of Jackson County, especially his attitude toward the Sunday Theater cases. The theater during the week is questionable; on the Sabbath it is abominable. The Sunday Theater is wrong, Judge Wallace is right and we call upon all our people in the St. Louis Conference to support and approve him.

We desire to utter a word of warning. Certain perils may grow out of the very victories over which we rejoice. An insecure repose and an easy confidence are always dangerous. The vested interests of organized wickedness fully appreciate that the struggle for very existance is upon them and are rallying their forces for the fiercest battle yet waged. We must be alert and watchful; wise as well as courageous, and in due time the God in whom we trust shall give us the desires of our hearts.

Signed:

F. L. THOMPSON, Chairman.

W. G. SMITH, Sec'y.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, That the St. Louis Annual Conference express its gratitude to the Rev. J. W. Stewart and to the faithful official board and members of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church together with the citizens of Springfield for their hearty welcome and generous entertainment,

Resolved, That we convey to the Daily Press of Springfield our thanks for the full and accurate reports of the Conference proceedings,

Resolved, That the Methodist Episcopal Church is the laboring man's friend and we recommend that some forward step be taken by our great Church to relieve the prevailing conditions of the working classes.

Resolved, That we greatly appreciate this the fourth visit to the St. Louis Conference of our beloved Bishop Henry W. Warren. We congratulate him upon his youthful vigor and greatly appreciate the uniform courtesy and ability with which he has presided over the deliberations of this conference. His inspiring addresses and sermon will remain with us as a rich legecy,

Resolved, That we greatly appreciate the inspiration from the spiritual services of the Rev. Joel A. Smith of Beloit, Wis., and rejoice in the spirit of aggressive evangelism manifest in our midst,

Resolved, That we hear with sincerest regret and sorrow of the death of Bishop Charles H. Fowler, by which our Methodism has lost an honored bishop,. a noted standard bearer for Christ, and a great Christian heart. We bow before this revelation of God's will conscious that he being dead yet speaketh to the church in a life's record of notable attainment. We would convey to his family the sympathy of this conference.

Resolved, That we extend to our able Secretaries and Treasurer and to their efficient assistants our appreciation of their services.

RALPH WAKEFIELD, Chairman.

E. H SAPP, Sec'y.

TREASURER'S AUDITED REPORT.

Funds Handled in Session of 1907.

I. J. K. Lunbeck, Treasurer, In Account with St. Louis Conference Funds.

DR.

To Total Benevolence Report	$ 91,258.00	
Less Amount shown by Vouchers	57,183.00	
Cash coming to hands of Treasurer	24,075.00	
Interest from Permanent Fund	327.40	
Fractional Sums	5.21	
		$ 24,407.70

CR.

By Disbursements (full vouchers submitted)		
Paid through Jennings & Graham, K. C. Depository:		
Board Foreign Missions	$ 13,214.00	
Board Home Missions & Ch. Ext.	1,824.00	
Sunday School Union	311.00	
Tract Society	262.00	
Freedmen's Aid	1,341.00	
Children's Day Fund	251.00	
American Bible Society	218.00	
General Conference Expenses	732.00	
Episcopal Fund	1,184.00	
		$ 19,337.00
Paid Homer Eaton Treasurer		30.00
Marionville Institute		843.00
Carleton College		731.00
Woman's Foreign Missionary Society		37.83
Woman's Home Missionary Society		14.00
Bethany Hospital		1.00
Kansas City Evangelization Society		16.00
Stewards St. Louis Conference		3,392.49
Treasurer's Postage Expense		2.08
Balance Cash in Hand		3.30
Total Disbursements		$ 24,407.70

I. C. K. LUNBECK,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF TREASURER NO. 2.

I have received from the Hillsboro charge $315.85 from the sale of parsonage the same has been placed with the Fidelity Trust Company of Kansas City, Mo., on a savings account at 3 per cent.

I. J. K. LUNBECK.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT FUND.

1. The corporate of this fund which should be used in all legal documents and bequests is. "The Trustees of the Permanent Fund for Conference Claimants of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church."

2. State of the Fund.

Amount of Principal on hand at last report		$ 7,049.59	
Received from Estate of W. H. Craig	$ 16.84		
Received Bequest of Jas. Bray	500.00		
Received Collection of Sub. to Mar 16	286.41		
Received Collection of Sub. at Conference	515.00		
		$ 1,318.25	
Amount of Principal Mar. 21			$ 8,367.84
Net Income from Investments for year		320.59	
Paid to Conference Stewards		320.59	
Total Amount of Principal as above			$ 8,367.84
Present Amount of Investments		7,488.91	
Cash on Deposit from Collection		878.90	
			$ 8,367.84

I. J. K. LUNBECK,
Treasurer.

WOMAN'S WORK.

As time rolls on, we only see the more clearly the great efficiency and importance of the work of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society in all parts of the Heathen world.

Our special recognition is deserved by the Woman's Home Missionary Society for the earnest manner in which it has sought out needy homes and has relieved perishing want, and has brought sun-

shine and hope to many a deserving family as it has been laboring on the frontier of God's vineyard.

In the Temperance work at home, we find that her influence has been most unbounded in the great wave that has been sweeping over our State to the promised destruction of the rum traffic.

In the work of caring for the children and youth of our land, her work is ordained of God and is indispensible. We therefore will most gladly co-operate with our sisters in all these lines of work, in bringing in the kingdom of our Lord.

T. H. HAGERTY,
H. WHITE.

COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLES' WORK.

We are glad to report the splendid response of our Epworth League chapters and especially those of the Kansas City District, to the call to Bible and Mission Study. We urge the establishing of such classes in every chapter in the Conference.

The Epworth Herald continues to deserve the widest possible circulation among our young people and we urge a doubling of our subscription lists at once.

We commend and urge the organization of District Leagues in each District of the Conference.

We nominate for Conference officers of the Epworth League; Pres., Ralph Wakefield; Secretary, Harry Leonard; Superintendent of Junior League, Mrs. J. F. Odom.

F. W. Simpson, Chairman.

BOARD OF NINE FOR DEACONESS WORK.

We are profoundly impressed with the increased success of the Deaconess work within the bounds of St. Louis Conference. The Epworth Evangelistic Institute has had the most prosperous year since it organization, its success has been so great, in fact, that it has entirely outgrown its present quarters, and has had to rent an additional building making a new building an imperative necessity. The work of the students in the needy fields of St. Louis has been multitudinous. Under an efficient faculty fifty students are doing commendable work, a healthy percent of whom are turning their faces toward foreign fields. Some have gone, more to follow, and erelong the Institute's influence will be felt in the remotest part of the earth.

Seven students have graduated this year and have been licensed and recommended for Consecration at this session of our Conference, viz: Luna Anderson, Anna M. Cady, Luella Pearce, Mary J. Schwinn, Minnie E. Shaner, Mabel Wightman and Margaret Wood. Ethel R. Adkins of Kansas City National Training School.

The Kansas City National Training School continues its successful career with a masterful hand. This Institution at its last Commencement graduated a class of twelve. Since its organization 47 Deaconess and Missionaries have been graduated all of whom are doing successful Deaconess work in these various lines. The property of this Institution is valued at $65,000.

The Burge Deaconess Hospital has had a most successful year. Mrs. Burge's new gift of $25,000 greatly increases the possibilities of this Institution and the erection of the new building will make room for many additional sufferers. Since its opening 126 cases have been cared for and the receipts have exceeded the expenditures $181.70. The future outlook of this Institution is very encouraging.

We most heartily congratulate Mrs. Iva Dunhan Vennard, Miss Anna Neiderheiser and Miss Maud E. Luckey on the marked success achieved by their respective Institutions and pledge them our sympathy, our prayers, and our support, and express, to Mrs. Burge, our heartfelt thanks for her splendid gifts to the cause of suffering humanity.

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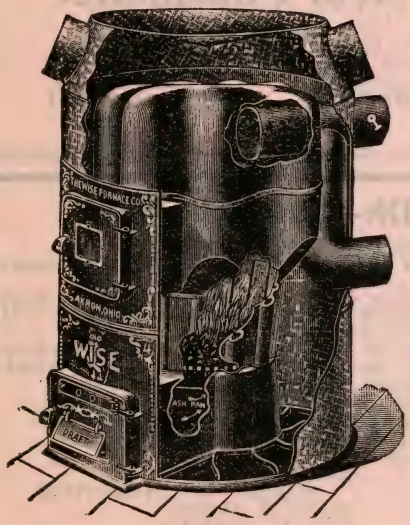

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STATICTICS NOS. I. AND IV. CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			CHURCH PROPERTY.							BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.																
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																	Foreign			Home & Ch. Ex.			Collections.										
	Probations.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness	Church	Special Gifts.	Sunday School not Divided.	Church	Special Gifts.	Children's Fund.	Church.	Sunday School	Total.	Local Education	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen. Conf. Expenses.
Alba & Neck City	16	91	..	2	...	16	2	24	150	2	3000	1	1500	35	50	609	...	...	16	...	..	6	..	..	2	..	..	...	..	..	14	2
Anderson	...	155	1	..	...	10	2	12	60	3	2500	..	....	....	50	108	2	...	...	6	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	...	1	..	...	1
Avilla Circuit	24	173	..	1	3	13	1	15	60	2	3800	1	400	....	....	....	40	...	...	40	..	..	16	..	16	20	1	...	..	..	3	11
Butler	8	211	..	3	1	5	1	21	185	1	12000	1	1200	250	....	....	50	...	30	50	..	4	12	3	15	16	1	30	..	..	...	9
Butler Circuit	16	196	..	4	..	3	1	12	120	3½	4000	1	1200	105	23	....	15	...	...	15	..	10	4	..	4	2	..	...	..	..	...	2
Carl Junction	37	115	..	1	1	19	2	22	240	2	2700	2	1000	70	136	300	5	...	12	3	..	5	2	..	2	5	..	...	..	..	...	5
Carterville	8	164	1	3	3	21	1	22	200	1	4000	1	1000	300	....	....	15	...	5	7	..	2	..	..	..	9	..	33	..	..	55	2
Carthage	30	925	1	14	8	53	1	56	682	2	28000	1	8000	550	....	....	358	33	125	358	..	25	87	..	87	90	2	539	..	..	...	..
Carthage Circuit	23	112	..	1	...	4	3	28	200	3	5400	1	1500	100	....	....	15	...	...	15	..	6	..	..	..	7	..	...	..	..	...	8
Duenweg	38	20	..	..	...	14	1	10	75	1	700	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	...	..
Hume & Foster	73	251	..	2	1	37	4	51	275	4	4500	1	900	227	52	....	44	...	12	44	..	5	15	..	15	25	..	50	..	..	35	2
Iantha Circuit	23	186	..	4	4	17	4	46	319	4	5500	1	600	100	100	....	15	...	7	25	..	8	6	..	6	17	..	17	..	..	15	..
J'per & Mt. Mo'h	25	241	..	5	...	...	2	38	301	2	5400	1	1500	99	136	....	39	...	14	53	..	10	14	..	14	21	1	49	..	..	26	3
Joplin—Byers A.	7	283	3	1	7	27	1	19	253	1	5000	1	3000	425	....	600	20	...	60	80	..	12	20	..	20	40	2	...	5	82	202	6
Central Avenue	9	109	1	2	...	5	1	16	138	1	3000	..	....	62	11	35	14	...	39	11	..	7	3	..	3	11	1	2	..	..	15	2
Epworth	28	8	..	1	...	...	1	10	96	1	1200	..	....	530	....	500	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
First Church	60	341	..	2	...	35	1	23	350	1	52000	1	3000	100	4000	22000	116	...	44	95	..	34	3	..	3	..	3	254	..	..	179	25
Circuit	23	51	..	..	1	9	3	26	200	1	500	..	....	340	....	205	4	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Lamar	21	289	..	3	...	15	1	28	240	1	10000	1	1000	400	....	....	54	12	20	...	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	41	..	..	8	..
Liberal	18	156	..	3	...	6	2	28	240	2	2600	1	1000	100	....	....	10	...	5	15	..	3	6	..	6	6	..	...	..	..	22	3
Moundville	20	158	2	3	...	36	2	25	187	2	2400	1	600	26	....	....	25	...	...	25	..	4	6	..	6	12	..	...	..	..	...	3
Nashville	25	196	1	4	...	18	2	24	225	2	3000	1	1000	50	....	....	20	...	...	20	..	12	8	..	8	7	..	...	..	..	...	9
Neosho	35	130	..	1	11	8	1	20	125	1	3000	..	....	35	25	....	25	8	...	25	..	..	10	..	10	11	..	25	..	..	11	..
Nevado	20	304	..	..	...	10	1	26	225	1	6500	1	1500	250	....	....	69	...	41	20	..	18	..	..	..	24	1	...	..	..	16	..
Oronogo	7	71	..	..	...	5	1	20	150	1	2500	1	500	75	650	550	2	...	16	15	..	5	2	..	2	5	..	...	..	..	...	2
Rich Hill	22	160	1	2	...	10	1	15	110	1	7500	1	1200	25	50	275	50	...	10	50	..	11	8	3	11	16	..	25	..	..	...	7
Sarcoxie	22	220	2	2	1	7	2	17	200	2	4200	1	850	450	....	150	44	...	...	44	..	8	..	..	..	21	1	...	..	..	537	8
Seneca	2	131	..	..	...	1	2	20	148	2	5000	1	1000	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	...	..	..	...	..
Sheldon Circuit	11	136	..	2	3	12	2	23	80	2	3000	1	375	30	82	166	9	...	14	6	..	1	2	..	2	6	1	...	1	..	6	..
Spurgeon Circuit	12	139	..	1	...	27	3	32	254	4	3300	..	....	....	....	....	23	...	...	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	3
Webb City	26	265	..	..	2	5	2	44	410	1	3000	1	3300	....	840	....	60	25	30	50	..	10	25	10	35	26	3	7	..	..	268	..
	689	5987	13	67	46	448	54	773	6418	57½	199200	25	37125	4834	6205	25489	1143	78	500	1075	..	210	252	16	268	403	17	1072	7	82	1412	113

NAME OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bishops Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Exp. Current Church, Sextion, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Alba & Neck City	John H. Boner	600	100	700	560	100	660	40	70	48	8	4	712	5	...	5	120	100
Anderson.	(Jas. E. Goins)	* 350	....	350	244	....	244	106	35	29	4	...	273	2	...	2	12	12
Avilla Circuit.	W. L. Requa	550	50	600	550	50	600	....	60	60	7	7	667	14	...	14	85	23
Butler.	C. V. Crisg	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	....	110	110	12	9	1219	15	...	15	274	165
Butler Circuit.	(W. W. Hendrickson)	500	100	600	433	100	533	67	60	42	7	2	577	2	...	2	19	25
Carl Junction.	Fredrick Getty.	515	50	565	515	50	565	....	56	56	7	5	626	8	...	8	121	90
Carterville.	W. T. Ferguson	700	125	825	700	125	825	....	82	79	10	4	908	4	...	4	126	50
Carthage.	T. W. Jeffrey	2000	400	2400	2000	400	2400	....	240	240	35	35	2675	100	...	100	1200	455
Carthage Circuit.	(Ray S. True)	450	100	550	450	100	550	....	55	50	7	5	607	9	...	9	70	66
Duenweg.	(Wm. O. Miller)	350	....	350	....	....	....	350	35	....	2	...	....	...	...	...	....	...
Hume & Foster.	(R. H. Lint	700	50	750	700	50	750	....	70	70	9	9	829	18	...	18	121	105
Iantha Circuit.	(D. S. Alaxander)	400	60	460	405	60	465	....	46	46	6	6	517	10	...	10	69	130
Jasper & Mt. Moriah	T. E. Prall	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	70	70	9	9	779	17	...	17	127	156
Joplin—Byers Ave.	D. W. Crow	900	200	1100	900	200	1100	....	110	110	14	14	1224	35	...	35	192	123
Central Ave.	C E. Ferguson	* 500	....	500	500	....	500	....	50	50	6	6	556	10	...	10	70	45
Epworth	(J. P Walker)	*	....	....	150	....	150	....	....	3	1	...	153	...	...	...	8	30
First Church.	Wm. F. Jones	1500	300	1800	1500	300	1800	....	180	180	25	25	2000	...	50	50	913	130
Circuit.	(Anna Combs)	* 200	....	200	150	....	150	50	20	5	2	...	155	...	...	...	15	90
Lamar.	J. J. Martin	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	100	100	12	4	1104	11	4	15	216	129
Liberal.	E. H. Sapp	* 575	70	645	550	70	620	25	64	57	9	5	682	5	...	5	75	60
Moundville.	L. H. Sweetland	500	50	550	543	50	593	....	55	55	7	7	655	12	...	12	40	50
Nashville.	O. V. Suter	450	45	500	430	45	475	25	50	48	6	6	529	11	...	11	50	60
Neosho.	C. T. Harrison	* 650	....	650	650	....	650	....	65	65	8	8	723	15	...	15	115	64
Nevada	J. W. Caughlan	1200	150	1350	1200	150	1350	....	135	135	17	17	1502	30	...	30	300	75
Oronogo.	G. M. Foster	600	60	660	600	60	660	....	66	66	7	4	730	12	...	12	100	62
Rich Hill.	A. G. Keast	600	100	700	605	100	705	....	70	70	8	8	783	15	...	15	130	75
Sarcoxie.	J. C. Kirk	650	60	710	650	60	710	....	71	71	8	8	789	16	...	16	144	128
Seneca.	C. A. Harris	* 500	60	560	445	60	508	52	56	53	7	...	561	1	...	1	50	65
Sheldon Circuit.	(W. C. Heiskell)	400	45	445	372	45	417	28	45	42	5	...	459	...	...	...	50	47
Spurgeon Circuit.	(S. H. Yeater)	* 400	....	400	335	....	335	65	40	35	5	2	372	5	...	5	....	...
Webb City.	H. White.	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	....	140	140	17	17	1557	34	...	34	305	260
		20445	2675	23120	19840	2675	22515	808	2306	2185	287	228	24923	401	54	455	5117	2860

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Advance.	2	136	1	1	...	...	2	10	115	4	4700	1	900	55	....	350	6	...	1	7	..	1	..	..	1	6	..	...	..	..	35	3
Bismark.	9	125	1	1	1	...	1	9	75	3	4200	..	....	135	....	....	3	...	...	3	..	..	2	..	2	3	..	...	..	..	...	1
Bloomfield.	14	156	1	3	2	2	2	14	125	3	6300	..	....	4000	....	500	5	...	14	7	..	..	2	..	2	4	1	...	..	..	...	2
Bonne Terre.	16	84	..	2	...	...	1	12	135	1	3600	1	1500	205	....	91	8	...	3	5	..	..	3	..	3	2	..	...	..	..	...	1
De Soto.	10	210	1	5	4	...	1	14	140	1	4500	1	1500	....	67	600	7	...	15	9	..	1	2	..	3	6	..	...	..	..	...	..
De Soto Circuit.	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	....	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Doe Run.	10	154	1	1	15	2	1	21	183	..	3000	..	....	....	....	....	15	...	30	15	..	10	5	..	15	10	1	...	..	..	...	6
Dudley.	22	97	1	2	...	...	2	12	85	2	1500	..	....	....	....	....	5	...	...	4	..	2	..	..	2	2	1	4	..	..	...	1
Farmington.	20	272	8	3	13	24	1	26	270	1	13000	1	2000	400	2300	....	28	...	40	68	..	..	12	..	12	244	1	...	..	..	...	5
Farmington Ct.	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	....	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Flat River.	...	55	1	..	...	...	1	8	90	1	2500	1	200	1048	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Fruitland.	26	160	1	3	3	2	3	30	200	4	5500	1	800	2100	....	....	20	...	20	20	..	3	3	4	10	7	1	...	1	..	...	6
Hillsboro.	15	76	1	1	...	14	3	15	135	4	4000	..	....	....	....	....	6	..	4	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	...	1	..	...	1
Ironton.	7	67	..	1	2	4	1	9	66	1	1500	1	800	....	....	....	10	...	...	10	..	1	..	..	1	4	..	...	..	..	...	1
Lutesville.	10	255	3	..	2	10	4	20	200	6	5000	1	500	150	....	....	7	...	...	7	..	6	..	..	6	8	..	...	..	..	...	..
Mountain View.	3	120	1	1	3	...	4	26	170	4	4500	..	....	250	....	200	12	...	...	12	..	2	..	..	2	5	1	...	..	..	8	2
Palmer.	26	152	5	3	2	21	4	16	240	6	3600	1	200	375	....	....	3	...	...	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Patton.	5	261	2	2	8	...	3	15	150	5	3500	1	300	....	....	....	4	...	...	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	...	..	..	...	..
Perryville.	9	55	..	..	...	2	2	10	59	3	3000	1	650	....	....	....	2	...	...	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	...	1
Popular Bluff.	9	154	1	..	4	6	1	16	148	1	19500	..	....	7500	....	7000	15	...	...	15	..	10	1	..	11	15	..	...	..	..	...	..
Popular Bluff Ct	...	15	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	....	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Puxico.	11	226	..	8	3	34	4	26	224	4	4250	1	1000	143	....	....	6	...	...	5	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	...	..	15	...	2
Robertsville.	...	16	..	..	...	...	2	12	40	½	400	..	....	....	75	....	1	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
West Plains	31	183	..	..	6	2	1	19	250	1	4800	1	2000	55	116	97	11	25	30	15	5	7	7	..	14	31	1	39	16	..	...	10
West Plains Ct.	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	..	...	5	....	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Willow Springs.	4	83	..	2	3	2	1	16	161	1	3000	1	650	....	....	100	13	...	...	13	..	2	8	..	10	4	1	...	..	..	33	4
Winona.	3	75	..	1	...	...	2	12	100	3	3700	..	....	1135	....	....	4	...	...	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	4	..	4	..
	262	2987	29	40	71	127	47	368	3381	64½	109550	14	13000	17551	2558	8938	191	25	157	226	5	45	45	4	94	357	9	44	22	15	80	46

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Advance.	(Carl Stevenson)	* 375	100	475	252	100	352	123	50	50	4	1	403	2	...	2	36	20
Bismark.	E. L. Spiller	400	....	400	293	....	293	107	45	38	2	1	332	2	...	2	6	12
Bloomfield.	T. J. Gideon	* 500	....	500	430	....	430	70	60	52	3	...	482	2	...	2	75	40
Bonne Terre.	A. M. Dixon.	* 500	100	600	428	100	528	72	70	52	5	1	581	3	...	3	70	32
De Soto.	Evertt Simpson.	800	120	920	800	120	920	....	90	90	9	8	1018	12	...	12	160	90
De Soto Circuit.	(R. H. Shute	100	....	100	....	....	....	100	10	....	...	...	....	...	...	...	....	...
Doe Run.	T. G. Peterson	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	100	100	10	8	1108	18	...	18	77	118
Dudley.	(J. E. Stickney)	* 300	....	300	222	....	222	78	40	40	2	2	264	2	...	2	....	15
Farmington.	L. M. Tompson	1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	....	120	120	11	11	1281	22	...	22	141	101
Farmington Circuit.	(G. A. McFarland)	100	....	100	50	....	50	50	10	10	1	...	60	...	...	...	....	...
Flat River	(W. H. Bickers)	* 600	100	700	513	100	613	87	75	64	6	...	677	...	...	...	....	45
Fruitland.	A. J. May	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	75	75	7	5	780	9	...	9	46	51
Hillsboro.	G. H. Gideon	450	60	510	260	60	320	190	55	28	2	2	350	10	...	10	10	30
Ironton.	(I. V. Maxey)	* 330	100	430	330	100	430	....	50	50	4	2	482	2	...	2	43	23
Lutesville.	(D. E. Barrett)	* 500	60	560	440	60	500	60	50	50	4	3	553	8	...	8	25	50
Mountain View.	W. O. Tolbart	* 385	....	385	28	....	285	100	40	39	3	2	326	4	...	4	25	40
Palmer.	(J. M. Crisel)	* 365	30	395	200	30	230	165	50	50	1	1	281	1	...	1	25	20
Patton.	(M. S. Bumpus)	* 365	30	395	365	30	395	....	40	50	2	1	446	1	...	1	....	15
Perryville.	(R. A. Brooks)	* 325	60	385	130	60	190	195	50	34	2	...	224	...	...	...	....	25
Poplar Bluff.	W. D. Sidman	* 1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	105	105	7	3	1108	...	...	...	180	75
Poplar Bluff Circuit.	(G. W. Davis)	100	....	100	....	....	....	100	10	....	...	...	....	...	...	...	....	...
Puxico.	(A. H. Barnes)	450	100	550	400	100	500	50	50	50	5	1	551	1	...	1	55	75
Robertsville.	(Wm. P. Johns)	100	....	100	30	....	30	70	10	10	...	...	40	...	...	...	3	20
West Plains	S. F. Stevens	900	120	1020	850	120	970	50	105	125	10	8	1103	21	...	21	154	190
West Plains Circuit.	(J. M. Willard)	350	....	350	....	....	....	350	45	....	3	...	....	...	...	...	....	...
Willow Springs.	(E. M. Smith)	* 400	100	500	400	100	500	....	55	52	5	4	556	8	...	8	45	38
Winona.	(D. L. Walker)	275	....	275	225	....	225	50	40	40	2	...	265	4	...	4	30	20
		12470	1430	13900	10403	1430	11833	2067	1500	1374	110	64	13271	132	...	132	1206	1145

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																	MISSIONS.					Education, F. A. & S. S.							W.H.M Soc.			
																	Foreign			Home& Ch. Ex.			Collections.										
	Probations.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness	Church	Special Gifts.	Sunday School not Divided.	Church	Special Gifts.	Children's Fund.	Church.	Sunday School	Total.	Local Education	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen. Conf. Expenses.
Adrian.	10	152	..	..	...	6	2	29	250	2	7500	1	1000	2000	....	2000	...	...	13	13	..	4	2	..	6	2	..	10	..	..	...	3
Amsterdam. . ..	4	73	..	1	...	2	2	19	80	2	2400	..	....	78	....	....	9	...	2	9	..	5	2	..	7	4	1	...	..	..	...	3
Austin.	12	204	..	1	...	11	2	23	160	2	3000	1	700	220	....	....	77	10	13	77	..	18	23	..	41	17	3	...	..	..	50	3
Belton.	5	129	..	2	...	2	1	8	40	1	1500	1	1000	170	....	....	...	...	6	6	..	3	...	..	3	4	1	...	..	..	...	1
Centerview. . ..	3	143	..	4	...	25	2	20	120	2	3000	..	....	....	....	....	15	...	...	15	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	...	4
Drexel.	6	142	..	1	10	20	2	18	140	2	2100	..	....	....	10	....	10	...	4	5	..	..	3	..	3	20	1	1	..	..	8	..
East Lynne.	10	186	..	2	1	6	3	30	150	3¼	4600	1	700	223	....	....	45	...	40	...	..	16	2	..	18	14	2	...	..	..	19	2
Garden City. ...	17	140	..	1	...	2	2	20	120	2	3500	..	....	861	....	....	12	...	...	12	..	..	3	..	3	..	1	...	..	..	...	3
Holden.	4	204	..	3	3	13	1	17	115	1	6500	1	2000	4600	....	1000	47	...	...	15	..	14	..	5	19	15	2	15	10	1	...	4
Independence. ..	...	167	1	3	3	4	1	17	95	1	26000	1	3500	25	4500	3500	10	...	20	...	..	5	...	..	5	5	..	24	..	..	27	..
Kan. City—A't'n	12	365	1	4	7	3	1	35	400	1	3500	1	3000	200	155	550	90	...	110	90	..	9	20	..	29	10	..	155	75	35	121	10
Beaumont. . ..	6	18	..	..	3	5	1	8	70	1	1200	..	....	112	37	55	...	...	10	...	..	3	...	..	3	...	..	...	..	..	10	1
Benn'ton Hgts.	13	155	..	2	10	20	1	27	150	1	5000	1	1600	253	192	1007	35	...	...	35	..	..	15	..	15	8	2	71	..	..	20	..
Broadway.	...	20	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	2000	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	..	...	..
Cen'nial Chap.	5	33	..	..	...	8	1	7	30	1	1200	..	....	25	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	..	...	..
Grace.	8	158	..	4	18	8	1	21	200	1	12000	..	....	....	104	2600	28	...	...	28	..	..	15	..	15	20	1	...	34	..	25	4
Grand Ave . .	21	658	..	4	1	...	1	30	250	1	200000	..	....	....	....	....	525	...	...	525	..	23	130	..	153	100	20	265	259	22	494	95
Howard Mem.	17	461	..	3	14	11	1	24	325	1	50000	1	5000	200	....	19000	110	...	75	105	..	10	40	..	50	45	2	136	31	..	...	5
Hyde Parn. ...	7	58	..	..	...	...	1	7	38	..	....	..	....	475	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	..	25	..
Independ'ce Av	53	1341	2	19	17	32	1	76	715	1	125000	1	10000	2500	5000	9500	700	...	...	700	..	35	148	..	183	140	10	1377	196	435	1000	25
Linwood Blvd.	47	526	1	1	10	3	1	53	450	1	33000	..	....	225	....	8000	156	...	129	156	..	17	48	..	65	50	6	345	200	45	176	30
Maywood. . ..	3	43	..	..	...	1	1	12	80	1	2200	1	2300	10	....	2225	5	...	6	4	..	3	3	..	6	1	..	...	..	..	31	2
Mt. Washi'ton	3	45	..	..	1	2	1	7	45	1	3500	..	....	800	360	840	14	...	...	11	..	3	..	..	3	4	..	...	..	..	...	2
Oakhurst.	54	350	..	4	12	25	1	32	350	1	25000	..	....	....	1800	13525	...	...	40	40	..	6	..	..	6	6	1	53	4	..	15	14
Oakley.	34	496	..	1	3	2	1	44	620	1	35000	..	....	....	900	11000	69	30	103	68	..	9	21	..	30	10	2	136	46	10	131	5
Phoenix Park.	24	136	..	2	...	...	1	20	164	1	9000	..	....	2100	....	5400	15	25	...	15	..	15	..	..	15	...	..	25	4	..	34	..
Summit St. ...	10	194	1	1	5	5	1	30	240	1	6000	..	....	100	....	....	80	...	...	61	..	3	...	..	3	4	2	108	61	..	...	2
Lee's Summit. ..	2	150	..	4	...	...	1	16	80	1	4000	1	1400	464	....	....	23	...	16	20	..	14	...	..	14	..	1	...	..	..	52	..
Oak Grave.	8	226	..	3	...	13	2	18	98	5	4000	1	1500	300	....	....	30	...	1	10	..	..	8	..	8	8	1	...	..	..	...	2
Pleasant Hill. . .	8	173	..	3	2	3	1	17	90	1	6000	1	2200	238	....	....	20	10	18	45	..	11	13	2	26	16	2	16	..	..	41	..
	436	7146	6	73	120	232	38	685	5665	40¼	587700	14	35960	16179	13058	80202	2125	75	606	2065	..	226	497	7	730	503	62	2738	921	554	2279	220

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Adrain.	G. A. Glens	740	60	800	740	60	800	....	80	80	11	4	884	6	...	6	122	42
Amsterdam.	W. F. Baker	* 425	....	425	300	....	300	125	42	24	6	2	326	10	...	10	60	24
Austin.	D. W. Britton	800	50	850	800	50	850	....	85	80	12	12	942	25	...	25	130	60
Belton.	E. E. Sparks	* 575	100	675	425	100	525	150	67	45	9	2	572	5	...	5	46	19
Centerview.	J. H. Bishop	* 400	....	400	460	....	460	....	40	40	6	2	602	15	...	15	100	75
Drexel.	W. K. Chatten	615	....	615	605	....	605	10	61	59	8	...	664	12	...	12	100	70
East Lynne.	F. O. Moore	* 525	50	575	525	50	575	....	57	67	8	8	640	20	...	20	80	80
Garden City	C. V. Bigler	* 390	....	390	379	....	379	11	39	39	5	3	421	9	...	9	40	60
Holden.	R. B. Templeton	777	100	877	775	100	875	2	88	87	12	5	967	12	...	12	120	70
Indeepndence.	H. G. Humphrey	1000	240	1240	900	240	1140	100	124	100	17	5	1245	5	...	5	258	75
Kansas City—Arlington	E. V. Claypool	1450	200	1650	1450	200	1650	....	165	165	23	20	1835	30	...	30	572	280
Beaumont.	J. E. Thackrey	200	....	200	200	....	200	....	20	20	3	1	221	1	...	1	25	50
Bennington Heights	A. T. Osbron	840	180	1020	840	180	1020	....	102	102	14	5	1127	15	...	15	125	125
Broadway.		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Centernial Chapel.	H. G. Humphrey	150	....	150	150	....	150	....	15	15	2	...	165	....	...	....	....	25
Grace.	W. E. Brown	728	....	728	750	....	750	....	73	75	10	10	835	16	...	16	75	165
Grand Ave.	Daniel McGurk	3600	....	3600	3600	....	3600	....	360	360	50	40	4000	225	...	225	3116	360
Howard Memorial	H. A. Jones	1800	400	2200	1800	400	2200	....	220	220	30	20	2440	50	...	50	1000	400
Hyde Park.	H. A. Barton	750	....	750	750	....	750	....	75	70	9	...	820	....	...	....	50	25
Independence Ave.	M. S. Hughes	4250	600	4850	4250	600	4850	....	485	480	67	55	7385	300	...	300	5250	800
Independence Ave.	Frank Neff.	2000	....	2000	2000	....	2000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	....	....
Linwood Blvd.	W. T. Wright	2200	....	2200	2200	....	2200	....	220	220	30	30	2450	80	...	80	1655	350
Maywood.	J. E. Shackrey	650	150	800	400	150	550	250	80	40	11	3	593	3	...	3	40	45
Mt. Washington.	I. J. K. Lumbeck	250	....	250	250	....	250	....	25	25	3	2	277	5	...	5	36	89
Oakhurst.	J. W. Coontz	1500	....	1500	1500	....	1500	....	150	150	21	15	1665	16	...	16	361	176
Oakley.	F. W. Simpson	1600	....	1600	1600	....	1600	....	160	160	22	15	1775	30	...	30	690	365
Phoenix Park.	J. F. Odom	700	....	700	700	....	700	....	70	70	10	7	777	8	...	8	100	110
Summit St.	O. M. Stewart	1100	....	1100	1100	....	1100	....	100	110	15	15	1225	10	10	20	180	320
Lee's Summit.	W. G. Smith	800	50	850	827	50	877	....	85	95	12	...	972	10	...	10	103	75
Oak Grove.	B. E. Niblack	700	100	800	650	100	750	50	80	50	11	5	805	16	...	16	212	40
Pleasant Hill.	E. T. Rice	800	120	920	800	120	120	....	92	92	13	5	1017	15	...	15	137	55
		32315	2400	34715	31726	2400	34126	698	3270	3130	451	291	37547	949	10	959	14783	1430

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Ava.	6	110	1	..	...	3	1	10	91	2	2800	1	600	60	....	....	11	...	...	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	1
Barnett.	3	110	..	..	...	1	2	12	90	2¾	2000	..	....	....	....	....	5	...	...	7	..	2	1	1	..	2	1	...	..	..	...	2
Buffalo.	8	89	2	..	1	6	1	9	65	1	5000	1	1000	10	....	....	10	...	...	15	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	...	..	7	...	2
Buffalo Circuit	4	110	1	1	...	1	3	28	125	5	3850	1	300	236	....	8	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Conway.	6	214	1	4	...	...	4	37	195	5	5200	1	800	125	....	....	6	...	4	4	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	...	..	..	...	3
Eldon.	12	143	..	..	...	5	1	14	105	1	2000	1	1000	108	....	....	10	...	7	10	..	..	6	..	..	4	..	...	22	..	...	2
Gainesville.	17	169	1	1	...	6	3	27	97	3	1800	1	250	87	57	....	1	...	...	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	3
Hartville.	19	139	3	5	...	15	1	15	60	4	4000	1	500	250	....	....	10	...	...	10	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	...	..	..	...	3
Houston & Cabo'l	5	104	4	1	...	1	2	18	85	3	3900	2	1400	399	....	....	8	...	...	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	...	2	..	...	..
Iberia.	34	190	..	2	1	45	4	26	240	4	5100	..	....	29	....	....	5	...	...	6	..	2	3	3	..	2	..	...	3	..	...	5
Lebanon.	62	263	1	6	7	43	1	19	154	2	5800	1	1800	449	....	....	55	...	...	69	..	12	14	..	..	20	1	12	..	..	10	..
Licking.	16	148	2	3	...	4	3	15	125	2	2500	1	500	325	....	....	8	6	6	20	10	6	5	..	..	10	1	1	1	..	...	2
Linn Creek.	28	142	1	..	...	...	3	15	150	3	2500	1	700	....	100	175	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	4	..
Mountain Grove.	37	201	1	3	...	22	1	18	175	1	4000	1	1200	200	20	300	30	10	...	40	..	2	9	..	..	15	..	...	..	16	...	10
Newb'rg & Dix'n	27	179	1	3	1	6	2	24	150	2	3600	1	500	253	....	....	32	...	...	32	..	9	..	..	..	10	..	...	..	..	...	6
Orla.	11	224	1	2	9	13	1	10	65	4	2850	..	....	55	....	....	2	...	...	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	...	..	..	...	..
Phillipsburg.	3	153	..	1	...	11	1	15	71	3	2400	1	550	240	....	65	10	...	...	5	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	1
Richland.	5	155	2	1	...	3	1	13	126	1	2500	1	600	126	....	....	16	...	14	30	..	5	7	..	..	10	1	1	1	..	...	..
Richland Circuit	5	115	..	..	...	...	3	15	115	3	2200	..	....	....	....	....	1	...	...	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	1
Rolla.	3	155	1	4	...	3	1	17	175	1	9000	1	1200	60	....	....	60	...	...	55	..	8	15	..	..	12	1	17	..	..	...	..
Seym'r & Mans'd	3	180	1	2	1	15	1	17	140	2	3700	1	800	300	....	....	27	...	13	40	..	..	10	..	..	10	..	2	..	..	10	..
Success.	11	119	4	3	3	2	2	5	55	4	3450	..	....	150	....	....	4	...	...	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	...	..
Upshaw.	...	.71	..	..	...	...	1	7	55	3	1750	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Urbana.	11	195	2	1	...	6	2	10	65	4	2000	1	550	400	....	....	1	...	...	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	...	..
Vichy.	...	78	2	..	...	...	2	15	125	2	2075	1	400	80	....	....	5	...	...	4	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	...	..	..	...	3
	407	3685	32	43	23	211	47	422	2899	67¾	85975	20	14650	3942	177	548	317	16	44	365	10	53	76	5	..	106	6	37	30	23	24	44

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Ava.		* 300	50	350	184	50	234	146	42	42	3	...	276	3	...	3	25	25
Barnett.	(F. M. Stickney)	425	....	425	59	....	59	366	51	....	3	1	60	...	...	...	....	...
Buffalo.	C. V. Bryan	* 550	50	600	475	50	525	75	72	60	5	2	587	5	...	5	75	30
Buffalo Circuit.	(D. W. Lowe)	200	....	200	105	....	105	95	24	....	2	...	105	...	...	...	....	15
Conway.	W. Frank Baker	605	50	655	440	50	490	165	78	58	6	4	552	5	...	5	63	60
Eldon.	S. P. Stillman	550	50	600	600	50	650	....	72	12	5	3	725	4	...	4	65	50
Gainsville.	(F. O. Forbes)	* 220	30	250	88	30	118	132	30	30	1	2	150	6	...	6	....	15
Hartville.	J. W. Slusher	* 480	50	530	480	50	530	....	64	52	5	4	586	8	...	8	50	30
Houston & Cabool.	J. W. Cole)	* 560	135	695	197	144	341	354	83	41	6	...	382	19	...	19	42	52
Iberia.	(Jas. A. McFarland)	* 450	....	450	423	....	423	27	54	51	5	...	474	2	...	2	7	45
Lebanon.	H. A. Mitchell	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	108	108	9	9	1017	18	...	18	130	89
Licking.	George C. Bechtel	* 450	60	510	395	60	455	55	61	61	5	5	521	6	4	10	45	35
Linn Creek.	C. Julius Wegener	* 340	72	412	210	72	282	130	50	34	4	...	316	...	...	...	35	14
Mountain Grove.	J. W. Needham	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	84	84	7	7	791	14	...	14	100	80
Newburg & Dixon.	Frank P. Reno	* 600	90	690	600	90	690	....	83	83	5	5	778	10	...	10	80	65
Orla.	(W. McClanahan)	180	....	180	151	....	151	29	20	20	2	1	172	1	...	1	....	11
Phillipburg.	(Lynderman Wrght)	* 335	20	355	256	20	276	79	40	40	4	1	317	1	5	6	60	28
Richland.	J. B. Brewington	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	66	66	5	5	621	24	...	24	100	54
Richland Circuit.	(C. S. Towe)	220	....	220	175	....	175	45	30	23	2	...	198	...	...	...	....	9
Rolla.	T. P. Shaffer	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	108	108	9	9	1017	18	...	18	130	100
Seymour & Mansfield.	B. D. Jones	* 600	50	650	600	50	650	....	78	78	7	7	735	16	...	16	55	70
Success.	(William Baker)	110	....	110	60	....	60	50	26	26	2	...	86	1	...	1	....	5
Upshaw.	(Taylor Mann).	* 255	....	255	125	....	125	130	30	30	2	...	155	...	...	...	....	...
Urbana.	(Milus Wormack).	* 440	....	440	200	....	200	240	50	44	4	1	245	1	...	1	5	75
Vichy.	(John Stephen)	* 400	30	430	305	30	335	95	52	48	4	1	384	2	...	2	25	17
		9970	1087	12057	8828	1096	9924	2183	1456	1259	112	67	11250	164	9	173	1092	974

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	Probations.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness	Church	Special Gifts.	Sunday School not Divided.	Church	Special Gifts.	Children's Fund.	Church.	Sunday School	Total.	Local Education	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen. Conf. Expenses.
Cuba.	11	114	1	1	...	4	2	17	150	3	2100	1	500	100	....	....	10	...	...	...	..	6	..	..	6	5	2	1	2	..	...	3
Pacific.	3	46	..	..	...	...	2	20	115	2	3700	..	....	....	....	....	10	...	...	...	..	10	..	..	10	2	..	...	..	..	...	1
St. Louis—B'm'n	80	416	2	2	18	16	1	42	600	1	30000	..	....	233	3600	11600	55	35	36	30	..	..	15	..	15	15	..	144	..	..	...	10
Calvary.	4	58	1	1	2	...	1	12	75	1	2000	..	....	....	....	....	15	...	...	15	..	5	..	..	5	4	1	...	..	23	...	2
Carondelet.	56	187	1	2	16	...	1	20	217	1	15000	..	....	15	51	850	43	...	...	43	..	5	..	3	8	7	1	44	..	..	4	..
Dr. Fry Mem.	17	203	1	..	12	9	1	22	172	1	27000	1	4500	1739	778	8500	75	105	50	75	..	4	30	..	34	30	3	108	86	..	34	..
Epworth.	4	28	..	..	4	...	1	8	75	..	....	..	....	....	....	....	10	...	...	10	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	20	..	..	...	..
Goode Avenue.	26	190	..	..	8	4	1	25	225	1	9000	..	....	....	....	....	55	...	...	55	..	12	5	..	17	16	2	45	..	..	50	10
Harlem Place	34	89	..	..	...	1	1	20	129	1	3800	1	3300	84	....	1500	34	...	...	35	..	10	..	..	10	11	1	...	..	..	...	..
J'gs-Wel'n Pk.	24	33	1	..	4	7	2	16	108	2	5000	..	....	90	....	750	6	...	...	6	..	..	2	..	2	3	..	...	..	..	...	..
Lindell Avenue	26	343	1	7	11	7	1	26	190	1	135000	1	15000	800	....	....	686	...	100	648	..	45	100	..	145	185	7	373	517	15	1144	55
Maple Avenue.	22	540	..	2	10	5	1	36	300	1	75000	1	7500	375	3052	15900	220	...	50	225	52	..	23	..	23	83	4	495	147	157	520	..
Maplewood.	22	132	2	2	12	4	1	19	181	1	7500	..	....	36	400	2000	13	...	4	20	..	3	10	..	13	10	1	...	..	..	...	1
Neidringhaus	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	....	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
O'nd P.-W't P.	6	21	..	..	2	2	1	8	47	..	....	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
St. Lukes.	19	151	..	2	7	5	1	22	267	1	9000	1	8000	140	....	7000	34	...	42	34	..	5	14	..	19	14	1	...	29	15	80	..
Shrewsburg Pk.	6	40	..	..	...	...	1	9	60	1	1500	..	....	....	....	....	4	...	...	4	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Trinity.	46	274	..	4	25	4	1	34	400	1	25000	..	....	175	....	....	80	...	...	80	..	..	24	..	24	24	..	119	..	..	104	10
Tuxedo Park.	..	76	2	..	10	1	1	13	78	1	1800	..	....	....	....	....	30	...	20	30	..	4	18	..	22	7	1	...	2	..	...	..
Union.	16	665	1	11	20	12	1	46	327	1	45000	1	4500	253	....	....	900	270	240	800	..	27	150	..	177	170	10	569	153	73	2303	35
Wagoner Mem	30	267	1	1	15	12	1	33	380	1	40000	..	....	700	....	9800	80	...	...	80	..	10	14	..	24	24	2	...	..	..	...	..
Winsor.	77	104	4	..	7	15	2	17	215	1	15500	1	4000	670	340	7250	30	...	...	30	..	8	..	..	8	8	..	27	..	..	...	..
Salem.	6	62	..	..	...	1	1	10	52	2	2000	1	1000	72	....	....	3	...	...	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Sligo.	14	80	1	2	...	1	1	11	123	1	1000	1	600	....	....	....	25	...	...	25	..	1	..	..	1	7	1	...	..	..	...	..
Sullivan.	10	90	..	2	1	5	1	7	70	1	1000	..	....	....	....	....	5	...	...	5	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	...	..	..	...	2
	559	4209	19	39	184	115	28	413	4556	27	456900	10	48900	5482	8221	65150	2423	410	542	2253	52	151	405	3	565	631	37	1945	936	283	4239	129

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Cuba.	(W. Ward Smith)	* 400	72	472	400	72	472	....	40	40	2	2	514	10	...	10	40	60
Pacific.	(A. W. Hamilton)	* 360	....	360	340	....	340	20	40	40	3	1	381	6	...	6	80	60
St. Louis—Bowman.	W. C. Coleman	1500	....	1500	1500	....	1500	....	100	100	15	6	1606	23	...	25	754	281
Calvary.	(R. N. Jones)	600	....	600	600	....	600	....	30	30	2	2	632	...	5	5	75	24
Carondelet.	Wm. Latherman	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	75	75	10	10	1085	18	...	18	315	244
Dr. Fry Memorial.	Eli P. Anderson	1300	430	1720	1300	420	1720	....	120	120	20	20	1860	30	...	30	426	216
Epworth.	M. L. Curl	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	2	2	5	...	5	25	25
Goode Avenue.	H. C. Leonard	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	80	80	10	10	1290	20	...	20	250	200
Harlem Place.	Thos. H. Corkill	* 700	300	1000	700	300	1000	....	60	60	5	5	1065	15	...	15	179	93
Jennings & Wellston Pk.	(P. O. Purcell)	300	....	300	354	....	354	....	20	18	2	1	373	1	...	1	125	85
Lindell Avenue.	Fayette L. Thompson	4000	1000	5000	4000	1000	5000	....	450	450	110	110	5560	300	...	300	7400	350
Maple Avenue.	Edwin B. Randle	2500	500	3000	2500	500	3000	....	225	225	50	50	3275	75	...	75	2210	330
Maplewood.	David R. Martin	1000	....	1000	950	....	950	50	50	42	5	1	993	5	...	5	100	175
Neidringhaus.	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	....	...
Ov'l'd Pk. & W'ln't Pk.	(P. O. Purcell)	....	....	....	71	....	71	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	85	34
St. Lukes.	John W. Borah	1000	300	1300	1000	300	1300	....	85	85	10	10	1395	15	...	15	122	180
Shrewsburg Park.	(Henry Tudor)	400	....	400	375	....	375	25	30	30	3	1	406	2	...	2	45	70
Trinity.	Ralph Wakefield	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	105	105	15	15	1320	20	...	20	850	271
Tuxedo Park.	Wm. L. Gray	* 650	....	650	675	....	675	....	45	45	5	5	725	10	...	10	128	70
Union.	Naphtali Luccock.	3600	600	4200	3600	600	4200	....	400	400	100	100	4700	250	...	250	5590	431
Wagoner Memorial.	A. D. Ball	1600	....	1600	1550	....	1550	50	100	100	15	15	1665	25	...	25	675	200
Winsor.	Robt. T. Smith.	800	500	1300	760	500	1260	40	90	67	5	1	1568	3	...	3	425	133
	Asst. E. O. Smith	* 500	....	500	420	....	420	80	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	....	...
Salem.	H. L. Harvey	....	....	....	106	18	124	....	30	30	2	2	156	5	...	5	25	30
Sligo.	Peter R. Hoos	* 650	100	750	720	100	820	....	40	40	3	3	863	5	...	5	75	50
Sullivan.	(John Glotfelty)	* 260	....	260	245	....	245	15	35	30	2	1	276	2	...	2	40	40
		25520	3792	29312	25566	3810	29376	280	2250	2212	396	373	31710	847	5	852	20639	3552

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Alberta.	11	124	..	..	...	...	2	15	90	4	3200	1	550	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Appleton City ..	10	204	..	..	3	7	1	18	163	2	7500	1	100	1475	....	900	40	...	25	30	..	3	16	..	19	25	..	80	..	..	16	3
Clinton.	8	414	1	5	2	25	1	30	300	1	19000	..	....	....	1549	765	77	90	86	77	..	6	40	..	46	40	..	76	..	..	10	..
Deepwater.	20	240	..	1	...	21	3	25	240	3	5000	1	800	350	....	500	47	5	10	56	..	3	20	2	25	19	2	10	10	2	...	..
Dresden.	5	119	..	2	6	...	2	20	107	2	3000	1	800	36	....	....	13	...	4	15	6	3	2	..	5	3	..	..	..	..	5	2
Eldorado Springs	16	218	1	4	3	9	1	18	275	1	5000	1	1000	55	....	....	55	15	20	55	..	9	24	..	33	21	1	15	..	..	15	..
Circuit.	3	72	1	2	...	...	3	18	80	2	1900	..	....	15	....	....	5	...	...	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..
Green Ridge. . .	7	158	1	1	...	3	3	31	140	3	5000	1	600	96	....	....	13	...	2	2	..	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	19	..
Huntingdale. ...	9	153	..	..	...	9	2	16	95	3	4700	1	800	200	....	....	24	...	2	24	..	4	7	..	11	10	..	17	..	..	...	3
Knob Noster. ...	1	151	..	5	...	1	1	9	35	5	4480	1	520	247	....	....	42	61	...	42	..	..	14	..	14	13	1	...	..	..	1	4
Lincoln & W's'w	3	35	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	1	1800	1	600	282	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	5
Malta Bend. . .	3	137	1	..	1	5	2	16	100	2	2500	1	700	160	....	....	28	...	6	27	..	8	9	..	17	7	..	...	..	..	...	3
Marshall.	12	136	2	4	4	5	1	14	100	1	11000	..	....	20	....	....	20	...	...	20	..	3	7	..	10	7	1	...	..	..	...	5
Montrose.	10	126	1	1	3	5	3	20	100	4	4400	1	600	26	....	....	34	...	6	33	..	..	11	..	11	9	..	...	..	..	...	3
Odessa.	40	150	1	..	...	...	2	20	150	3	6000	1	1000	80	....	....	5	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	1
Pilot Grove.	...	99	..	1	...	3	1	13	80	1	1300	1	700	120	....	....	33	...	9	18	..	8	6	..	14	6	..	...	..	..	26	4
Rockville.	11	135	..	3	2	1	3	18	100	3	3300	1	800	40	....	....	...	7	...	...	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Schell City.	33	231	..	3	2	33	2	26	140	2	2800	1	800	90	....	....	50	20	...	50	..	4	16	..	20	16	2	...	..	..	39	..
Sedalia Epyorth.	40	280	1	1	...	30	2	20	225	2	14000	1	2000	71	400	1500	20	...	10	22	..	3	4	..	7	5	2	3	..	..	14	2
First Church .	100	620	1	6	10	52	1	40	400	1	40000	..	....	200	....	....	100	...	100	100	..	13	50	..	63	51	5	275	..	..	300	..
Smithton.	3	237	..	1	10	2	1	14	160	1	4000	1	1200	300	....	....	65	...	10	75	..	6	28	..	34	24	3	53	..	..	63	..
Tipton.	16	127	1	3	1	5	1	16	80	2	6950	1	800	105	....	....	52	...	16	52	..	15	22	..	37	18	..	74	..	..	15	..
Urich.	6	186	..	2	...	6	2	18	140	3	5700	..	....	2164	100	960	8	...	2	4	..	10	..	..	10	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Warrensburg . ..	10	415	2	4	5	9	1	25	275	1	20000	1	3000	971	....	....	75	20	16	65	..	..	38	..	38	33	2	113	..	..	35	10
Windsor.	6	175	..	1	3	...	1	15	125	1	3500	2	1500	....	....	....	10	...	5	16	..	2	..	..	3	..	..	7	..	..	...	..
	383	4952	14	50	55	231	42	475	3700	54	186130	21	18870	7211	2049	4625	826	218	328	784	12	107	314	2	421	307	19	723	10	2	558	45

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Alberta.	(C. W. Richards)	* 300	24	324	....	....	....	....	34	....	...	...	....	...	...	...	....	...
Appleton City.	Perry E. Pierce	940	60	1000	940	60	1000	....	105	105	10	10	1115	12	...	12	165	120
Clinton.	D. L. Thomas	1400	....	1400	1400	....	1400	....	147	147	14	14	1561	34	...	34	275	150
Deepwater.	H. P. Barnes	700	....	700	700	....	700	....	74	72	8	8	780	16	...	16	150	80
Dresden.	Laban Anderson.	475	50	525	439	50	489	36	55	51	6	3	543	4	...	4	55	50
Eldorado Springs.	L. L. Brannon	710	90	800	710	90	880	....	84	84	9	9	893	18	...	18	178	86
Eldorado Springs Circuit.	(I. M. Galbraith)	170	....	170	60	....	60	110	18	15	3	1	76	...	4	4	20	30
Green Ridge.	J. W. Farr.	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	58	58	7	7	615	2	...	2	70	44
Huntingdale.	G. W. VanBuskirk	500	50	550	505	50	555	....	58	58	7	7	620	12	...	12	75	31
Knob Noster.	J. C. Stille	* 410	60	470	354	60	414	56	49	43	4	5	462	10	...	10	30	25
Lincoln & Warsaw.	(Ray C. Walker)	* 200	50	250	100	50	151	99	26	18	9	2	171	...	...	...	....	...
Malta Bend.	J. M. Carter	800	75	875	800	75	875	....	92	79	10	3	957	10	...	10	77	46
Marshall	G. W. Shepherd	* 1080	....	1080	1000	180	1180	....	113	90	5	5	1275	7	...	7	185	30
Montrose.	(M. L. Stille)	* 300	50	350	242	50	292	58	37	31	5	4	327	9	...	9	40	34
Odessa.	A. A. Babbitt	* 550	80	630	200	80	280	350	66	39	8	2	321	...	...	...	30	20
Pilot Grove.	J. M. Mason	450	50	500	461	50	511	....	53	53	6	6	570	9	...	9	45	23
Rockville.	Geo. T. Beard	* 460	60	520	304	60	364	156	55	33	6	...	397	4	9	13	50	40
Schell City.	Clinton Senneff.	550	60	610	484	60	544	66	64	57	8	6	607	14	...	14	100	60
Sedalia Epworth.	Clarke Baker.	800	200	1000	800	200	1000	....	105	105	10	2	1107	10	...	10	270	80
Sedalia First Church.	S. S. Martin.	1700	....	1700	1700	....	1700	....	179	179	18	18	1897	52	...	52	700	300
Smithton.	F. S. Beggs	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	84	84	10	10	894	20	...	20	125	45
Tipton.	R. A. Hunt	625	50	675	625	50	675	....	71	71	7	7	753	15	...	15	166	40
Urich.	(J. D. Hollister)	* 400	....	400	369	....	369	31	42	35	6	...	404	4	...	4	58	48
Warrensburg.	G. J. Hunt	1050	150	1200	1050	150	1200	....	126	126	13	13	1339	34	...	34	397	80
Windsor.	S. W. McClure	* 500	100	600	600	100	700	....	63	63	8	2	765	17	...	17	90	56
		16270	1409	17679	15044	1565	16609	962	1858	1696	201	144	18249	313	13	326	3311	1538

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	Probations.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness	Church	Special Gifts.	Sunday School not Divided.	Church	Special Gifts.	Children's Fund.	Church.	Sunday School	Total.	Local Education	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen. Conf. Expenses.
Ash Grove.	4	120	..	5	1	4	2	15	110	3	3700	1	800	100	....	342	8	...	...	6	..	3	6	..	9	6	1	...	..	..	53	..
Aurora.	28	145	..	3	10	24	1	22	200	1	3000	..	....	200	....	....	33	...	...	33	..	6	..	..	6	14	1	24	..	..	12	4
Billings.	2	136	..	1	1	3	1	21	200	1	2100	1	300	175	50	....	16	...	7	10	..	2	6	..	8	15	1	...	15	..	...	4
Bolivar.	15	231	..	3	1	14	2	24	155	2	4500	1	1500	45	....	....	50	...	...	50	..	20	..	..	20	23	2	29	3	..	41	..
Cassville.	4	152	1	..	...	...	1	14	40	3	3200	1	300	....	....	150	...	...	...	11	..	1	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	4	6
Clever Circuit...	15	227	2	3	5	21	1	10	80	3½	2400	..	....	152	....	....	...	...	...	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	...	..	5	...	..
Dadeville.	8	75	1	..	6	...	2	20	75	5	4400	1	600	345	....	100	1	...	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	...	..	..	...	..
Fair Play.	24	122	3	7	4	20	1	13	80	3	4000	1	600	150	....	....	7	4	5	20	..	3	7	3	13	14	1	...	..	..	20	..
Galena.	7	128	..	..	...	...	1	12	94	3	3500	..	....	....	....	....	5	1	...	10	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Golden City. . .	2	116	1	1	...	...	1	20	125	1	4000	1	1000	250	....	....	38	...	7	45	..	5	8	..	13	12	2	...	..	..	8	..
Greenfield.	48	192	2	2	...	17	1	24	262	1	1800	1	300	130	....	....	...	...	31	32	..	2	10	..	12	20	1	16	..	..	7	..
Humansville. ...	49	168	1	1	3	9	1	14	150	1	2500	1	600	287	....	....	10	...	...	10	..	3	...	..	3	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
La Russel	32	190	1	..	5	16	3	25	150	4	3800	..	....	425	200	200	18	...	...	18	..	4	...	..	4	10	1	...	..	..	...	2
Lockwood.	6	173	2	2	...	3	1	29	185	1	2200	1	825	59	....	....	27	...	22	27	..	12	...	..	12	15	1	15	2	..	...	4
Marionville. . ..	15	270	4	2	...	8	1	20	250	1	3000	1	700	....	....	300	24	...	40	24	..	..	14	..	14	32	1	71	18	30	5618	..
Marionville Ct...	1	80	..	..	...	...	2	9	65	4	4200	..	....	27	60	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	3	..
Marshfield.	6	140	..	..	...	6	1	16	100	1	2500	1	600	450	....	209	42	...	...	42	..	10	8	..	18	16	2	40	..	..	45	..
Monett.	40	207	1	1	3	33	1	21	200	1	3000	1	1500	40	....	....	35	...	30	65	..	28	...	..	28	20	2	35	..	15	28	..
Mount Vernon..	14	104	1	..	2	4	1	14	145	1	6000	1	1000	125	....	....	40	...	...	40	..	18	...	..	18	12	1	...	31	..	125	..
Osceola.	3	230	..	..	1	1	2	27	235	2	1000	1	1200	26	1500	1000	42	...	23	65	..	8	20	..	28	23	2	61	..	..	...	10
Peirce C'y, Purdy	19	117	2	3	...	5	2	29	152	2	4000	1	1000	30	....	100	4	...	10	14	..	4	4	..	4	8	..	...	..	..	9	3
Republic.	...	100	..	1	...	15	1	10	130	1	3000	1	500	20	....	....	10	...	9	...	..	4	...	..	4	..	1	...	..	..	5	..
Springfi'd Benton	23	140	3	2	5	6	1	30	283	1	16000	1	4000	250	....	190	40	...	...	40	..	10	...	..	10	10	2	47	126	..	105	..
Daily.	6	128	..	..	...	...	1	22	105	1	12000	1	1400	50	....	498	14	...	3	14	..	3	...	..	3	8	1	...	..	..	10	5
Grace.	11	640	..	3	14	21	1	32	228	1	30000	1	5000	1600	....	900	184	500	...	184	..	12	20	..	32	60	2	111	230	242	350	20
Mt. Carmel. ..	31	135	2	..	3	20	2	26	260	2	3600	1	1500	217	26	434	...	...	...	...	..	7	...	..	7	..	..	...	..	..	...	..
Springfield Ct...	15	97	..	..	...	10	1	8	40	3	3000	..	....	50	....	....	3	...	...	3	..	1	...	..	1	1	..	...	..	..	...	4
Stockton.	88	220	1	1	1	13	2	20	145	4	4500	1	700	93	....	....	12	...	3	20	..	5	...	..	5	...	..	8	..	..	...	2
Weaubleau. . ..	8	130	1	3	...	5	3	21	140	3½	4000	1	450	300	....	....	1	...	...	1	..	3	...	..	3	...	..	...	..	..	...	2
Taneyville.	2	28	1	..	...	1	1	8	25	1	500	..	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	..	...	..	...	..	..	...	..
	526	5041	30	44	65	279	41	576	4409	62	145400	23	26375	5596	1836	4423	644	505	195	786	..	177	106	3	286	324	25	457	425	292	6443	66

STATISTICS NO. III. SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGES.	NAMES OF PASTORS. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )		PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bishops Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Exp. Current Church, Sextion, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Ash Grove	(J. L. Medsker)	*	425	60	485	411	60	471	14	57	38	5	2	511	5	...	5	61	57
Aurora	(R. W. Moore)	*	720	....	720	537	120	657	63	80	72	9	7	736	10	...	10	117	111
Billings	J. F. King	*	360	32	392	360	32	392	....	48	48	5	5	445	10	...	10	49	67
Bolivar	D. T. Simmons		800	75	875	800	75	....	96	96	96	10	5	976	20	...	20	95	65
Cassville	(F. A. Piper)	*	300	60	360	170	60	230	130	43	26	4	...	256	...	...	...	30	40
Clever Circuit	James Lokey		225	....	225	250	....	250	....	25	27	3	...	277	1	...	1	50	10
Dadeville	(S. M. Shaw)	*	350	50	400	60	50	110	290	50	....	5	...	110	...	...	...	10	8
Fair Play	(J. C. Gilbreath)	*	425	60	485	375	60	435	50	57	57	5	4	496	12	...	12	57	40
Galena	(J. W. Frisbie)	*	300	....	300	207	....	207	93	39	20	4	1	228	2	...	2	44	45
Golden City	Guy Z. Moore		600	100	700	650	100	750	....	77	77	8	8	835	15	...	15	100	70
Greenfield	W. O. Turrentine		600	60	660	493	60	553	107	72	72	8	...	625	...	...	...	100	80
Humansville	(L. E. Lurvey)	*	400	50	450	350	50	400	50	50	....	5	...	400	...	...	...	60	50
La Russel	(M. H. Keast)	*	300	....	300	300	....	300	....	33	37	4	2	339	5	...	5	120	50
Lockwood	W. J. Simmons	*	560	75	635	560	75	635	....	74	74	5	5	714	10	...	10	65	73
Marionville	F. P. Leckliter		800	60	860	800	60	860	....	94	94	9	9	963	18	...	18	100	80
Marionville Circuit	(C. G. Davis)	*	240	....	240	150	....	150	90	26	7	3	...	157	...	...	...	15	20
Marshfield	C. F. Tippin		500	50	550	525	50	575	....	60	62	7	7	644	14	...	14	125	45
Monett	A. M. Livingston		800	100	900	808	100	908	....	99	99	11	11	1018	20	...	20	150	75
Mount Vernon	E. W. Elayer		1000	60	1060	1000	60	1060	....	117	117	7	7	1184	8	...	8	100	80
Osceola	W. S. Courtney		700	100	800	700	100	800	....	88	88	10	10	898	16	...	16	60	55
Pierce City & Purdy	W. T. Pare	*	375	40	415	375	40	415	....	49	50	6	4	469	7	...	7	95	90
Republic	M. A. Kerr		450	50	500	450	50	500	....	55	39	6	...	539	...	...	...	100	60
Sprinfield—Benton Ave.	H. B. Foster		1000	240	1240	1000	240	1240	....	136	136	12	12	1388	20	...	20	200	150
Daily	W. R. Peters		650	200	850	396	200	596	254	93	66	10	5	667	5	...	5	102	61
Grace	J. W. Stewart		1800	300	2100	1800	300	2100	....	231	231	20	20	2351	60	500	560	1040	225
Mt. Carmel	C. E. Wharton		700	120	820	545	120	665	155	98	46	6	...	711	4	...	4	125	105
Springfield Circuit	(D. Keaton)	*	215	....	215	137	....	137	78	26	18	4	...	155	1	...	1	....	10
Stockton	L. R. Nichols	*	430	48	478	385	48	433	45	58	53	7	2	488	6	...	6	54	36
Weaubleau	F. W. P. Camp	*	400	24	424	300	24	324	100	52	35	5	5	364	...	...	...	90	80
Taneyville	(T. B. Griffin)		16425	2014	18439	14894	2134	17128	1519	2088	1785	203	131	19044	269	500	764	3314	1938

* Have missionary appropriations.

STATICTICS NOS. I. AND IV. RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	Membership.				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			CHURCH PROPERTY.							BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS																
																	MISSIONS.					Education, F. A. & S. S.								W.H.M Soc.			
																	Foreign			Home& Ch. Ex.			Colleo tions.										
	Probations.	Full Members.	Local Preachers.	Deaths.	Children.	Adults.	No. of Schools.	Officers & Teachers.	Scholars.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for Building and Improvements.	Paid on Old Indebtedness.	Present Indebtedness	Church	Special Gifts.	Sunday School not Divided.	Church	Special Gitts.	Children's Fund.	Church.	Sunday School	Total.	Local Education	Am. Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Gen. Conf. Expenses.
Carthage. .	689	5987	13	67	46	448	54	773	6498	57½	199200	25	37125	4834	6205	25489	1148	78	500	1075	..	210	252	16	478	403	17	1072	7	82	1412	113
Farmington.	262	2987	29	40	71	127	47	368	3381	64½	109550	14	13000	17551	2558	8938	190	25	157	226	5	45	45	4	94	357	9	44	22	15	80	46
Kansas City	426	6940	6	21	119	226	35	655	5515	37	581100	13	35200	15956	13058	80202	2125	75	606	2065	..	226	497	7	730	503	62	2738	921	554	2279	220
Lebanon. . .	407	3685	32	43	23	211	47	422	2899	71¾	85975	20	14660	3942	177	548	317	16	44	365	10	53	76	5	134	106	6	37	30	23	24	44
St. Louis. .	559	4209	19	39	184	115	28	493	4556	27	456900	10	48900	5482	8221	65150	2423	410	542	2253	52	157	405	3	565	631	37	1945	936	283	4239	129
Sedalia. .	383	4952	14	50	55	231	42	475	3700	54	186130	21	18870	7211	2049	4625	826	218	323	784	12	107	314	2	423	307	19	723	10	2	558	45
Springfield.	526	5041	30	44	65	279	41	576	4409	65	145400	23	26375	5596	1836	4423	664	505	195	786	..	177	106	3	286	324	25	457	425	292	6443	66
Totals.	3252	33801	143	304	563	1737	294	3762	30958	376¾	1764255	126	194120	60572	34104	189375	7688	1327	2367	7554	79	975	1695	40	2710	2631	175	7016	2351	1251	15035	663
Tls last yr.	3490	32917	128	355	542	1400	301	3832	30457	376½	1705120	124	182550	97304	35131	171455	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	229	10794	10794	918	39436	..
Increase. .	...	884	15	...	21	337	..	...	501	....	59135	2	11570	....	....	17920	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	..	....	....	333	....	..
Decrease. .	238	....	...	51	..	...	7	70	....	¼	.....	..	....	36732	1027	....	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..	...	...	54	3778	8443	...	24401	..

STATISTICS NO. III.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Presiding Elders Apportioned.	Paid.	Bishops Apportioned.	Paid.	Total Support Pastors, Presiding Elders and Bishops.	Conf. Claimants. Rec'd From Collections.	Other Sources.	Total.	Exp. Current Church, Sextion, Light, Fuel, Etc.	Sunday School, Lesson Leaves, Books, Etc.
Carthage	20445	2675	23120	19280	2675	21855	418	2306	2137	287	223	24111	419	60	479	5117	2860
Farmington	12470	1430	13900	10403	1430	11833	2067	1500	1374	110	64	13271	132	...	132	1206	1145
Kansas City	32315	2400	34715	31726	2400	34126	698	3270	3130	451	291	37547	949	10	959	14783	4430
Lebanon	9970	1087	12057	8828	1096	9924	2183	1456	1259	112	67	11250	164	9	173	1092	974
Sedalia	16270	1409	17679	15044	1565	16609	962	1858	1696	201	144	18249	313	13	326	3311	1538
St. Louis	25520	3792	29312	25566	3810	29376	280	2250	2212	396	373	31710	847	5	852	20039	3552
Springfield	16425	2014	18439	14894	2134	17128	1519	2088	1785	203	131	19044	269	500	769	3314	1938
Totals	133415	14807	148222	125741	15110	140851	8127	14728	13583	1760	1293	155182	3093	597	3690	48862	16437
Totals for last year	128708	13702	142410	121581	14611	136172	7615	13872	13257	1504	1200	149927	2951	77	3028	44875	14721
Increase	4707	1105	6812	4160	499	3679	512	856	326	256	93	5155	142	520	662	3987	1716
Decrease	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...	...	...	....	....

CONFERENCE ROLL AND RECORD

NAMES. * Non. Effective. ** Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST OFFICES. All in Missouri Unless Otherwise Stated.
Anderson, Eli P.	1888	1888	Clinton Heights, St. Louis
Anderson, Laban.	1891	1904	Dresden
Ashley, John,*	1872	1872	Bloomfield
Babbitt, Homer A.*	1888	1888	Baldwin, Kans.
Baird, Edwin H.*	1859	1865	Marionville
Baker, Clarke	1892	1893	Malta Bend
Baker, Wm. F.	1880	1880	High Point
Baker, Wm. Frank	1904	1904	Springfield
Ball, Albert D.	1891	1891	4583 Gibson Ave., St. Louis
Barnes, Henry P.		1908	Deepwater
Barker, Joel A.	1875	1901	708 W. 9th St., Kansas City
Barton, H. Arthur		1908	Kansas City
Bechtel, Geo. C.	1904	1904	Licking
Beggs, Francis S.	1859	1859	Smithton
Bell, Mordecai,*	1877	1877	Golden City
Bickers, William H.**	1908	1908	Flat River
Bitler, Jas. S.	1878	1899	215 E. 65 th Place, Chicago, Ill.
Boner, John H.**	1905	1905	Carthage
Borah, Jno. W.	1894	1905	St. Louis
Brannon, Landor L.	1900	1900	Eldorado Springs
Brewington, Jas. B.	1880	1880	Richland
Britton, J. Wesley	1895	1907	Austin
Brown, Walter E.	1904	1904	4312 E. 25th St., Kansas City
Buck, Noble H.*	1870	1870	Seneca
Campbell, Stephen B.	1887	1903	2625 E. 50th St., Kans. City
Carlos, Charles R.	1889	1900	Kansas City
Carpenter, Lewis R.	1874	1874	Baldwin, Kansas
Carter, Jos. M.	1870	1906	Appleton City
Caughlin, J. Will	1894	1908	Nevada
Chatten, William K.	1902	1906	Drexel
Claypool, Earnest V.	1886	1907	1704 Prospect Ave., Kans. City
Coleman, William C.	1893	1896	St. Louis
Collins, Wm. K.*	1876	1883	Lee's Summit
Coontz, Jno. W.	1898	1908	3912 E. 18th St., Kansas City.
Cotton, Carleton T.**	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kans.
Courtney, William S.	1887	1908	Osceola
Creamer, Wesley M.*	1874	1886	3730 Park Ave., Kansas City
Criss, Curtiss V.	1877	1877	Butler
Crow, David W.	1881	1881	1724 Byers Ave., Joplin

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Dixon, Artie M.	1900	1904	Sarcoxie
Dubois, F. E.		1908	Cabool
Dutton, Dean C.		1908	Webb City
Elayer, Edward W.	1897	1907	Mt. Vernon
Farr, Jesse W.**	1904	1907	Deniel, Texas
Ferguson, Wm. T.*	1898	1898	
Fiedler, Jos. H.	1887	1906	
Finley, John W.*	1869	1869	730 Reynolds Ave., Kansas City
Foster, Geo. M.	1890	1890	Hume
Foster, Henry B.	1889	1895	1610 Benton Ave., Springfield
French, Silas A.	1884	1895	Neosho
Fry, Chas. D.*	1857	1887	Cabool
Galbraith, Isaac M.*	1881	1881	Eldorado Springs, R. F. D. N. 2
Getty, Frederick	1889	1907	Carterville
Gideon, Geo. H.	1878	1890	Hillsboro
Gideon, Thomas J.	1882	1890	Bloomfield
Gillespie, Jno. H.	1873	1873	Basin, Wyo.
Glens, Geo. A.	1886	1907	Adrian
Gray, Wm. L.	1905	1905	Sligo
Hagerty, Thos. H.	1855	1863	1909 N. Grand Ave., St. Louis
Hallock, Leander *	1853	1877	Clifton Heights, St. Louis
Hall, Jno. E.	1901	1901	
Halterman, Chas. H.	1898	1903	Goldfield, Nevada
Harris, Jacob S.*	1870	1892	Cuba
Harris, Joseph. *	1862	1888	Boston, Mass.
Harrison, Cyrus L.*	1904	1904	Neosha
Harvey, Henry T.*	1897	1903	Salem
Hughes, Matt. S.	1888	1899	2411 Indep. Blvd., Kans. City
Hughey, Geo. W.*	1850	1879	Galena
Humphrey, Harry G.	1896	1896	Kans. City
Hunt, Enoch J.	1878	1878	Carthage
Hunt, Geo. J.	1893	1893	Warrensburg
Hurley, Jno. H.*	1881	1893	Crawford, Colorado
James, Chas. C.	1891	1907	442 Kimborough St., Springfield
Jeffrey, Thos. W.	1890	1903	Carthage
Jones, Samuel *	1873	1873	Clinton
Jones, Wm. F.	1887	1887	Sedalia
Jones, Harvey A.	1891	1893	3210 Charlotte St., Kans. City
Jones, Burrel D.	1878	1894	Seymour

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Keast, Alfred C.	1899	1899	Richhill
King, Harry A.	1898	1906	Baldwin, Kas.
Kirk, J. Caleb	1904	1904	Jasper
Knease, Thos. H.*	1872	1884	Seymour
Koeth, Edward D. C.*	1896	1896	1369 Michigan St., Buffalo, N. Y.
Larrabee, Chas. B.		1908	Tuxedo Park, St. Louis
Leatherman, Wm.	1887	1900	St. Louis
Leckliter, Francis P.	1899	1899	Marionville
Leonard, Harry C.	1902	1905	St. Louis
Lint, R. H.*		1908	Golden City
Livingstone, Alva M.	1903	1905	West Plains
Lokey, James.	1879	1889	Clever
Luccock, Nephtali.	1874	1897	615 Carrison Ave., St. Louis
Lunbeck, Isaac J. K.	1870	1870	3918 E. 18th, St. Louis
Mais, Henry G.	1892	1895	Independence
Martin, John J.	1878	1878	Lamar
Martin, Sebern S.	1877	1902	403 W. 5th St., Kansas City
May, Andrew J.	1904	1904	East Lynne
McClure, Sylvester W.	1877	1901	2720 Holmes St., Kanssa City
McCormack, Wm. R.	1894	1894	Farmington
McGurk, Daniel.	1888	1906	1326 Forest Ave., Kansas City
Miller, Edwin F.**	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kans.
Miller, Aaron H.*	1873	1890	4620 Cooke Ave., St. Louis
Mitchell, Chas. A.**	1896	1896	
Mitchell, Henry A.	1900	1900	Lebanon
Moore, Floyd O.	1904	1904	Belton
Moore, Jno. N.	1874	1907	Marionville
Needham, John W.	1890	1890	Mountain Grove
Neff, Frank.	1901	1901	509 West Fourth St., Joplin
Niblack, Basil E.	1892	1897	Oak Grove
Nichols, L. R.	1904	1904	Sheldon
Odom, John F.**	1906	1906	Kansas City
Oechsli, Frank, *	1872	1872	Baldwin Kans.
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Osbron, Andrew T.	1889	1907	Kansas City
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Ridgway, David C.*	1863	1896	66 Pearl St., Springfield, O.
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Simmons, David T.	1892	1892	Bolivar
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Smith, Hervey. *	1887	1887	Jamestown, Ohio
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Squier, Edgar A.*	1862	1900	Atlanta, Ill.
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Stillman, Sylvester, B.		1908	Eldon
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Templeton, Rufus B.	1892	1895	Holden
Thackrey, John E.	1894	1901	St. Louis
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1	Chas. V. Bigler	1907	Garden City
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Re-Adopted March 17, 1909.

I. The Conference shall meet at 8:30 o'clock a. m. and hold religious services for half an hour, and adjourn at 12 m.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate (except that the President may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member requests it, and no report from committees shall be recieved until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene—namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for pervious questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till everyone desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a question has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and it two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless for special reasons the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer, and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of the Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instruction? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

XV. The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, and the Officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the Officers and Managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitious Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned, of what kind and value. 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 17, 1909.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its forty-first session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Sedalia, Missouri, March 17, 1909, Bishop William F. Anderson, presiding.

Opening Service—The Conference was called to order by the Bishop at 8:30 a. m. Hymn No. 556 beginning "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," was announced and sung.

The Bishop read from the Scripture, John 1:1-18 and offered prayer, concluding with The Lord's Prayer in which the congregation joined.

The Bishop, assisted by the District Superintendents and the pastor administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Address of Welcome—S. S. Martin introduced the Hon. E. E. Johnston, an Official Member of this Church, who delivered an inspiring address of welcome.

Bishop Anderson responded on behalf of the Conference.

Gift—T. H. Hagerty presented to Bishop Anderson a New Testament on the back of which were inlaid pieces of wood from five historic Methodist Churches. The Bishop feelingly responded.

N. Luccock briefly congratulated the Bishop.

Roll Call—Perry E. Pierce, the Secretary of the last session of the Conference called the roll and the following members were present, viz.:

E. P. Anderson, Laban Anderson, Wm. F. Baker, Wm. Frank Baker, A. D. Ball, H. P. Barnes, G. C. Bechtel, F. S.

Beggs, W. H. Bickers, J. H. Boner, J. W. Borah, L. L. Brannon, W. E. Brown, S. B. Campbell, C. R. Carlos, J. M. Carter, J. W. Caughlan, W. K. Chatten, E. V. Claypool, J. W. Coontz, W. S. Courtney, C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, A. M. Dixon, F. E. Dubois, D. C. Dutton, E. W. Elayer, J. H. Fiedler, J. W. Finley, G. M. Foster, H. B. Foster, S. A. French, Frederick Getty, G. H. Gideon, T. J. Gideon, G. H. Gillespie, G. L. Gray, T. H. Hagerty, G. W. Hughey, H. G. Humphrey, E. J. Hunt, G. J. Hunt, C. C. James, Samuel Jones, W. F. Jones, H. A. Jones, B. D. Jones, A. G. Keast, H. A. King, J. C. Kirk, Wm. Leatherman, F. P. Leckliter, H. C. Leonard, R. H. Lint, A. M. Livingstone, N. Luccock, I. J. K. Lunbeck, M. H. Lichliter, H. G. Mais, J. J. Martin, S. S. Martin, W. R. McCormack, Daniel McGurk, H. A. Mitchell, F. O. Moore, J. W. Needham, Frank Neff, B. E. Niblack, L. R. Nichols, J. F. Odom, Frank Oechsli, A. T. Osbron, W. T. Pare, P. E. Pierce, J. S. Porter, W. L. Requa, E. T. Rice, E. H. Sapp, Clinton Senneff, T. P. Shaffer, W. D. Sidman, D. T. Simmons, F. W. Simpson, J. W. Slusher, Julius Smith, E. A. Squier, Wm. Stephens, S. F. Stevens, J. W. Stewart, O. M. Stewart, J. C. Stille, O. V. Suter, J. E. Thackrey, R. B. Templeton, G. B. Thomas, L. M. Thompson, C. F. Tippin, Samuel Warner, John Welch, C. E. Wharton, W. T. Wright, W. F. Yeager.

Probationers—C. E. Ferguson, F. W. P. Camp, J. F. King, C. A. Gilbreath, T. G. Peterson, L. H. Sweetland, J. M. Mason, C. V. Bryan, R. A. Hunt, W. O. Tolbart, E. L. Spiller, C. V. Bigler, Milus Womack, E. O. Smith, Edward Bridwell, J. A. McFarland, Carl Stevenson, Clair G. Davis, V. H. Henderson, M. L. Stille, R. C. Walker, J. W. Frisbie.

Introduction—The following brethren were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Luther Freeman, M. H. Lichliter, W. N. Gaither, J. P. Martin, L. H. Smith, W. D. Price, H. S. Adams, W. T. Cummins, H. W. Hargett, Samuel E. Betts, Evans, R. K. Calloway; and the following members of the Missouri Conference, W. F. Burress, J. T. Pierce, a District Superintendent, and R. R. Witten.

Bar—The bar of the Conference was fixed to include all the pews in front the gallery.

Organization—On nomination of W. F. Jones, Perry E. Pierce was re-elected Secretary and on his nomination Thomas P. Shaffer and E. O. Smith were elected assistants.

On nomination of C. C. James, W. D. Sidman was re-elected Statistical Secretary and on his nomination the following brethren were elected assistants, viz.: A. G. Keast, W. M. Livingstone, Chas. Gilbreath, J. F. King, Clair Davis, L. H. Sweetland, E. L. Spiller, and W. K. Chatten.

On nomination of S. B. Campbell, I. J. K. Lunbeck was re-elected Treasurer and on his nomination Frederick Getty, A. M. Dixon, H. A. Mitchell, Clinton Senneff, W. L. Gray, J. E. Thackrey, W. Frank Baker, and G. T. Beard were elected assistants.

The rules governing the last session of the Conference were re-adopted.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following standing committees were presented by S. B. Campbell and they were confirmed and elected by the Conference:

Auditing—H. G. Humphrey, Wm. Leatherman, D. T. Simmons, F. W. P. Camp, J. M. Carter, T. P. Shaffer, L. H. Sweetland.

Benevolences—F. S. Beggs, S. F. Stevens, J. W. Coontz, M. H. Lichliter, J. W. Caughlan, W. N. Gaither, W. D. Price, T. G. Peterson.

Conference Relations—H. B. Foster, H. A. Jones, D. W. Crow, A. D. Ball, L. L. Brannon, A. M. Livingston, B. D. Jones.

Education—N. Luccock, L. G. Reser, J. W. Stewart, G. B. Thomas, T. P. Shaffer, Frank Neff, J. J. Martin, H. A.

King, Luther Freeman, J. W. Needham, L. M. Thompson, S. S. Martin, G. J. Hunt.

Memoirs—O. M. Stewart, E. J. Hunt, C. C. James.

Postmaster—P. R. Hoos.

Public Worship—The District Superintendent and pastors of Sedalia.

Publication of Minutes—The Secretary, Statistical Secretary and Treasurer.

Publishing Interests—C. V. Criss, C. F. Tippin, J. E. Thackrey, Laban Anderson, R. H. Lint, E. L. Spiller, Clinton Senneff.

Book Accounts—J. W. Borah, H. A. Mitchell, T. E. Prall, T. J. Gideon, J. M. Carter, W. K. Chatten, A. M. Dixon.

Reference—A. M. Livingston, W. Frank Baker, C. R. Carlos, W. F. Baker, F. S. Beggs, W. L. Gray, E. H. Sapp.

Reforms—F. W. Simpson, H. C. Leonard, J. M. Mason, C. C. Wharton, Carl Stevenson, E. W. Elayer, J. C. Kirk.

Resolutions—J. W. Stewart, W. H. Bishop, Samuel Betts, G. J. Hunt, G. C. Bechtel, W. E. Brown, A. G. Keast.

Stewards—E. P. Anderson, L. M. Thompson, B. E. Niblack, H. G. Mais, F. S. Beggs, G. M. Foster, S. F. Stevens.

Woman's Work—T. H. Hagerty, R. B. Templeton, J. P. Martin, J. F. Stickney, J. W. Slusher, L. R. Nichols, J. C. Stille.

Young People's Work—D. C. Dutton, E. V. Claypool, W. O. Tolbart, C. V. Bryan ,W. S. Courtney, R. A. Hunt, Ralph Wakefield.

Hospitals—Daniel McGurk, H. B. Foster, H. C. Adams, W. L. Requa, J. C. Gilbreath, W. H. Bishop, G. H. Gideon, W. N. Gaither.

Semi-Centennial Sermon—On motion of S. S. Martin the time for the semi-centennial sermon by F. S. Beggs was fixed at 3:30 Thursday afternoon.

Statistics—The Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer together with their assistants gathered the statistics.

Announcements—O. M. Stewart requested that all material for memoirs be presented to the committee at once.

S. S. Martin announced that the Book Concern had established headquarters across the street in the Porter Building.

H. G. Humphrey was appointed to take subscriptions for the Methodist Review.

QUESTION XIV. The Fourteenth Question was taken up, viz.: **Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?**

The following District Superintendents passed in character and each read the report of his District, viz.: E. J. Hunt, Carthage District; W. R. McCormack, Farmington District; S. B. Campbell, Kansas City District; and Samuel Warner, Lebanon District.

Books—Brothers Hughey and Witten each made announcements concerning the sale of their books.

Transfers—The Bishop announced the following transfers into this Conference: W. T. Cummins from N. W. Kansas; M. H. Lichliter, from the Genesee; and W. N. Gaither from the Indiana: also the following transfers from this Conference: W. C. Coleman, to the Kansas; Clarke Baker to the N. W. Kansas; N. H. Hudson, to the New York East; and T. W. Jeffrey, to the Iowa.

Report—The Bishop read the report of the Book Committee and it was referred to the Committee on Publishing Interests and part of it ordered published in the Minutes.

Drafts—The Conference ordered drafts on the Book Concern for $1572 and on the Chartered Fund for $22.

Time Extended—On motion the time was extended.

Introductions—J. W. Jennings, representing the Book Concern and Dr. J. F. St. Clair, representing Bethany Hospital were introduced and addressed the Conference.

Episcopal Fund—The Bishop presented a statement from the Book Concern concerning the Episcopal Fund and on motion of W. T. Wright the Conference approved and ordered the apportionment of last year.

Adjournment—On motion it was ordered that when we adjourn it shall be to meet at 2 o'clock.

On motion of I. J. K. Lunbeck the Treasurer and Statistical Secretary and their assistants were excused form attending the afternoon session.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the Doxology and Benediction by the Bishop.

Second Session.

Conference met at 2 o'clock and opened with song and Scripture reading and prayer by the Bishop.

QUESTION XIV. The Fourteenth Question was resumed.

The following District Superintendents passed in character and each read the report of his District, viz.: W. T. Wright, St. Louis District; W. F. Jones, Sedalia District; and C. C. James, Springfield District.

Statistical Columns—On motion of Frederick Simpson the Conference ordered a column printed in the Minutes for the Conference Permanent Fund and for total other Benevolent collections.

McKendree Chapel—On motion of F. S. Beggs the Conference ordered the election of five trustees to have charge of the McKendree Chapel.

The Conference adjourned with the benediction by T. H. Hagerty.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., Bishop Anderson, presiding. The Bishop conducted the devotional service and gave an address based on the Nineteenth Psalm.

Minutes—The minutes of Wednesday's sessions were read and approved.

Roll Call—The roll of absentees was called and the following brethren were present, viz.:

H. A. Babbitt, H. A. Barton, D. W. Britton, H. L. Harvey, A. J. May, J. N. Moore, James Pine, W. T. Pare, L. G. Reser, F. L. Thompson, G. T. Beard.

On motion of the Secretary further calling of the roll was dispensed with.

QUESTION XIV. The Fourteenth Question was resumed.

The following effective Elders were passed in character, viz.:

Carthage District—C. V. Criss, O. V. Suter, Frederick Getty, G. M. Foster, J. C. Kirk, D. W. Crow, Frank Neff, J. J. Martin, J. W. Caughlan, E. H. Sapp, A. G. Keast, A. M. Dixon, L. R. Nichols.

Farmington District—T. J. Gideon, G. F. Bundy, L. M. Thompson, G. H. Gideon, W. D. Sidman, A. M. Livingstone.

Kansas City District—G. A. Glens, D. W. Britton, F. O. Moore, W. K. Chatten, R. B. Templeton, H. G. Mais, E. V. Claypool, A. T. Osbron, H. G. Humphrey, Daniel McGurk, H. A. Jones, C. R. Carlos, W. G. Smith, I. J. K. Lunbeck, J. W. Coontz, F. W. Simpson, W. E. Brown, O. M. Stewart, B. E. Niblack, E. T. Rice.

Lebanon District—C. F. Tippin, J. W. Slusher, W. F. Baker, H. A. Mitchell, G. C. Bechtel, J. W. Needham, J. B. Brewington, T. P. Shaffer, B. D. Jones.

St. Louis District—S. E. Betts, E. P. Anderson, H. C. Leonard, Wm. Leatherman, F. L. Thompson, J. E. Thackrey, J. W. Borah, Ralph Wakefield, N. Luccock, A. D. Ball, W. L. Gray, M. H. Lichliter.

Sedalia District—W. N. Gaither, J. M. Carter, H. P. Barnes, Laban Anderson, L. L. Brannon, W. T. Cummins, J. M. Mason, P. E. Pierce, F. S. Beggs, S. S. Martin, G. J. Hunt.

Springfield District—D. T. Simmons, James Lokey, T. E. Prall, W. J. Simmons, F. P. Leckliter, S. F. Stevens, E. W. Elayer, W. S. Courtney, W. T. Pare, H. B. Foster, J. W. Stewart, W. F. Baker, J. P. Martin.

The following other effective Elders were passed in character, viz.: T. H. Hagerty, L. G. Reser, G. B. Thomas, J. H. Gillespie, C. L. Halterman, J. N. Moore, James Pine, Julius Smith, H. A. King, J. S. Bitler, S. A. French, F. E. Dubois, J. A. Barker, E. F. Miller, C. T. Cotton, J. H. Fiedler.

Withdrawal—On motion of W. F. Jones, S. W. McClure was permitted to withdraw from the Ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and his credentials were returned to the Conference.

QUESTION XXIII. The Twenty-third Question was taken up, viz.: **Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**

E. D. C. Koeth, W. T. Pyles, W. K. Collins, C. A. Mitchell, J. W. Farr, M. A. Kerr, W. T. Ferguson and H. A. Babbitt were passed in character and continued in the same relation.

On motion of W. T. Wright, E. A. Squier was passed in character and given the Superannuated relation.

John Ashley was passed in character and referred to the committee on Conference relations.

QUESTION XXIV. The Twenty-fourth Question was taken up, viz.: **Who are the Superannuated Preachers?**

J. H. Porter, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland,

M. Bell, Joseph Harris, J. S. Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgway, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, W. M. Creamer, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, Hervey Smith, I. M. Galbraith, J. H. Hurley were passed in character. Those present addressed the Conference. Letters were read from L. R. Carpenter and T. H. Knease. H. A. Toland was represented by J. H. Gillespie. F. S. Beggs, T. H. Hagerty, W. S. Courtney and John Welch spoke words of commendation of the work and character of William Stephens.

On motion of Samuel Warner the case of J. B. Brewington was referred to the committee on Conference relations.

Transfers—Bishop Anderson announced the following transfers out of this Conference, viz.: M. S. Hughes, to the Southern California; E. T. Rice, to the South Kansas; F. P. Reno, to the Kansas; H. P. Barnes, to the Upper Iowa; M. H. Keast, to the Des Moines; and J. H. Fiedler to the Missouri; also the following transfers into this Conference, viz.: Henry W. Hargett from the Iowa; Luther Freeman from the Holston; Henry C. Adams from the Arkansas; L. H. Smith from the S. W. Kansas; W. D. Price from the North Dakota; and Samuel E. Betts from the Kansas.

On motion of T. H. Hagerty the time was extended.

Addresses—The following brethren were introduced and each addressed the Conference, viz.: Prof. E. S. Tipple, of Drew Theological Seminary; Dr. C. B. Spencer, Editor of the Central Christian Advocate; Dr. M. C. B. Mason, Corresponding Secretary of the Freedman's Aid Society; Dr. F. B. Trimble, Assistant Secrtary of the Western-Central Division of the Foreign Missionary Society; Dr. S. H. Kirkbride, Agency Secretary of the American Bible Society; Dr. Fred M. Stone, Financial Secretary of the American University; Dr. E. J. Moore, State Superintendent of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League; Harry A. King, Financial Secretary of Baker University; Dr. C. C. Stahman, State Superintendent of the Children's Home Society of Missouri.

American Bible Society—On motion of N. Luccock it ordered that one-half of our collections for the American Bible Society shall go to the "Sage Fund" so long as that proposition is before us.

Anti-Saloon League—On motion of W. T. Wright N. Luccock and Frank Neff were elected Trustees of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League.

On motion of Frederick Simpson the Secretary was instructed to send a telegram to F. P. Leckliter, Jefferson City, Mo., urging the passage of the District Local Option Bill and the County Unit Local Option Law.

On motion of H. A. King the Secretary was instructed to send to Bishop W. A. Quayle and the Members of the South Kansas Conference a telegram of greeting.

Laymen's Association—On motion of Luther Freeman the Laymen's Association was invited to meet with us Friday at 11:115 a. m. The Bishop appointed Luther Freeman and N. Luccock to present this invitation.

On motion of W. T. Wright, H. A. King was excused from further attendence at this session of the Conference; and on motion of C. C. James, T. E. Prall was excused from attending this session of the Conference.

The notices were given and the Conference adjourned with the Doxology and Benediction by the Bishop.

THIRD DAY.

Friday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., Bishop Anderson, presiding. F. L. Thompson delivered a forceful exposition of the Fifth chapter of Matthew.

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Incorporation—On motion of E. V. Claypool, O. M. Stewart and William Stephens were appointed a committee

to investigate immediately as to whether the Conference is incorporated.

Open Air Meetings—On motion of M. H. Lechliter a committee consisting of A. D. Ball, Frank Neff and J. W. Coontz were appointed to arrange, if possible, a series of open air meetings during the remainder of this Conference session. M. H. Lichliter was added to the committee.

Collection—At the request of W. F. Jones a collection amounting to $40.69 was taken to re-imburse the Secretary for expenses incurred in the publication of last year's minutes.

Laymen's Missionary Movement—Luther Freeman introduced the following resolution which was adopted:

WHEREAS, The General Conference, Baltimore, 1908, unhesitatingly endoresd the Inter-Denominational Laymen's Movement and recommended the Laymen's organization for the Methodist Episcopal Church, viz:

A District Committee of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, consisting of a Laymen from each pastoral charge elected annually by the Quarterly Conference. The Lay member of the District Board of Foreign Missions shall be the chairman of this committtee.

Also a Conference organization consisting of the chairman of the District Committee, and one additional Laymen from each District to be appointed by the District Committee.

Resolved, First. That we commend most heartily the action of the General Conference, and the provision made for the co-operation of the Laymen's movement, on our charges, in the districts, and in the Conference.

Second: That we request our District Superintendents, during the First Quarterly Conference visitation to call attention to recent legislation, and have a representative Laymen appointed by each charge to serve on the District Laymen's Committee.

Third: That the Lay representation on the Annual Conference Board of Foreign Missions, who are the Chairmen of their respective District Committees, provide at the earliest possible date for the election of an additional Layman from each District so that the Conference Branch of the Laymen's Missionary Movement ordered by the General Conference may be organized and become operative.

Signed.

ERNEST V. CLAYPOOL,
DANIEL McGURK,
T. H. HAGGERTY,
N. LUCCOCK,
LUTHER FREEMAN.

QUESTION VIII. The Eighth Question was taken up, viz: **Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?**

Charles E. Ferguson, Frank W. P. Camp, James F. King, Charles J. Gilbreath, Leon H. Sweetland, Charles V. Bryan, Edwin L. Spiller, Robert A. Hunt, and William O. Tolbart were advanced to the studies of the Third year and elected to Deacon's orders.

Thomas G. Peterson and Thomas P. Woodson were advanced to the studies of the Third year.

James Mason was continued in the studies of the Second year and credited with the studies he had passed.

The credentials of Jesse I. Philips from the Friends Church were recognized and he was placed in the class and studies of the Third year and elected to Deacon's orders.

The case of Charles D. Bradley was referred to the committee on Conference relations and the committee was excused for immediate action.

Introduction—The Rev. Dr. Cooper, pastor of the First Congregational Church of this city was introduced to the Conference.

Address—Dr. David G. Downey, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Sundey Sshools, was introduced to the Conference.

Reports—The committee on Conference relations reported in the case of Charles D. Bradley and on their recommendation his orders from the Church of God were recognized as a Deacon's orders, and he was placed in the class and studies of the Third year.

O. M. Stewart reported for the committee on Incorporation that in 1872 a constitution was adopted by this Conference and Incorporation ordered.

The Secretary was excused to find the Certificate of Incorporation and together with S. S. Martin instructed to have the same passed upon by an attorney.

The class for admssion into full membership was called by the Secretary, and Hymn No. 331, beginning, "High on His Everlasting Throne", was announced and sung.

Laymen's Assocation—The Laymen's Association, conducted by the Conference committee, arrived, and the Chairman of the Associaton, Dr. F. L. Magoon, addressed the Conference. Bshop Anderson responded with an appropriate address.

Address—The class for admission into full membership was addressed by the Bishop, asked the Disciplinary questions, and admitted into full membership by a rising vote. The Conference sang "Blest be the Tie that Binds" while the class was greeted with a handshake by the preachers and laymen present.

Incorporation—On motion of E. V. Claypool the Conference trustees were appointed a commission to make full investigations to the validity of the incorporation with instructions to report next year.

Conference Relation—On motion of S. B. Campbell, the case of A. T. Osbron, and on motion of E. J. Hunt, the case of G. H. Hatcher were referred to the committee on Conference Relation.

Trustees—On motion of E. V. Claypool, the District Superintendents were requested to make nominations for vacancies on the Conference Board of Trustees and instructed to report tomorrow.

Credentials—On motion of E. J. Hunt, the credentials of A. J. Graves were ordered restored.

On motion of J. M. Carter the time was extended.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference, viz: Mrs. Burge, donor of Burge Deaconess Hospital; Brothers Hermann, Yeister, and Stidman, of the West German Conference; Brother Dimit of the Ind.; J. J. Bentley and G. H. Cosper of the Missouri; Miss Deborah

Davis, of Epworth Evangelistic Institute; Miss Minnie Pike of the Kansas City Training School; Miss Maude Luckey, Superintendent of the Burge Deaconess Hospital; and Edward A. Fredenhagen, representing the Society for the Friendless, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

The notices were given, the doxology was sung and the Bishop pronounced the benediction.

FOURTH DAY.

Saturday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. Bishop Anderson, presiding. The bishop conducted the devotional servicce, giving a lucid expostion of the Forty-sixth Psalm.

T. H. Haggerty presented to the Bishop for use during this session of the Conference a gavel made of wood from historic grounds.

Minutes—The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

Hagerty Memorial Church—On motion of J. M. Carter, H. B. Foster was appointed to collect subscriptions due for the Ada Hagerty Memorial Church.

On motion of W. R. McCormack, S. B. Campbell and the committee on Conference relation were excused to attend to business brought before them for immediate action..

Sunday Schools—The following resolution presented by O. M. Stewart was adopted:

Resolved, That the pastors of Sedalia, Smithson, Independence Avenue, Kansas City, and Maple Avenue, St. Louis, be appointed as delegates at large to the State Sunday School Association to meet in Moberly next November.

Greeting—The Bishop read a telegram of greeeting from Bishop Quayle and the South Kansas Conference.

QUESTION VI. The Sixth Question was taken up, viz: **Who have been Continued on Trial?**

Edwin O. Smith, Edward Bridwell, James A. McFarland, Milus Womack, Carl Stevenson, Mack L. Stille, Ray C. Walker, Geo. T. Beard, James E. Stickney, Virgil W .Henderson, and M. O. Morris were advanced to the studies of the Second year.

Those deficient on studies were conditioned on bringing them up.

William C. Heiskell, Clair G. Davis, Chas. V. Bigler, and William R. Ward were continued in the studies of the first year.

Marion A. Kerr was continued in the studies of the first year, and C. C. James was requested to correspond with him concerning his studies and report next year.

John W. Frisbie was discontinued at his own request.

Tranefers—The Bishop announced the following transfers out of this Conference: J. D. Holister to the Missouri, J. D. Van Buskirk to the Korea; Walter P. Ross to the Oregon; Geo. B. Van Buskirk to the South Kansas.

Sympathy—C. C. James announced the serious illness of T. E. Prall's wife, and on his motion the Conference requested the Secretary to wire our sympathy to Brother Prall.

On motion of Luther Freeman a committee was appointed to investigate and corespond with any other cases to whom the sympathy of the Conference should be extended. The Bishop appointed Luther Freeman, N. Luccock, and the Secretary.

QUESTION X. The Tenth Question was taken up, viz: **What Members are in the Studies of the Fourth Year?**

Charles E. Wharton, John F. Odom, Jesse W. Farr, R. H. Lint, Henry C. Adams, and Edwin F. Miller were advanced to the studies of the fourth year.

Those deficient in studies were conditioned on bringing them up.

Andrew J. May, John H. Porter, and William H. Bickers were continued in the studies of the third year.

On motion of W. T. Wright the case of Hermon L. Harvey was referred to a committee and the whole matter referred to Lebanon District.

On motion of H. A. Jones the case of John H. Porter was referred to the following committee for investigation, viz: H. G. Mais, A. M. Livingstone, H. A. Mitchell, H. B. Foster, and J. M. Carter.

QUESTION XI. The Eleventh Question was taken up, viz: **What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**

John H. Boner, John C. Stille, Peter R. Hoos, William L. Requa, H. Arthur Barton, and William D. Price were graduated from their studies and elected to Elder's orders.

Clinton Senneff, Cyrus T. Harrison, Charles F. Tippin and Carlton T. Cotton were continued in the studies of the fourth year.

The Bishop was requested to leave Carlton T. Cotton without appointment to attend school.

QUESTION XII. The Twelfth Question was taken up, viz: **What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**

Charles E. Gableman, Daniel D. Killum, and S. M. Shaw being duly recommended were elected to Deacon's orders as Local Preachers.

QUESTION XXII. The Twenty-second Question was taken up, viz: **What Other personal Notation should be made?**

The orders of John Handyside, as a Deacon, from the Free Will Baptist Church, and James W. Null, as a Deacon, from the Christian Church, were recognized.

QUESTION XIII. The Thirteenth Question was taken up, viz: **What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**

James R. Postlethwaite being duly recommended was elected to Elder's orders as a Local Preacher.

Re-admission—On motion of W. T. Wright, M. L. Curl was re-admitted to the Conference by a rising vote. Brother Curl briefly addressed the Conference.

On the recommendation of the committee on Conference relations, George A. Pegrem was admitted on his certificate of location from the Detroit Conference.

Conference Evangelist—On motion of C. C. James, the Bishop was requested to appoint F. P. Lickliter Conference Evangelist.

Report—The Board of Stewards made a partial report which was adopted.

Church Property—On motion of W. F. Jones, the Conference ordered the proceeds of the sale of the Dunksburg church to be applied to improve the parsonage at Knob Noster.

QUESTION VI The Fifth Question was taken up, viz: **Who have been Received on Trial?**

Joseph F. Pfeifer, Orville E. Crain, William W. Hendrickson, Wiliam H. Winter, Herbert F. Miller, Peter Davies, Glenn A. Moss (on condition that he read the books), James W. Null, Arthur B. Keast, Elmer Sandmeyer, Harry Gebhart, Rowland Hill, and James R. Postlethwaite being duly represented as to character and studies, were admited on trial and placed in the studies of the first year.

Minutes—On behalf of the Secretary, Frank Neff took subscription for the publication of the Minutes.

The time was extended.

Introductions—The following were introduced and addresed the Conference: Dr. Thos. Nicholson, Corresponding

Secretary of the Board of Education; and J. W. Van Cleve, representing the Board of Conference Claimants.

Change of Relation—On the recommendation of the committee on Conference relations, J. W. Brewington was granted the Superannuated relation, and on motion of Samuel Warner, he was placed on the special list of Conference Claimants.

On the recommendation of the committee on Conference Relations, A. T. Osbron was granted a Supernumerary relation, with the understanding that his case come up next year for final adjustment.

On motion of C. C. James, James Lokey was granted the Supernumerary relation.

On recomendation of the committee on Conference Relations, John Ashley was made effective.

Adjournment—On motion of S. B. Campbell, it was ordered that when we adjourn it shall be to meet at 3:00 p. m.

Examiners—The Board of Examiners were appointed. (See examiners and their work.)

Conference Societies—The following Conference Societies were nominated and elected, viz: Conference Board of Education, Conference Historical Society, Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, Conference Deaconess Board, Board of Sunday Schools, and Board of Foreign Missions. (See special appointments.)

Triers of Appeals—The Bishop nominated the Triers of Appeals, and they were elected. (See special appointments.)

Trustees—The Board of Conference Trustees were nominated by the District Superintendents and elected. (See Conference officers.)

The Bishop appointed N. Luccock to preside at the afternoon session.

The announcements were made, and doxology was sung, and Bishop Anderson pronounced the benediction.

Second Session.

The Conference opened at 3:00 p. m., N. Luccock, presiding.

Reports—The Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer read their reports and they were adopted. See statistical tables.)

The following commitees reported and their reports were adopted, viz: Publishing Interests, Woman's Work, Hospitals, Deaconess Board, Benevolences, Reforms, Young People's Work, and Conference Board of Church Extension. (See Reports.)

Address—J. H. Gillespie, Commissioner of the Alaska Yukon-Pacific Exposition addresed the Conference.

On motion of F. S. Beggs, the following resolutions was passed:

Resolved, That Brother Gillespie be recommended to the favorable consideration of the Board of Trustees of McKendree Chapel, that he may receive a good photograph, also a part of a log of that historic building for the Methodist Exhibit at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition.

Introductions—Dr. F. L. Hart, representing the National Mutual Insurance Company, and Dr. Vaughn, representing the African Diamond Jubilee, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

The following resolution was presented and adopted:

Resolved, That we endorse the Africa Diamond Jubilee effort to raise $300,000 to strengthen and extend the work of the Master's kingdom in that Dark Country.

That we request our pastors to co-operate in this effort by presenting the cause to their respective congregations in the near future, (during the month of April, if possible) and take an offering for the same.

Signed:

SAMUEL WARNER,
W. T. WRIGHT,
W. F. JONES,
W. R. McCORMACK,
C. C. JAMES,
E. J. HUNT.

Deaconesses—The Conference requested the consecration of the following persons as Deaconesses: Emma C. Anderson, Lillian Dilin, Bertha Valentine, Annie Rose Ballard, Anna Jernigan.

Permanent Fund—The following resolution presented by O. M. Stewart was adopted:

Resolved, First: That we employ a financial secretary who shall give his time fully to the increase of our permanent fund.

Second, That we request the members of this Conference this year to each pay one per cent of his total salary received to meet the expense of this Financial Secretary, one-half to be paid after the First Quarterly meeting and one-half after the Third.

Announcements were made and the benediction was pronounced by J. M. Carter.

FIFTH DAY.

Love Feast—The Love Feast began at 9 a. m. and was led by T. H. Hagerty. The service opened with song No. 560, beginning, "And we are yet alive." T. H. Hagerty led in prayer and read the Scriptures. Ninety-six persons had testified to saving power of the Blood of Jesus when the time expired.

Ordination—At 10:30 Bishop Anderson, assisted by the District Superintendents and a number of Elders present ordained thirteen persons as Deacons according to the Ritual of the Church.

Morning Worship—After a short intermission the morning worship began at 11 o'clock. The regular service was used. Dr. Thos. E. Nicholson offered the prayer. The Bishop read the Thirteenth Chapter of First Corinthians. It was announced that one-half of the morning offering would be used for our schools in the South.

Bishop Anderson preached from I John 4:7-9, subject: "The Place of Love in the Life of Man."

Ordination—The Conference assembled at 3 o'clock and seven persons were ordained Elders according to the Ritual of the Church.

Memorial Service—The Memorial Service followed immediately, O. M. Stewart presiding.

The Memoir of J. B. VanPetten was read by I. J. Lunbeck; that of W. R. Peters, by C. C. James; N. H. Buck, by F. S. Geggs; Mrs. Mary S. Ing, by J. H. Gillespie; Mrs. Rebecca Pierce, by E. J. Hunt; Mrs. Mary E. Hurley, by D. W. Crow; and Mrs. Ruth B. Porter, by E. J. Hunt.

Consecration—At 7:30 five persons were consecrated as Deaconesses, after which Dr. Fitzwater, Assistant Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension delivered an address. A collection amounting to $30 was taken for this Board.

SIXTH DAY.

Monday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. T. H. Hagerty began the devotions; Luther Freeman delivered the address.

Minutes—The minutes of the Saturday's sessions and the notations of the Sabbath were read, corrected as to proper names and approved.

The Bishop appointed T. H. Hagerty to preside and the Bishop and the Cabinet retired.

On motion of J. M. Carter the action of Saturday as to Permanent Fund were reconsidered.

The following was introduced by J. E. Thackrey as a substitute for Saturday's action: Moved that the action of Saturday be amended so that the second resolution shall read,

Resolved, That the trustees are hereby authorized to pay the salary and expenses of a man in the field out of the funds that he shall collect.

The following resolution was presented by C. V. Criss and adopted:

Resolved, That this Conference would hail with delight the organic union of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, the Methodist Protestant Church together with the various other Methodist bodies operating within the boundaries of the United States.

C. V. CRISS,
N. LUCCOCK,
G. J. HUNT,
J. W. STEWART.

Dr. Fitzwater Field, Secretary of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension was introduced.

The following reports were read and adopted, viz: Education, Board of Stewards, Auditing, Resolutions.

On motion of E. P. Anderson, L. M. Thompson was elected Treasurer of the Five Per Cent Permanent Fund.

T. W. Simpson introduced the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Trustees of the Permanent Fund be directed to obtain a man, if possible, to act as Financial Secretary of the Permanent Fund; such contingency to rest solely upon their ability to obtain a suitable man.

Frank Neff introduced the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That we apportion to each pastoral charge an amount equal to three per cent of the claim of the District Superintendent, to defray the cost of publishing the minutes of the Conference, this plan to become operative at once.

And that a column be run in the published minutes, noting the amount paid by each charge.

QUESTION The Thirty-second Questioon was taken up, viz

XXXIII. **Where shall the next Conference be held?**

Eldorado Springs invited the Conference to hold the next session in that city. The invitation was unanimously accepted.

J. H. Gilespie addressed the Conference.

E. P. Anderson introduced the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved, That we most heartily indorse our brother, J. H. Gillespie in his efforts in behalf of the Nebraska Methodist Hospital in Wyoming.

ELI P. ANDERSON.

A collection was taken for the janitor of this church. Amount $12.05.

Trustees of Permanent Fund were permitted to withdraw.

Minutes—The Minutes were read and approved.

Address—Dr. J. W. Van Cleave addressed the Conference.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference: Rev. Clagget, pastor of Broadway Presbyterian Church of this city; Rev. Caskey of South Methodist; Rev. Lesher, English Lutheran Church; Rev. Warren, Presiding Elder of M. E. South Church.

Bishop returned with the Cabinet.

Change of Relations—G. A. Glens was granted supernumerary relation. J. K. Lunbeck was granted superannuated relation.

Trustees of McKendre Chapel were nominated and elected as follows: J .W. Karsch, Farmington; Wm. Abernathy, Lutesvile; A. J. Bono, Doe Run; P. D. Davis, Jackson; Carl McNeely, Fruitland.

Board of Church Location nominated and leected as follows: (See special appointments.)

Transfers—The Bishop announced the following transfers from this Conference: S. S. Martin to Missouri; Daniel McGurk to Genesee; H. A. King to Southern Kansas; A. J. May to Western Nebraska; V. W. Henderson to Southern Kansas; E. Simpson to Southern Kansas; E. B. Randle to Illinois.

Also the following to this Conference: G. W. Anderson from Troy; E. B. Olmstead from Holston; E. Combie Smith from Genesee; G. A. Robbins from Missouri; H. R. Osborne from Alabana.

The Bishop was requested to appoint S. A. French, J. S. Bitler and F. E. Dubois Conference Evangelists.

The District Superintendents reported the Home Mission apportionments. (See report.)

The Secretary was given permission to complete the Minutes.

Closing—A hymn was sung and J. W. Stewart offered prayer.

The Bishop spoke some words of final greeting.

The appointments were read and the Conference adjourned.

Certificate of Ordination—This certifies that at Sedalia, Mo., on March 2, 1909, assisted by a number of Elders present, I did ordain as Deacons: Claire V. Bryan, Frank W. P. Camp, Charles E. Ferguson, Charles E. Gableman, J. Charles Gilbreath, Robert A. Hunt, Daniel D. Killam, James F. King, Jesse I. Phillips, Samuel M. Shaw, Edwin L. Spiller, Leon H. Sweetland, and William O. Tolbart; and at the same place and date, I did ordain as Elders; H. Arthur Barton, John H. Boner, Peter R. Hoos, James R. Postlethwaite, William D. Price, Wiliam L. Requa, and John C. Stille.

Given under my hand, this 22nd day of March, 1909.

William F. Anderson

This certifies that at Sedalia, Mo., on the 22nd day of March 1909, I did consecrate Emma O. Anderson, Annie Rose Ballard, Lilian Dillon, Anna Jarnigan, and Bertha Volentine as Deaconesses.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of March, 1909.

William F. Anderson

THE APPOINTMENTS

(Supplies in Parenthesis)

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

E. J. HUNT, District Superintendent, 2, Carthage, Mo.

Alba and Neck City.....
.....C. E. Ferguson 2
Anderson.....To be supplied
Avilla.....O. V. Suter 1
Butler.....C. V. Criss 3
Butler Ct.....To be supplied
Carl Junction....To be supplied
Carterville.....R. W. Moore 1
Carthage.....H. W. Hargett 2
Carthage Ct.....G. M. Foster 1
Hume and Foster .....
.....J. H. Boner 1
Iantha....W. W. Hendrickson 1
Jasper and Mt. Moriah.....
.....W. L. Requa 1
Joplin—Byers Ave.....
.....E. W. Elayer 1
Central Ave....R. C. Walker 1
Chitwood.....To be supplied
Epworth.....J. N. Moore 2
First Church.....Frank Neff 2
Lamar.....J. J. Martin 4
Liberal.....W. O. Thompson 1
Moundville.....F. W. P.Camp 1
Nashville .....
....Supplied by Elmer Cobbs 1
Neosho.....R. A. Hunt 1
Nevada.....J. W. Caughlan 3
Oronogo.....E. H. Sapp 2
Rich Hill.....A. G. Keast 3
Sarcoxie.....To be supplied
Seneca.....To be supplied
Sheldon.....To be supplied
Spurgeon .....
.....Supplied by Wm. Hall 1
Webb City.....D. C. Dutton 2
C. G. Davis 1

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

WILLIAM R. McCORMACK, District Superintendent, 4, De Soto, Mo.

Bloomfield.....Wm. H. Bickers 1
Bloomfield Ct.....(A. W. Hill) 1
Bonne Tere.....C. D. Bradley 1
Bismarck.....(Lewis Kelley) 1
Dudley.....To be supplied
De Soto.....D. W. Crow 1
De Soto Ct.....(R. H. Shute) 1
Doe Run.....L. H. Sweetland 2
Farmington....L. M. Thompson 4
Farmington Ct..(V. O. Sample) 1
Fruitland.....T. G. Peterson 1
Flat River.....(A. Tremayne) 1
Ironton.....E. L. Speller 2
Irondale and Graniteville ...
.....M. S. Bumpus 2
Lutesville.....J. A. McFarland 1
Mt. View.....Carl Stevenson 1
Perryville.....J. E. Stickney 2
Puxico.....(A. H. Barnes) 3
Palmer.....(D. P. Cole) 2
Poplar Bluff....G. A. Pegrem 2
Poplar Bluff Ct..(G. W. Davis) 2
Patton.....(J. M. Crisel) 1
Robertsville....(Wm. P. Johns) 2
West Plains..A. M. Livingstone 2
West Plains Ct....(J. J. Pruitt) 1
Willow Springs....John Ashley 1
Winona.....(J. M. Willard) 1

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

S. B. CAMPBELL, District Superintendent, 5, 2624 Brooklyn Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Adrian.....W. K. Chatten 1
Amsterdam.....To be supplied
Austin.....D. W. Britton 6
Belton.....F. O. Moon 2
Centerview.....Harry Gebhart 1
Drexel.....To be supplied
East Lynne.....To be supplied
Garden City.....C. V. Bigler 3
Holden.....W. L. Gray 1
Independence—Centennial .....
Chapel .....H. G. Mais 2
Kansas City—Arlington .....
.....E. V. Claypool 3
Bennington Heights .....
.....Frederick Getty 1
Broadway....H. G. Humphrey 2
Grace.....J. R. Postlethwaite 1
Grand Ave....E. B. Olmstead 1
Howard Mem....H. A. Jones 4
Hyde Park.....
.....Naphtali Luccock 1
Independence Avenue .....
.....Luther Freeman 2
Linwood Boulevard .....
.....E. Comble Smith 1
Maywood and Beaumont ....
.....W. G. Smith 2
Mt. Washington..R. H. Lint 1
Oakhurst.....J. W. Coontz 8
Oakley.....F. W. Simpson 3
Phoenix Park..W. E. Brown 2
Summit St.....O. M. Stewart 7
Kingsville.....Rowland Hill 1
Lee's Summit.....J. I. Phillips 2
Oak Grove.....To be supplied
Pleasant Hill....T. P. Woodson 1
District Missionary .....
.....J. F. Odom 4

LEBANON DISTRICT.

SAMUEL WARNER, District Superintendent, 4, Lebanon, Mo.

Ava.....H. F. Miller 1
Buffalo.....C. V. Bryan 3
Buffalo Ct.....(O. F. Eld)
Conway.....C. F. Tippin 2
Dixon.....Peter Davis 1
Eldon.....B. E. Niblack 2
Gainesville.....(J. T. Black) 1
Hartville.....J. W. Slusher 3
High Point.....W. F. Beker 2
Houston and Cabool.....
.....Glenn A. Moss 1
Iberia.....(Arthur Adams) 1
Lebanon.....H. A. Barton 1
Lecoma.....(S. H. Yeater) 1
Licking.....Edward Bridwell 1
Linn Creek.....James W. Neill 2
Marshfield..John W. Needham 1
Mt. Grove.....H. A. Mitchell 1
Mt. Grove Ct.....
.....(Daniel D. Killam) 1
Newburg.....C. E. Wharton 2
Orla.....(W. McClanahan) 4
Phillipsburg.....T. J. Gideon 1
Plato.....William Baker 1
Richland.....W. D. Price 2
Rolla.....T. P. Shaffer 4
Seymour and Mansfield .....
.....B. D. Jones 3
Upshaw.....(M. Burk) 1
Urbana.....M. L. Womack 2
Urbana Ct....(Daniel W. Law) 2
Vichy.....Henry C. Adams 2

SAINT LOUIS DISTRICT.

WILLIAM T. WRIGHT, District Superintendent, 2, St. Louis, Mo.

Cuba.....George C. Bechtel 1
Pacific.....(W. T. Walker) 1
St. Louis—
Baden.....Harry R. Osborne 1
Bowman.....Samuel E. Betts 2
Calvary .....
Carondelet.....Peter R. Hoos 2
Dr. Fry Memorial.....
.....Eli P. Anderson 4
Goode Ave.....Harry C. Leonard 4
Harlem Pl.....Wm. Leatherman 2
Jennings and Walnut Park....
Lindell Ave....F. L. Thompson 3
Maple Ave.....M. H. Lichliter 2
Maplewood..John E. Thackrey 2
St. Lukes.....J. W. Borah 3
Shrewsbury .....
.....(Raymond S. Rees) 1
Trinity.....Ralph Wakefield 3
Union .....
.....George Wood Anderson 1
University .....
Wagoner Mem.....A. D. Ball 3
Webster Grove.....
.....Rufus B. Templeton 1
Salem.....W. H. Winter 1
Sligo.....George H. Gideon 2
Sullivan.....(W. Ward Smith) 2

SEDALIA DISTRICT

WM. F. JONES, District Superintendent, 2, Sedalia, Mo.

Alberta.....(E. V. Garrett) 1
Appleton City.....J. M. Carter 2
Clinton.....W. N. Gaither 2
Deepwater.....J. M. Mason 1
Dresden.....Geo. T. Beard 1
Eldorado Springs .....
.....L. L. Brannon 3
Eldorado Springs Ct.....
.....To be supplied
Green Ridge....To be supplied
Huntingdale .....J. F. Pfeiffer 1
Knob Noster.....L. R. Nichols 1
Lincoln and Warsaw.....To be supplied .....
Malta Bend..Will T. Cummins 2
Marshall.....Clinton Senneff 1
Montrose.....(C. C. Miller) 1
Odessa and Higginsville.... ...
.....John C. Stille 1
Pilot Grove .....
.....Laban Anderson 1
Rockville.....Mack L. Stille 1
Schell City.....Orville S. Crain 2
Sedalia, First Church.....
.....Grant A. Robbins 1
Sedalia, Epworth Church.....
.....C. R. Carlos 1
Smithon.....F. S. Beggs 4
Tipton.....G. F. Bundy 1
Urich.....To be supplied
Warrensburg..Perry E. Pierce 1
Windsor.....J. C. Kirk 1

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

C. C. JAMES, District Superintendent, 3, Springfield, Mo.

Ash Grove	To be supplied	
Aurora	J. F. King	1
Billings	M. O. Morris	1
Bolivar	D. T. Simmons	3
Cassville	To be supplied	
Clever Ct	To be supplied	
Dadeville	(W. F. Yeager)	1
Fair Play	To be supplied	
Galena	W. C. Heiskell	1
Golden City	A. M. Dixon	1
Greenfield	T. E. Prall	2
Humansville	W. T. Pare	1
La Russell	To be supplied	
Lockwood	L. H. Smith	1
Marionville	W. D. Sidman	2
Marionville Ct	Elmer Sandmeyer	1
Monett	S. F. Stevens	2
Mount Vernon	G. J. Hunt	1
Osceola	W. S. Courtney	3
Peirce City	W. O. Tolbart	1
Republic	J. C. Gilbreath	2
Springfield—		
Dever's Benton Ave	H. B. Foster	3
Dailey Mem	J. P. Martin	2
Grace M. E	J. W. Stewart	4
Mt. Carmel	W. Frank Baker	2
Springfield Ct	J. L. Medsker	1
Stockton	(D. W. Giberson)	1
Taneyville	To be supplied	
Weaubleau	A. P. Keast	1

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Member Q. C.

T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain St. Louis City Institutions.....Union
L. G. Reser, Pres. Marionville College.....Marionville
G. B. Thomas, Pres. Carleton College.....Farmington
John H. Gillespie, Missionary in Wyoming.
C. L. Halterman, Missionary in Nevada.
J. S. Pine, Supt. Turrentine Hall.....Marionville
Julius Smith, Missions Lecturer Baker University....Grand Avenue
James S. Bitler, Conference Evangelist.....1st Church, Sedalia
Silas A. French, Conference Evangelist.....Neosho
F. E. Dubois, Conference Evangelist.....Houston & Cabool
J. A. Barker, Agent State Children's Home Society.....Hyde Park
E. P. Miller, left without appointment to attend one of our schools.....Linwood Boulevard
C. T. Cotton, left without appointment to attend one of our schools.....Grace, Springfield
J. H. Gillespie, Missionary in Wyoming and Agent of the Methodist Hospital, Omaha.
E. O. Smith, Missionary to Nevada.
C. T. Harrison, Missionary to Nevada.
M. L. Curl, Chairman of Metaphysics Marionville and Carleton Colleges. Member Lindell Avenue Quarterly Conference.
W. J. Simmons, Missionary to Nevada.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

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1. **Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?**
   It is.

2. **Who have been Received by Transfer, and fro mwhat Conferences?**
   W. T. Cummins, from N. W. Kansas; McIlgar H. Lichliter, from the Ind.; Henry W. Hargett, from the Ia.; Luther Freeman, from the Holston; Henry C. Adams, from the Ark.; L. H. Smith, from the S. W. Kans.; Wm. D. Price, from the North Dakota; Samuel E. Betts, from the Kansas; Geo. W. Anderson, from Troy Conference; E. B. Olmstead, from Holsten; E. Combie Smith, from Genesee; G. A. Robbins, from Missouri; H. R. Osborne, from Ala.

3. **Who have been Readmitted?**
   Martion L. Curl (withdrew, St. Louis, Conference, 1908.)
   George A. Pegrem (located, Detroit, Conference, 190 .)

4. **Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?**
   Jesse I. Phillips, from the Friends Church, Carlos D. Bradley, from the Church of God.

5. **Who have been Received on Trial?**
   Joseph F. Pfeifer, Orville E. Crain, William W. Hendrickson, William H. Winter, Herbert F. Miller, Peter Davies, Glenn A. Moss, James W. Null, Arthur P. Keast, Elmer Sandmeyer, Harry Gebhart, Rowland Hill, James R. Postlethwait.

   (b) In Studies of Third Year.
   None.

6. **Who have been Continued on Trial?**
   William C. Heiskell, Clair G. Davis, Charles V. Bigler, William R. Ward, Marion A. Kerr.

   (b) In Studies of Second Year.
   Edwin O. Smith, Edward Bridwell, James A. McFarland, Milus Womack, Carl Stevenson, Mack L. Stille, Ray C. Walker, Geo. T. Beard, James E. Stickney, Virgil W. Henderson, Marvin O. Morris, Lewis H. Smith, James M. Mason.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.
None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
None.

7. **Who have been Discontinued?**
John W. Frisbie.

8. **Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?**

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
Charles E. Ferguson, Frank W. P. Camp, James F. King, Charles J. Gilbreath, Leon H. Sweetland, Claire V. Bryan, Edwin L. Spiller, Robert A. Hunt, William O. Tolbart, Jesse I. Phillips.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
Thomas G. Peterson, Thomas P. Woodson.

9. **What Members are in Studies of Third Year?**

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
Charles E. Ferguson, Frank W. P. Camp, James F. King, Charles J. Gilbreath, Leon H. Sweetland, Claire V. Bryan, Edwin L. Spiller, Robert A. Hunt, William O. Tolbart, Thomas G. Peterson, Thomas P. Woodson, Jesse I. Phillips, Carlos D. Bradley.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
Andrew J. May, John H. Porter, William H. Bickers.

10. **What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**
Charles E. Wharton, John F. Odom, Jesse W. Farr, R. H. Lint, Henry C. Adams, Edwin F. Miller. Clinton Senneff, Cyrus T. Harrison, Charles F. Tippin, Carlton T. Cotton.

11. **What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
John H. Boner, John C. Stille, Peter R. Hoos, William L. Requa, H. Arthur Barton, William D. Price.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.

12. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**

(a) As Local Preachers.
Charles E. Gableman, Daniel D. Killam, S. M. Shaw.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.
None.

13. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**
(a) As Local Deacons.
James R. Postlethwaite.
(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
(c) Under Seminary Rule.
None.

14. **Was the Character of each Preacher examined?**
This was strictly done as the name of each Preacher was called in open Conference.

15. **Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?**
W. C. Coleman, to the Kansas; Clarke Baker, to the N. W. Kansas; N. H. Hudson, to the N. Y. East; T. W. Jeffrey, to the Iowa; M. S. Hughes, to the S. Cal; E. T. Rice, to the S. Kansas; F. P. Reno, to the Kansas; H. P. Barnes, to the Upper Iowa; M. H. Keast, to the Des Moines; J. H. Fiedler, to the Missouri; J. D. Hollister, to the Missouri; J. D. Van Buskirk, to the Korea; W. P. Ross, to the Ore.; G. B. Van Buskirk, to the South Kansas; S. S. Martin, to Missouri; Daniel McGurk, to Genesee; H. A. King, to South Kansas; A. J. May, to the Nebraska; V. W. Henderson, South Kansas; E. Simpson, to South Kansas; E. B. Randle, to the Illinois.

16. **Who have Died?**
Noble H. Buck, Willshire R. Peters, John B. Van Petten.

17. **Who have been Located at their own Request?**
None.

18. **Who have been Located?**
None.

19. **Who have Withdrawn?**
S. W. McClure.

20. **Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?**
None.

21. **Who have been Expelled?**
None.

22. **What other personal Notation should be made?**
The Credentials of A. J. Graves were restored. Orders of John Handyside recognized as Deacon, from the Free Will Baptist; James W. Null, as a Deacon from the Christian Church. The case of H. A. Harvey was referred.

23. **Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**
E. D. C. Koeth, four years; Wm. T. Pyles, four years; Wm. K. Collins, four years; Chas. A. Mitchell, three years; Jesse W. Farr, two years; Marion A. Kerr, two years; Wm. T. Ferguson, two years, Homer A. Babbitt, two years, Andrew T. Osbron, one year; G. A. Glens, one year.

24. **Who are the Superannuated Preachers?**
J. H. Porter, E. H. Baird, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, M. Bell, Joseph Harris, J. S. Harris, John Welch, J S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, G. W. Hughey, Frank Oechsli, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgway, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, W. M. Creamer, Thos. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, Hervey Smith, I. M. Galbraith, J. H. Hurley, James B. Brewington, James Lokey, I. J. Lunbeck.

25. **Who are the Triers of Appeals?**
H. B. Foster, H. G. Mais, Wm. Leatherman, J. W. Needham, D. W. Crow.

26. **What is the Statistical Report for this year?**
See Statistical Tables.

27. **What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?**
$32,463.

28. **What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?**
$4.500.

29. **What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?**
$5,390.
See Conference Claimants Directory.

30. **What is the Amount of the Five Per Cent of Collections for the Conference Claimants' Connectional Fund paid by the Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?**
$184.

31. **Where are the Preacher Stationed?**
See Appointments.

32. **Where shall the Next Conference be held?**
Eldorado Springs.

EXAMINERS AND THEIR WORK FOR 1909-10.

Chairman—Geo. J. Hunt, Mt. Vernon, Mo.

Registrar and Treasurer—J. W. Coontz, 3812 East 18th Street, Kansas City, Mo.

Members—C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, E. V. Claypool, J. W. Coontz, A. D. Ball, H. B. Foster, M. H. Lichliter, Luthur Freeman, Geo. J. Hunt, Naphtali Luccock, J. J. Martin, H. G. Mais, Frank Neff, J. W. Needham, J. W. Stewart, T. P. Shaffer, L. M. Thompson, Ralph Wakefield, J. M. Carter.

Subjects for Essays:—

Second Year—The Element of Inspiration in the Holy Scriptures.

Fourth Year—The Origin and Place of the Deaconate in the Early Christian Church.

Texts for Sermons—Admission: John 3:16. First Year: Ephesians 2:8. Third Year: 2 Tim. 3.5.

E. V. CLAYPOOL—Analogy of Religion.

H. G. MAIS—Divine Library of the Old Testament.

T. P. SHAFFER—Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief.

J. W. NEEDHAM—Manuel of Bible History.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK—History of the Christian Church, Vols. I. and II.

LUTHER FREEMAN—System of Christian Doctrine.

D. W. CROW—Christian Perfection.

O. M. STEWART—English Branches.

J. M. CARTER—Studies in Ethical Principles.

J. W. STEWART—Lectures on Homiletics.

M. H. LICHLITER—Lessons in Logic.

RALPH WAKEFIELD—Outlines of Universal History.

H. B. FOSTER—Student's American History.

C. V. CRISS—Hermeneutics.

FRANK NEFF—Outlines of Descriptive Psychology.

L. M. THOMPSON—Short History of the English People.

A. D. BALL—Discipline of 1908.

J. J. MARTIN—Essays of the Fourth Year and Sermons for Admission.

N. B. At the earliest possible moment let each Examiner send to the Chairman the needed number of sets of questions for the studies assigned him.

Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the studies assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months. Let all claims for College credits be presented at once to the Chairman. An authorized certificate must accompany such claims.

RULES OF EXAMINING BOARD.

1. Examinations and Examiners.

1st. All examinations on the Conference course must be taken in the months of June, September, December and February, as per plan published in the Conference minutes. Page opposite.

2nd. All examinations must be taken before the Board member in charge of the study, or an appointee of the Chairman, who must be a member of a Conference, and such sub-examiner must authenticate the examination and transmit all questions and answers to the said Board Examiner. See Discipline, 1904, Appendix par. 64, sec. 5.

3rd. All papers must emanate from the Chairman, but the name of the examiner in each case will be made known to the student. Within 60 days from adjournment of the Conference each examiner will deposit with the Chairman a suitable number of sets of questions on each of the studies he has charge of. The mininum number of questions on one study being ten and the maximum twenty.

4th. No examination will be granted at the seat of Conference except in cases of the most extreme necessity, and no re-examination shall be granted. A candidate for admission on trial will be granted examinations at any time, on the request of his Presiding Elder, but the earliest date is desirable.

5th. Conference Examiners will report to the Registrar at the end of each schedule term as to the grades they have given.

11. Students.

1st. All candidates for examination who are present at the session of the Conference shall some time during the session be convened before the Board for mutual consultation.

2nd. In no case shall two or more examination papers be bound together, but each must be made separate; on paper of uniform size designated by the Board, viz: "letter" size. All must be neatly written in ink, or typewritten, on one side only, and being properly dated, paged, fastened together and signed.

3rd. No undergraduate shall be advanced from the class of the first year, or of the third year who has failed in any of the requirements of said year, except on the recommendation of two-thirds of the Board present and voting. In case of the continuance of any undergraduates in the same class or year, or their advance, they shall be permanently credited with the grades of the studies in which they passed.

4th. All students must certify in writing that they have "read the books carefully."

5th. Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months.

6th. No grades will be furnished students before reporting thereon in Conference.

Credits and Fees.

1st. In view of the expense on the part of the Chairman and others, in postage, printing, etc., it is required that a fee of fifty cents be paid in advance o the Treasurer by each student annually while in the course. No papers wil be sent without compliance with this rule.

2nd. Credits will be given by the Board through the Chairman in harmony with the provisions of the Discipline (1904) Appendix par. 63. Notice must be given the Chairman at the opening of the Conference year by those who intend to make claims for credits.

IV. Itinerant Club.

1st. The Board shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three, the Chairman and Registrar being members ex-officio, who shall have charge of the program of the "Itinerant Club," such program to be published not later than one month before the meeting of the Annaul Conference. The committee for the year 1908-9 consists of Ralph Wakefield, F. S. Beggs, N. Luccock.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDER-GRADUATES. 1909-12.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the Studies of the four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference for Under-Graduates:—

MONTHS	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May June	1. Divine Library of the Old Testament. To Be Read: 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I.—Sermons 1-35. 2. Methodist Review.	1. The Ancestry of our English Bible. To Be Read: 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I.—Sermons 34-58. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Biblical Hermeneutics. 2. The Governing Conference in Methodism. To Be Read: 1. History of Methodism, Vol. 2. The Christian Faith, pp. 1-253. 3. Ecclesiastical Architecture. 4. Methodist Review.	1. Grounds of Theistic and Christian Relief. 2. Outlines of Universal History, Part III. To Be Read: 1. The Christian Faith, pp. 257-531. 2. Social Aspects of Religious Institutions. 4. Methodist Review.
July August September	1. Lectures on Homiletics. To Be Read: 1. A Compendious History of American Methodism. 2. The Heart of Asbury's Journal 3. Methodist Review.	1. Lessons in Logic. 1. History of Methodism, Vol. I. 2. The Pastor and Modern Missions. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Outlines of Universal History, Parts I and II. To Be Read: 1. History of Western Europe. 2. Christianity and the Social Crisis. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. II. To Be Read: 1. History of Methodism, Vol. III. 2. Philosophy of Christian Religion. 3. Methodist Review.
October November December	1. System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 1-322. To Be Read: 1. Digest of Methodist Law. 2. Extemporaneous Oratory. 3. How to be a Pastor. 4. Methodist Review.	1. System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 325-635. To Be Read: 1. English and American Literature. 2. History and Exposition of the 25 Articles of Religion of the Methodist Episcopal Church. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. I. To Be Read: 1. The Bible: : Its Origin and Nature. 2. Hymn Treasures. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Butler's Analogy. To Be Read: 1. Sociology.—C. D. Wright. 2. The Land of Israel. 3. Methodist Review.
January February March	1. Student's American History. 2. Written Sermon. To Be Read: 1. The Social Message of the Modern Pulpit. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Short History of the English People. 2. Essay. To Be Read: 1. The Church and the Social Problem. 2. How to conduct a Sunday School. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Psychology. 2. Written Sermon. To Be Read: 1. Psychological Principles of Education. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Studies in Ethical Principles. 2. Essay. To Be Read: 1. The Study of the Child. 2. Pentateuch.—Bissell. R. Methodist Review.

MISCELLANEOUS APPOINTMENTS

TRIERS OF APPEALS.

H. B. Foster, H, G. Mais, Wm. Leatherman, J. W. Needham, D. W. Crow.

EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY,

J. W. Stewart, President, J. W. Caughlin, G. B. Thomas, H. G. Humphrey, H. A. Barton, S. E. Betts, W. N. Gaither.

CONFERENCE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Managers—O. M. Stewart, H. B. Foster, W. S. Platt, T. H. Hagerty, Wm. Stephens.

BOARD OF MOME MISSIONS AND EXTENSIONS.

District Superintendents—J. W. Needham, J. W. Stewart, J. J. Martin, H L. Hunter, J. L. Dameron, J. P. Walker, J. C. Preston, Ely Paxon, W. L. Waples, T. J. Langston, F. L. Thompson, H. M. Smith.

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For Three Years—J. W. Stewart, H. A. Mitchell, Mrs. Ellen Burge.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

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REV. FFANK NEFF—Joplin, Mo., Carthage District.

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REV. L. H. SWEETLAND—Doe Run, Mo., Farmington District.
REV. ROWLAND HILL—Kingsville, Mo., Kansas City District.
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W. R. JONES—St. Louis, Mo., St. Louis District.
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A. R. NICHOLS—Gumbel Bldg., Kansas City, Mo., Kansas City District.
W. L. LONG—Mansfield, Mo., Lebanon District.
WM. YULE—St. Louis, Mo., St. Louis District.
E. D. HOLBERT—Sedalia, Mo., Sedalia District .
J. T. JOHNSON—Springfield, Mo., Springfield District.

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J. P. WALKER—Joplin, Mo., Carthage District.
S. T. GRESHAM—Farmington, Mo., Farmington District.
M. F. SIMMONE—Scarrit Arcade, Kansas City, Mo., Kansas City District.
W. C. SHANNON—Mountain Grove, Mo., Lebanon District.
W. A. CANN—St. Louis, Mo., St. Louis District.
H. L. HUNTER—Clinton, Mo., Sedalia District.
A. M. GRAY—Springfield, Mo., Springfield District.

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Carthage District—District Superintendent, H. W. Hargett, M. H. Waters, C. T. Orr, Frank Neff.

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Kansas City District—District Superintendent, Luther Freeman, O. M. Stewart, M. F. Simmons, F. L. Chesney.

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St. Louis District—District Superintendent, E. P. Anderson, A. D. Ball, F. P. Hays, J. C. Lea.

Sedalia District—District Superintendent, W. T. Cummins, G. J, Hunt, E. E. Johnson, C. W. Sneider.

Springfield District—District Superintendent, J. W. Stewart, W. D. Sidman, Ely Paxon, A. W. Lincoln.

TO PREACH THE MISSIONARY SERMON.

LUTHER FREEMAN.

TRUSTES OF PERMANENT FUND.

Elected for three years—N. Luccock, Luther Freeman, H. L. Hunter.

TRUSTES FOR McKENDREE CHAPEL.

J. W. KARSCH, Farmington; A. J. BONO, Doe Run; CARL McNEELY, Fruitland; P. B. DAVIS, Jackson; WM. ABERNATHY, Lutesville.

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Kansas City District—Rev. O. M. Stewart, Dr. Jos. McKee.
St. Louis District—Rev. M. H. Lichliter, Frank P. Hays.
Carthage District—Rev. Frank Neff, Charles T. Orr.
Lebanon District—Rev. T. P. Shaffer, G. F. Gilbert.
Sedalia District—Rev. F. S. Beggs, Dr. E. H. Holbart.
Farmington District—Rev. L M. Thompson, Mrs R. D. Mammeck.
Springfield District—J. C. Gilbert, A. M. Gray.
District Superintendents members of Board Ex-officio.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANT'S DIRECTORY

NAME.	POST OFFICE.	Annuity	Spec.	Tot.
Baird, E. H.	Marionville, Mo.	$ 73	$ 15	$ 88
Brewington, J. B.	San Diego, Cal.	35	65	100
Barber, Mrs. A.	Moran, Kansas.	28	47	75
Beatty, Mrs. W. M.	San Diego, Cal.	22	78	100
Brough, Mrs. A. B.	2605A Cannon st., Danville, Ill.	28	118	146
Benefield, Mrs. T. S.	Columbus, Kansas.	80		80
Bewley, Miss C. A.	Oklahoma City, Okla.	100		100
Creamer, W. M.	Fredonia, Kansas.	69	73	142
Clifford, Mrs. A. J.	1317 N. 7th St., Kans. City, Kan.	15	59	74
Cowden, Mrs. H. R.	619 W. 5th Ave., Pine Bluff, Ark.	38	42	80
Daniel, Mrs. J. B.	Warsaw, Mo.	19	171	190
Durham, Mrs. M. M.	Lamar, Mo.	28	108	136
Finley, J. W.	942 Sandusky, Kans. City, Kan.	120	18	138
Fry, C. D.	Cabool, Mo.	116		116
Garner, Mrs. E.	6122 Walker st., Denison, Tex.	26	22	48
Harris, J. S.	St. George, Georgia.	99	41	140
Harris, Joseph.	Los Angeles, Ca.	120		120
Hughey, G. W.	3601 Holmes St., Kans. City, Mo.	186	49	235
Hurley, J. H.	Epworth, Ga.	103		103
Heinlein, Mrs. J. J.	1438 Newton, Washington, D.C.	45	5	50
Houts, Mrs. M. A.	Centerview, Mo.	15	41	56
Jones, S.	Clinton, Mo.	16	84	100
January, Mrs. M. B.	Dixon, Mo.	45	118	163
Jump, Mrs. H. A.	721 Highland, Kansas City, Mo.	45	125	170
Knease, T. H.	Seymour, Mo.	77	123	200
Little, Mrs. Corilla.	Cartersburg, Ind.	5	41	46
McKee, Mrs. Rachel.	5157 Morgan st., St. Louis, Mo.	24	32	56
Miller, Mrs. G. B.	2624 Brooklyn, Kansas City, Mo.	28	63	91
Miller, Mrs. Jacob.	Steelville, Mo.	58	18	76
Moffatt, Mrs. A. J.	Washburn, Mo.	50	68	118
Morris, Mrs. Jane.	519 E. Linn, Springfield, Mo.	9	16	25
Oechsli, Frank	Baldwin, Kansas.	94		94
Porter, J. S.	Knob Noster, Mo.	86	114	200
Porter, Mrs. L. A.	Rich Hill, Mo.	5	50	55
Peters, Mrs. L. M.	Decatur, Ind.	37	15	52
Ridgeway, D. C.	920 Myrtle, Fort Worth, Tex.	151		151
Stephens, Wm.	Belton, Mo.	151	174	325
Stickney, F. M.	Eldon, Mo.	73	37	110
Threlfall, Henry.	R. F. D. No. 1, Galena, Mo.	103	42	145
Salloway, Mrs. M. E.	Smithon, Mo.	41	124	165
Toland, H. A.	Evanston, Wyo.	9	67	76
Turrentine, Mrs. W. O.	Marionville, Mo.	7	67	74
Welch, John.	Eldorado Springs, Mo.	78	11	189
Walker, Mrs. C. B.	Marionville, Mo.	28	45	73
Wood, Mrs. S. C.	R. F. D. No. 2, Los Angeles, Cal.	27	44	71
Yeager, W. F.	Marionville, Mo.	90		90
Squier, E. A.	Illinois.	152		152
		$2854	$2530	$5384

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

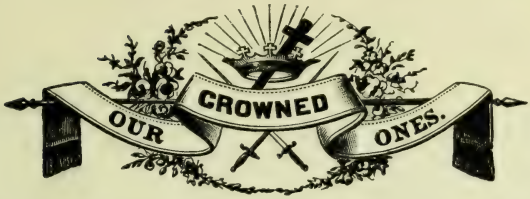
At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons.*	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevolences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg.	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,683	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg.	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av. K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck.	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad. Transfers, etc.	Ordained Deacons*	Ordained Elders*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontinued.	Deaths.	Lay Members†	Benevolences‡
33	1901, March 20...	Bolivar.....	Andrews.....	Wm. Stephens...	L. E. Gower.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	6	3	11	3	6	3	..	20	2	3	32,338	18,815
34	1902, March 26...	Butler.....	Warren.....	Wm. Stephens...	Perry E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	4	..	..	17	1	..	32,573	22,189
35	1903, March 25...	Marshall.....	Hamilton.....	Wm. Stephens...	Perry E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	8	10	6	2	..	..	10	1	2	30,025	26,025
35	1904, March 23...	Carthage.....	Walden.....	Wm. Stephens...	Perry E. Pierce.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	4	10	3	3	3	1	9	1	..	33,882	27,259
37	1905, March 22...	Farmington.....	McDowell.....	Wm. Stephens...	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	5	8	2	11	2	1	14	2	2	34,350	29,940
38	1906, March 29...	Joplin.....	Fitzgerald.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	10	10	11	3	..	..	12	3	2	36,432	32,567
39	1907, March 20...	Clinton.....	Wilson.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	16	7	16	6	3	1	1	8	2	3	36,407	46,832
40	1908, March 18...	Springfield.....	Warren.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	7	11	7	11	..	5	14	1	3	37,503	34,714
41	1909, March 17 ..	Sedalia.....	Anderson.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	13	11	16	10	6	..	1	21	1	3	37,799	32,463

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	1837	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary..	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland.	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark.	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

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Robert I. Fleming..	1886	Aug. 28, '94	Seattle, Wash.	34	Effective . ..	8
Benj. F. Poole.....	1875	Nov. 25, '94.	St. Louis, Mo.....	43	Effective	19
Thos. M. Durham...	1872	July 30, '95.	Irwin, Mo.	49	Supernumerary	13
Rolan Moffat.....	1851	Aug. 27, '95.	Washburn, Mo.	80	Superannuated.	44
Jas. W. Cowden.....	1872	Oct. 21, '95..	Rich Hill, Mo.....	50	Superannuated.	23
Erastus A. Porter...	1866	Aug. 23, '96.	Lebanon, Mo.	72	Superannuated.	30
Wilbur G. Williams.	1876	Apr. 16, '97.	St. Louis, Mo.....	44	Effective	20
William Jones.....	1862	Jan. 1, '98..	Kansas City, Mo....	64	Effective	34
Francis Ballaine....	1880	Aug. 15, '98.	Horine, Mo.	65	Superannuated.	18
Jacob Miller.....	1859	Apr. 16, '99.	Kelleysville, I. N...	73	Superannuated.	40
Cyrus Brough.....	1878	May 8, '99.	St. Louis, Mo.....	52	Superannuated.	21
Wm. M. Beatty....	1887	Sept. 17, '99	Marshall, Mo.	51	Effective	12
Harry M. Hackney.	1875	Dec. 3, '99.	Ashland, Neb.	50	Superannuated.	24
Jas. H. Vaughan....	1859	Apr. 15, '00.	St. Clair Co., Mo..	80	Superannuated.	41
Jas. B. Daniel.....	1867	Aug. 28, '00.	Sedalia, Mo.	65	Superannuated.	33
Albert Jump.....	1877	Jan. 5, '01..	Holden, Mo.	60	Effective	24
Clark B. Beaty.....	1876	May 9, '02.	Buffalo, Mo.	52	Superannuated.	16
Isaac Entwisle.....	1866	July 30, '02.	Indianapolis, Ind...	78	Superannuated.	36
Stanford Ing.....	1858	Nov. 11, '04.	Thompsonville, Ill..	84	Superannuated.	46
Benj. F. January...	1880	Nov. 15, '04.	Dixon, Mo.	71	Effective.	24
Theo. S. Benefiel...	1866	Aug. 28, '05.	Lamar, Mo.	77	Superannuated.	39
Alanson Barber.....	1865	Mar. 27, '06.	Baxter Springs, Kas	72	Superannuated.	41
Levi W. Munsell....	1841	Apr. 24, '06.	Peggy, Mo.	88	Superannuated.	21
George P. Miller....	1889	May 7, '06..	Tipton, Mo.	52	Effective.	16
Milton B. Wood....	1867	Feb. 15, '07.	Cal.	66	Superannuated.	16
Wm. B. Hamel.....	1878	Mar. 30, '07	Clinton, Mo.	33	Effective.	29
James F. Corrington	1873	Sept. 5, '07.	Piasa, Ill.	67	Supernumerary.	35
Wm. O. Turrentine..	1896	Feb. 16, '08.	Greenfield, Mo.	49	Effective.	12
Noble H. Buck.....	1870	Sept. 29, '08.	Tulsa, Okla.	73	Superannuated.	38
Willshire R. Peters.	1891	June 2, '08..	Springfield, Mo. ...	43	Effective.	16
John B. Van Petten	1852	Oct. 31, '08.	Cazenovia, N. Y....	81	Superannuated.	42

REV. M. B. WOOD.

Milton B. Wood, son of George and Susan H. Wood, was born at Lawrenceburgh, Dearbon Co., Ind., August 29, 1840. He attended the Aurora Academy. When he was sixteen years old, his parents moved to Medaryville, Ill. His father going into business, he assisted as a clerk.

He was a soldier in the Civil War, serving in the 20th and 83rd INDIANA INFANTRY. He was a member of the L. B. Brown Post, G. A. R., Sheldon, Ill.

October 20, 1863, he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah C. Huddleston. To this union were born three sons and two daughters. Brother Wood was converted at Aurora, Ind., in 1866, and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church. It was there he felt a call to the ministry, and in the fall of 1867 he entered the N. W. Ind. Conference on trial. In due process he was ordained Deacon and Elder.

He was a firm believer in the doctrines of the Methodist Episcopal Church, PREACHING them wherever he was sent. Ere many years, failing in health, he took a location. In Indiana he had the following charges: Wheeler, Calumet, Argus, Pittsburg, Summit Grove and Jamestown.

In 1883 he was readmitted to the St. Louis Conference. Here he served: Goode Av., St. Louis; Farmington, Carterville, Jasper

and Tipton. His health again giving away, in the spring of 1888, he took the superannuated relation.

That same year he removed to Sheldon, Ill. There he labored in the Sabbath-school, having a large class of young men. He also assisted, when health would permit, in revival services. Though not in the active work, he was never idle, always ready to speak a word for the Master, and always ready to stand firm for the Church.

In 1903 he moved to California for the benefit of his wife's failing health, as well as his own. He again took up the Sabbath-school work, teaching a large class in the St. James Methodist Episcopal Church, Los Angeles. On Friday, Feb. 15, 1907, his spirit took its flight to the God who gave it. He leaves to mourn their loss, a wife, two sons and two daughters. The funeral services were conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. Mr. Fisher. The body was laid to rest in Rosedale cemetery, amid a beautiful bower of floral offerings.

R. C. McINTYRE.

REV. W. R. PETERS.

Willshire Riley Peters was born in Adams County, Indiana, July 4, 1865. His father died on his way home from the Andersonville Prison, before Brother Peters was born.. When twelve years old his mother died. At the age of seventeen years, at Monnoeville, Ind., he found Jesus Christ, dear to him as a Savior. This was a life-long companionship. He moved to Decatur, Ind., where he united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, entering actively in the Master's work. In 1885 he was married to Miss Minnie Delavan. A daughter was born to them. Mother and child passed home within six months of each other. He moved to Ohaha, Neb., where he was employed as a city missionary under Rev. C. N. Dawson, D.D. He then attended Nebraska Wesleyan University. While at school he was married to Miss Myra Klepper. Three sons were born to them, one of whom died in infancy. Shortly after his marriage he went to the Black Hills as a missionary, where he labored under the superintendency of Rev. J. B. Carns,D.D. He was admitted on trial in the Black Hills Mission Conference in August, 1892, and was ordained Elder by Bishop Warren.

He served Creston circuit, Sundance, Hermosa and Hill City. The altitude proving too high, he was transferred to the North Nebraska braska Conference, where he served with acceptability Wood River, Scotia, Springfield, Scribner and Norfolk circuit. He then transferred to the Nebraska Conference in the fall of 1906, and served McCool Junction with marked ability. In December of that

year he was married to Miss Letta M. Cloud. In 1907 he was transferred to the St. Louis Conference. While enroute to Springfield, Mo., to take charge of Daily Church, his baby died. He was reappointed at the Annual Conference for another year. On June 2 ne went to marry a couple and after the supper he ran two blocks to catch a street car, and five minutes thereafter he had answered the call and went home. His decease is mourned by his wife, three sons, three brothers and one sister.

Brother Peters was a splendid worker, well liked on every charge he served. He was a pastor among his people, they always found an open heart for him to enter. The young people were bound to him by strong ties. His faith in God was unlimited. He was a Christian optimist, an indefatigable worker, a good student and preached. An affectionate husband, splendid citizen, a man among men, awake to the needs of Methodism and ready for any service for the Church.

His funeral was conducted at Daily Church, Springfield, by the district superintendent, assisted by Dr. J. W. Stewart, H. B. Foster and Rev. W. Frank Baker, and was concluded at his former home in Decatur, Ind., where the writer was assisted by C. B. Wilcox. Here the body was interred.

CHAS. C .JAMES.

REV. N. H. BUCK.

Noble H. Buck, son of Nathan and Sarah H. Buck, was born at Fairfax, Franklin County, Vt., October 28, 1835. When about twenty years of age he came to Illinois. After a few years, he moved to Crawford County, Mo., and taught school until the Civil War began, when he returned to Illinois. On May 8, 1861, he being loyal to his country and patriotic, enlisted in the Union Army as a private. He was in many hard-fought battles without receiving a wound. He was with Sherman on his march "from Atlanta to the sea." He held the rank of lieutenant when mustered out October 22, 1865. The war having closed, he returned to Illionis and taught school until 1869, when he again moved to Crawford County, Mo. His marriage to Margaret A. Harrison was solemnized in St. Louis, Mo., August 30, 1865. The fruits of this union were three sons and one daughter, all of whom died in infancy, but W. O. Buck, who is assistant cashier of the Central National Bank of Tulsa, Oklahoma. He was reared in the Episcopal Church. On coming to Illinois he united with the Methodist Episcopal Church. His license to exhort was granted in Illinois, April 8, 1860. He was licensed to preach by the Leesburg Quarterly Conference, January 15, 1870, Stanford Ing being presiding elder. The St. Louis Conference admited him on trial at Springfield,

Mo., March, 1870. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Scott in 1872, and elder by Bishop Andrews in 1874.

The following is his pastoral record: 1870-71, Leesburg; 1872, St. James; 1873-74, Licking; 1875-76, Potosi; 1877, Webster; 1878-79, supernumerary; 1880, Houston; 1881-83. West Plains; 1884(Greenfield; 1885-56, Avilla; 1886, Billings; 1887, Dixon. The failing health of his wife caused him to secure the supernumerary relation in 1888. After the death of his wife in 1892, he made his home with his son. Finding himself permanently disabled, he asked for and obtained the superannuate relation in March in 1901, which he graced with becoming ministerial conduct. He moved with his son to Seneca, Mo., in 1897, and to Tulsa, Oklahoma, in 1907. Since his superannuation his health has been feeble. His organic troubles made continuous and serious inroads on vitality. He did not fully recover from the painful attack of la grippe which he had in February 1907fl At times he appeared to improve, then the old trouble would return, and each time leave him weaker. On Friday, September 25, he was feeling weak, but arose and ate his breakfast as usul. At supper time his appetite was gone and the family saw that his mind aws wandering and persuaded him to retire, thinking rest would bring him needed relief. Everything ws done for him that could be done, but he grew worse. On Saturday morning he went into convulsions, after which he became unconscious, caused by a clot of blood on the brain. Saturday and Sunday night he was in great pain. Sunday morning he fell into a deep sleep until 3 p. m. Tuesday, September 29, 1908, when peacefully and sweetly the end came. Rev. J. W. Baker, pastor of First Church, Tulsa, Oklahoma, conducted his funeral, using Tim. 2:15 for his text. He was buried by the Masonic fraternity.

Brother Buck regretted his inability to attend the last two sessions of his Conference. It was one of the dearest hopes of his life to attend the next session of his Conference and greet his brethren and be greeted. Brother Buck was highly appreciated as a Christian man. When he was able he was regular in his attendance on the church services, in which he delighted. In his faith and cheerfulness he always had kind and helpful words for both children and adults. His Christian experience was of the definite character. He lived in sympathy and love with his pastor and was always glad to render any service that would be helpful to him. As a preacher he was listened to with interest. The hearers knew they were receiving a heavenly message from the heart of a noble God-fearing minister of Jesus Christ. One who was his presiding elder said in substance: "Brother Buck was one of the most faithful pastors I ever had. He was true to all the interests of the Church—not seeking his own glory, but the glory of God and the welfare of the people. He was a conscientious Christian, an instructive preacher and an effectionate father

and husband. He loved his ministerial brethren with a sincere affection, never speaking evil of any. I had no fear for the welfare of a church when he was pastor, for he was a man whom you could trust." The last pastor he had in Missouri says of him: "He was the truest man I ever met. He loved God, his Church and his fellow-preachers. He gave of his time, his influfence and his money to the Master's kingdom. I have seen him tested, but never knew him to weaken, or be untrue. Close association with him made us love him the more. The memory of him will make me a better man. In a letter to this pastor a few weeks before he died, he said: "Often I have heard people say, 'I wish I could see into the future and know what is before me.' I am well satisfied to know what the future has in store for me as that future becomes a present experience. I believe it is a very wise and merciful ordering of Divine Providence that the future is hidden from our view only as we move forward, step by step, into the future by becoming the present. How much we need to walk by faith and not by sight! Happy, the one who can say, with Newman, 'One step enough for me.' This may require a more complete resignation to the Divine will than many of us have, but, bless God, it is our happy, blessed privilege to live on that higher ground, where we can have the assurance that whatever our surroundings or however dark the night we are passing through, 'I am not holding on to Father's hand, but He is holding on to mine.' Oh, how close Father can and does get to his trusting child in the dark hours of his life! There were times when I was at the worst that I felt that I might be drawing to the end of my journey. Just how I felt I can't tell any further than the thought of heaven and Jesus thrilled my soul."

E. J. HUNT.

JOHN BULLOCK VAN PETTEN.

John Bullock Van Peten, son of Peter and Lydia (Bullock) Van Petten, was born in Sterling, N. Y., June 19, 1827.

He graduated from Wesleyan University, Conn., with the class of 1850. He received the degree of Ph. D. from Syracuse University in 1860. He was married August 10, 1850, to Mary B. Mason, daughter the Rev.——————Mason one of the Agents of the Methodist Book Concern.

He was received on trial in Black River Conference in 1852, and for two years was stationed at Cape Vincent. His ordinations were, as deacon, 1854 by Bishop Morris, as elder, 1856 by Bishop Waugh. In 1854 he was appointed to the New York Conference Seminary. A successful teacher, he was made Principal of Fairfield Seminary

in 1855 and continued tilll 1861, leaving the principalship to enter the army. He served as Chaplain of the 34th New York Infantry from June 15th to Sept. 22nd, 1862; as Lieutenant Colonel of the 160th New York from Sept. 25th, 1852 to Jan. 20th, 1865; commanding the 2nd. brigade, 1st division, 19th corps, at Port Hudson, June 14, 1863; conducting himself with notable gallantry, and being complimented by General Sheridan in a general order. He was severely wounded at Opequan, Va., Sept. 19, 1864. Later he was commissioned as Colonel of the 193rd New York Infantry; and was brevetted Brigadier General in 1865, commanding the district of Cumberland in West Virginia.

At the close of war he returned to the principalship at Fairfield. He located from the ministry in 1860. He was State Senator in 1868-9. In 1869 he removed to Missouri. He was re-admitted in the St. Louis Conference at Sedalia, Mo., in 1880, on the fifth day of the session, and was appointed president of the Sedalia Collegiate Institute, which appointment he held until 1882. In 1883 he was supernumerary and returned east; in 1884 was made effective and appointed professor in in Claverac College, New York, teaching Latin and History. This work he held till 1899.

His death occurred at his home in Cazenovia, N. Y., Oct. 31, 1908, and his last days are thus described. "He had been very feeble physically, for four years, but mentally as strong as in his younger days. He began to fail rapidly in August, and grew weaker and weaker until the end, which was very peaceful. He fell asleep like an infant and we could not tell when the soul made its exit. He was eighty-one in June, and his years were full of labor for the Master in those fields for which he felt himself best adapted. He found pleasure doing the last year, when too weak for physical exertion, in memorizing hymns and psalms, and could repeat more than thirty of our most triumphant hymns, and more psalms.

"A loyal citizen, a valiant soldier, a ripe scholar, and an ardent Christian has heard the summons, Well done, Come up higher."

MRS. REBECCA PIERCE.

Rebecca Thornburg was born near Peru, Miama County, Ind., September 14, 1872. With her parents she removed to Barton County, Mo., when eleven years of age. In the fall of 1892 the family the family removed to the San Luis Valley, Colo. She was united in marriage to Perry E. Pierce, August 15, 1893, at Saguache, Colo. They immediately removed to Milford, Mo., where her husband had a position as principal of the public schools. She was converted about two months later and with her husband united with the Cum-

berland Presbysterian Church, there being no church of their choice accessible.. About two years later her husband was called into the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church and placed in charge at Jasper, Mo. Following this, they served three years at Liberal, four years at Byers Avenue, Joplin; four years at Appleton City; and had recently begun work at Epworth Church, Sedalia. She entered the experience of santification about four and one-half years ago. For nine years Sister Pierce had suffered intermittently, her suffering increasing in intensity and frequency for the past two years. Within the last two months she underwent two surgical operations in Bethany Hospital, where she died of sarcoma of the intestines, May 12, 1908. For more than two hours before she became unconscious she exhorted those about her to be true to Jesus and to "trust and obey" him. She sang one verse of "Power in the Blood" and one verse of "I'll Go Where You Want Me to Go." She gave directions for the funeral service and left messages for absent friends and loved ones. Her last conscious act was to smilingly express her confidence in Jesus Christ and perfect submission to His will. She requested that funeral services be held at Appleton City and that no sermon be preached, but the Sermon on the Mount be read, and the people be exhorted to obtain the experience and live up to the standard taught therein. In Christian work Sister Pierce excelled as a Sunday-school teacher and as a Junior League superintendent. There are now three men in the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, the result of her work in one Juniof League. The funeral services were held at Appleton City, conducted by the writer, assisted by Rev. J. B. Van Buskirk, of Shell City, Rev. J. M. Carter, pastor at Appleton City, offered prayer and Revs. J. N. Pierce and D. L. Thomas of Clinton, delivered short and appropriate addresses. After a short service at the cemetery at Lamar, Mo., in which Revs. J. J. Martin, pastor at Lamar, and W. F. Jones, presiding elder of the Sedalia District, took part, all that was mortal of Rebecca Thornburg Pierce, wife of Rev. Perry E. Pierce, was laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Lamar, there to await the resurrection in the last day.

E. SIMPSON.

MRS. MARY E. HURLEY.

Mary E. Hallum was born in Fannin County, Georgia, December 26, 1870. She was married to Rev. J. H. Hurley, August 29, 1899, then a member of the Georgia Conference. Five children were born to this union, one dying in infancy at Ironton, Mo. Brother Hurley and wife became identified with the St. Louis Conference in 1893. Sister Hurley's health failed shortly after her marriage

and although an invalid most of her time, she remained the faithful, devoted and cheerful wife and mother during all the years of her life. In the hope of benefiting her health, Brother Hurley took a superannuated relation and removed to Colorado two years ago. The change of climate, however, only resulted in temporary relief, so last July she was taken back to the old home of her childhood in Georgia, where she quietly and trustingly awaited the call of the Master. The following tribute is bestowed by her pastor, Rev. W. D. Stephenson: "Sister Hurley was converted at the age of fourteen, uniting at once with the Methodist Episcopal Church. She gave her best and strongest life to the itinerancy as the devoted wife of a Methodist minister. How often we write and speak of the life of our heroic preachers, but here we have a splendid example of none the less heroic serivce for the Master, sacrificing, toiling and laboring beside her devoted husband, working much and effectively in the altar service, and when the pastor and husband was away she took charge of the prayer and praise service. After Sister Hurley returned from the West, being confined all the while to her room, I frequently called to see her, always being met with a smile, and when departing could but feel how the blessed Savior could make her life so sweet and happy. She was always cheerful. It seemed that both she and her relatives and friends knew that the last would soon come. So, on March 28, 1908, she fell asleep in Jesus. So calmly and sweetly did she pass away that indeed it was as going to sleep after a day of toil. Sister Hurley is survived by a devoted husband, Rev. J. H. Hurley, and four children, for whom the hearts of many go out in sympathy and prayers."

D. W. CROW.

MRS. MARY ING.

Mary Summers was born in Sumner County, Tenn., December 22, 1819. She was married to Stanford Ing, June 17, 1839. She was converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in early life and during her husband's ministry was a faithful worker in the same. She was for many years a great sufferer, but she bore it all with patience till she passed peacefullp way, August 15, 1908, at the ripe ageof 88 years, 7 months and 23 days. She leaves one son and five daughters, one brother and two sisters, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, with many other relatives, to mourn her departure. Her life was one of toil and self-denial. Always thoughtful of others rather than herself. Faithful was she to home, to country and to Church, but her home was her castle, and around its hearthstone she won her greatest achievements. In the early sixties, when her husband was traveling up and down the country preaching,

exposed to dangers on every hand, loyal was she. For at home she kept her lonely vigil in defense of her children. For weeks and months she knew not where he was. Messages of death by violence were borne to her in the silence of the night, while none was near to pity or comfort. Her long joureny is ended, her weary feet pierced by the thorns along life's pathway, are at rest. The sunlight of God's love has chased away the shadows, victory and immortality through Christ are hers. Her pastor, W. L. Rhein, conducted the funeral at Liberty Church (Illinois), after which the body was laid to rest by the grave of him who through life had been her comfort and her stay.

E. R.

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MRS . RUTH PORTER.

Ruth, daughter of William and Lydia Bigham, was born in Huntsville, Alabama, October 30, 1829. Her parents, when Ruth was two years old, came to Johnson County, Mo., and located at Rock Springs, six miles north of Holden, where Ruth grew to womanhood. In 1859 she moved to Dunksburg, in the same county. Here she met Rev. J. S. Porter, to whom she was married March 5, 1865. Her husband afterward became a worthy and successful member of the St. Louis Confereince. He now holds the superannuate relation and is greatly loved by his brethren. Sister Porter was the mother of two sons, one of whom is a prominent physician in Knob Noster, Mo., the other, J. B. Porter is a traveling train auditor, living in St. Louis. At twelve years of age she united with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in which she lived a loyal and consistent member. Soon after her marriage she joined the Methodist Episcopal Church to share the labors, sacrifices and achievements of a Methodist preacher's life. This she did for forty-three years, never complaining of its hard-ships and deprivations. She was not presuming and forward but always intensely interested in Church work and loyal to the doctrines and government of the Church. So guarded was she in spirit, words and conduct that no friction was caused among the people nor burden to her husband's life.

To her husband she was a faithful and wise counselor when he was heavily burdened and almost discouraged. Her sons are monuments of her motherly devotion and wise government. For several years she was a constant sufferer. Her first stroke of paralysis came December 11, 1904, when she was living at Knob Noster, Mo. This practically deprived her of speach, only those who knew her well understand her. On Nov. 26, 1905, she was moved to Rich Hill, Mo.,

where she lived when the second attack came Feb. 19, 1906, since which she as perfectly helpless excepting a slight use of her left hand. In this condition she lingered until May 2, 1908, when she received the third shock whih resulted in her death May 5, 1908, aged 78 years, 7 months and 2 days.

During the period of her constant excruciating pain her mind was clear. She was interested in her sons, and made inquiry about their success in business, and especially concerning their spiritual welfare. The Church was in her mind and on her heart. Near the close her inquiries were concerning its progress. She talked the best she could, in her paralyzed condition, to her husband and her pastor, Rev. A. G. Keast, about the future and the strength of her hope.

Two or three days before the end came she said to her pastor, "I am just waiting to go home." Soon she went, "washed in the blood of the lamb." She died at Rich Hill, Mo., and her funeral was conducted from the Walnut Street Church May 7, 1908, the pastor, A. G. Keast, officiating. She was buried at Blackwater Chapel in Pettis County, Mo.

To Brother Porter the Conference extends its deepest sympathies while it earnestly prayes that he may have the abiding presence of the sympathizing Jesus and the comforting assurance that he "sorrows not as those who have no hope."

E. J. HUNT.

PASTORAL RECORD

(Including 1908)

This Record is intended to include only the appointments during membership in Conference, and not those as supplies.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99, Nevada; '00-'05, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '06-'08, St. L., Dr. Fry Memorial.

Anderson, Laban—M. E. Ch. So.; St. L. Con. M. E. Ch., 1904 Montrose; '05, Deepwater; '06 Huntingdale; '07-'08, Dresden.

Ashley, John—St. L. Conf. 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler, '88-'89, Sedalia, Montgomery Ct.; '90-'91, Lebanon; '92-'93, Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca; '00-'02, Bloomfield; '03, Pacific; '04-'07, Sup'ry.

Babbitt, H. A.—1888-'89, High Point, '90-'91, Cuba; '92-'93, Butler Ct.; '94-'97, Oak Grove; '98-'00, East Lynne; '01, Rockville; '02-'03, Smithton; '04-'07 (in part), Higginsville and Odessa; '08, Sup'ry.

Baird, E. H.—Pitts. Conf., 1859, Senecaville; '60, Edinburg; '61, Butler; '62, Newton; '63-'64, New Lexington; '65, Bible Agt.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '66-'67, Buffalo; '68-'75, Bible Agt.; '76-'77, Republic; '78-'07, Sup'ted.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '8-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'05, Austin; '96-'97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton; '02-'03, Rockville; '04, Deepwater; '05-'06, Butler Ct.; '07, Amsterdam; '08, High Point.

Baker, William Frank—1904, Garden City; '05-'06, Iberia; '07, Conway; '08, Springfield, Mt. Carmel.

Ball, A. D.—1891-93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; "99, DeSoto; "00-'05,, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '06, St. L., St. Luke; '07-'08, Wagoner Memorial.

Barnes, H. P.—Cen. Tenn. Conf., 1893-94. Lexington; '96, Summertown; '97-'99, in school; Va. Conf., '00, Highland; '01, Augusta; S. Ill. Conf., '02, Waltonville; '03-'05, Steeleville; '06, Golconda; St. L. Conf., '07-'08, Deepwater.

Barker, J. A.—Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf. 1901-92, St. Louis, Bowman; '03, Carondelet; '04-'06, Butler; '07-'08, Agent State Children's Home.

Barton, H. A.—Up. Ia. Conf. 1802-03, Owasa; '04, Elberon; '05-'07 (in part) Albion; St. L. Conf. '07-'08, K. C. Hyde Park.

Bechtel, Geo. C.—1904, Salem; '05-'06, Newburg and Dixon; '07-'08, Licking.

Beggs, F. S.—1859-60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63-'64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67-'68, Cape Girardeau; '69-'70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75-'76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, St. L. Central; '83, K. C. Summit St.; '84, St. L. Carondelet; '85-'86, Sup'ry (with work); '87-'91, P. E. Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93-'94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95-'96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L. Tower Grove; '99, Goode Ave.; '00-'05, Rolla; '06-'08, Smithton.

Bell, M.—1877-78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem, '80-81, Ironton and W.; '82-'83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87-'88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93-'94, Adrian; '95-'08, Supt'ed.

Bickers, W. H.—Cong. Ch.—St. L. Conf. 1908, Flat River.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Genl. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-'93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'04, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association ,Sup'ry; '05-'08, Conf. Evangelist.

Boner, J. H.—1905, Sheldon; '06-'07, Alba and Neck City; '08, Carthage Ct.

Borah, J. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1894-'95, Irvington Ct.; '96, Watson Ct.; '97-'98, Patoka Ct.; '99-'01, Okawville; '02-'04, E. St. L. Century Ch.; St. L. Conf.; '05-'06, St. L. Maplewood; '07-'08, St. Luke's.

Brannon, L. L.—1900, Eldorado Sp's Ct., '01-'02, Huntingdale; '03-'05, Green Ridge; '06, Deepwater; '07-'08, Eldorado Springs.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82-'83, Licking; '84, Dixon; "85, Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield, '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Peirce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '95, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97-'98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part), Pacific (in part), Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place; '03-'06, Sup'ted; '07-'08, Richland.

Britton, D. W.—Ill. Conf., 1895-'98, DeLand; '99-'01, Havana; '02-'06, Supry; St. L. Conf. '07-'08, Austin.

Brown, Walter E.—1904-'05, Carthage Ct.; '06-'07, K. C. Grace; '08, K. C. Phoenix Pk.

Buck, N. H.—1870-'71, Leesburg; '72, S. James; '73-'74, Licking; '75-'76, Potosi; '77, Webster; '78-'79, Sup'ry; '80, Houston; '81-'83, West Plains; '84, Greenfield; '85, Avilla; '86, Billings; '87, Dixon; '88-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'08, Sup'ted.

Campbell, S. B.—1887-'88, Osceola; '89-'91, Nevada; '92, St. Louis Goode Av.; '93-'97, Maple Av.; Mo. Conf., '98-'02, St. Joseph, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '03-'04, K. C. Linwood Av.; '05-'07, P. E. K. C. Dist., '08, D. S. K. C. Dist.

Carlos, C. R.—Ill. Conf., 1889-'90, Cisco; '91, St. Joseph; '92-'93, Grove City; '94, Raymond; '95-'97, Springfield, Kumler Ch.; '98 (in part), Greenfield; '99-'00, Anti-Saloon Work; St. Louis Conf., '00 (in part), '01, St. Louis, Trinity Ch.; '02-'07, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '08, K. C. Linwood Bvd.

Carpenter, L. R.—1874, Dadeville; '75-'76, Mecklin; '77-'79, Butler Ct.; '80-'81, Austin; '02, K. C., 16th St.; '83-'84, K. C., Dundee Place; '85-'87, Sup'ry; '88-'08, Sup'ted.

Carter, J. M.—Tenn. Conf.; 1870, Galloway and Brownsville; '71, Benton and Henry; '72, Tullahoma; '73-'74, Prof. in University; '75, Dickson; '76, Long Branch; Cen. Tenn. Conf., '77-'78, Shelbyville; '79, McMinnville; '80-'81, Tullahoma; '82-'85, P. E. McMinnville Dist.; 86, Tullahoma; '87-'89, P. E. Nashville Dist.; '90-'91, Tullhoma; '92-'93, P. E. Tullahoma Dist.; '94-'99, P. E. Huntington Dist.; '00-'02, Huntington; '03, Lexington; '04, Field Worker, S. S. Un.; St. L. Conf.; '05-'07, Malta Bend; '08, Appleton City.

Caughlan, J. W.—Mo. Conf., 1894, Blue Ridge Ct.; '95-'96, Laredo; '97-'98, Ludlow; '99-01, Jamesport; '02-'04, in School; '05, Maitland; '06-'07 (in part), Hannibal; St. L. Conf., '07-'08, Nevada.

Chatten, W. K.—South Kas. Conf., 1904, Crestline; '05, New Lancaster; St. L. Conf., '06-'08, Drexel.

Claypool, E. V.—1886-'89, N. W. Ind Conf.; '90-'97, Puget Sound Conf.; '98-'04, Upper Ia. Conf.; '05-'06, Kansas Conf.; St. L. Conf., '07-'08, K. C., Arlington.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76-'77, Cambridge; '78, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa; '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L. Trinity; '86, Clinton, '87-'89, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01-'02, Pleasant Hill; '03-'05, Lee's Summit; '06-'08, Sup'ry.

Coontz, J. W.—S. W. Mo. Conf. (M. E. Ch. So.), 1898-'00, K. C., Washington St.; '01-'02, Neosho; St. L. Conf. (M. E. Ch.) '03, Holden; '04-'08, K. C., Hammond Place (Oakhurst).

Cotton, C. T.—1903-'04, Avilla; '05-'06, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '07-'08, in school.

Courtney, W. S.—1887, Schell City; '88-'89, K. C. Liberty St., '90-92, Summit St.; '93, Nevada; '94-'98, St. L., Bowman; W. Wis. Conf., '99-'01, Eau Clair, First Ch.; '02-'04, New Richmond; Mo. Conf., '05, Fairport '06-'07 (in part), New Albany; St. L. Conf., '07-'08, Osceola.

Creamer, W. M.—1873-'85, in Ohio Conf., M. P. Ch.; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-'87, Salem; '88-'89, Farmington; '90, Sup'ry; '91, Fredericktown; '92-'94, Malta Bend; '95, Gr. Ridge; '96, Osceola; '97, Rockville; '98-'99, Sup'ry; '00, Linn Creek; '01, Iberia; '02, Phillipsburg; '03, Sheldon; '04, Iantha; '05-'08, Sup'ted.

Criss, C. V.—1877-'78, Lamar; '79-'80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82-'83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92-'93, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'04, P. E .Springfield Dist.; '05-'06, Springfield, Benton Av.; '07-'08, Butler.

Crow, D. W.—1881-'82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86-'87, Crystal City; '88-'92-'93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '00-'03, De Soto; '04-'08, Joplin, Byers Av.

Dixon, A. M.—Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch. So., 1900, West End; '01-'03, Du Quoin. S. Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch., '03, Mt. Vernon Ct.; St. Louis Conf., '04-'07, Fruitland; '08, Sarcoxie.

Dubois, F. E.—Ark. Conf.-St. L. Conf. 1908, Conf. Evangelist.

Dutton, D. C.—Up. Ia. Conf., 1901,-'03, McGregor; '04-'05, Field Sec. Upper Ia. University; '06-'07, Anamosa; St. L. Conf., '08, Webb City.

Elayer, E. W.—1897, Urbana; '98'-99, California; '00-'01, Mountain Grove; '02, Aurora and Mt. Vernon; '03-'06, Columbia River and Oregon Confs.; St. Louis Conf., '07-'08, Mt. Vernon.

Feidler, J. H.—West Ger. Conf., 1887-'89, Denver Col.; '90-'92, Papillo, Neb.; '93'-95, Wichita, Kas.; '96-'98, Enterprise, Kas.; '99-'00, Sedalia, Mo.; '01-'04, Children's Home Soc'y, St. L.; St. L. Conf., '05-'06, Poplar Bluff; '07, Sup'ry; '08, Field Supt. Mo. A. S. L.

Ferguson, W. T.—1897-'98, Carl Junction; '99, Carthage Ct.; '00-'01, Carl Junction; '02-'05, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '06-'07, Carterville; '08, Sup'ry.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70-'71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73-'74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84-'85, Sup'ry; 86-'87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91-'92; Knob Noster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Springs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02-'03, Windsor and Leeton; '04-'08, Sup'ted.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93-'94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'02, Green Ridge; '03-'04, Liberal; 05-06, Joplin, Central Av.; '07, Oronogo, '08, Hume and Foster.

Foster, H. B.—Kan. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Church; St. L. Conf., '92, Mountain Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94-'95, Mountain Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00-'05, P. E. Lebanon Dist.; '06, St. L., Trinity; '07-'08, Springfield, Benton Av.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83, Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94-'95, Carterville; '96, Golden City; '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01-'02, Peirce City; '03-'04, Seneca; '05-'08, Conf., Evangelist.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83-'84, Prairie Grove; '85-'86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Avilla; '88-'89, Billings; '90-'91, Dadeville; '92-'93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99-'00, Bolivar Ct.; '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool; '03-'04, Ava; '05-'08, Sup'ted.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85-'86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98-'99, Carterville; '00-'01, Eldorado Springs; '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07-'08, Sup'ted.

Getty, F.—Philadelphia Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '07, Carl Junction; '08, Carterville.

Gideon, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1878-'79, Magazine; '80-'81, Charleston; '82-'83, Ellsworth; '84-'85, Magazine; '86-'88, Amity; '89, Hot Springs; St. L. Conf., '90-'92, Festus; '93-'94, De Soto; '95, Hartville; '96-'97, Buffalo; '98-'99, Hume and Foster; '00-'01, Golden City; '02-'03, Carl Junction; '04-'05, Carterville; '06, Oronogo; '07, Hillsboro; '08, De-Soto Ct.

Gideon, T. J.—1897, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99-'00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02-'04, Hartville; '05, Conway; '06, Buffalo; '07-'08, Bloomfield.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873-'74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78-79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83-'84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88-'89, Pleasant Hill; '90-08, Missionary to Wyoming.

Glens, G. A.—1886-'87, Cuba; '88-'89, Salem; '90-'91, Sarcoxie; '92, Mt. Vernon; '93-'94, Appleton City; '95-'96, Malta Bend; '97-'98, Tipton; '99-'01, Smithton; '02-'03, Belton; '04-'06, Austin Conf.; St. L. Conf., '07-'08, Arian.

Gray, W. L.—1905-'07, Tuxedo Park; '08, Sligo.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855-'56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58-'59, Newark; '60-'61, Princeton; '62-'63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf., '64, St. Joe; '65-'68, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '69-'72, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '73-'75, P. E. St. Louis Dist.; '76-'77, Jefferson City; '78-'79, Pleasant Hill; '79-'80, K. C., Liberty St.; '81-'83, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '84-'86, St. L., Water Tower; '87-'08, Chap. St. L. Institutions.

Halterman, C. L.—Congregational Ch., ——; M. E. Ch., St. Louis Conf., '03, Salem; '04, St. L., Carondelet; '05, Harlem Place; '06-'07 (in part), Doe Run; '08, Missionary to Wyoming.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64-'65, Brighton; '66-'67, Salem; '68, Duquoin; '69-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E. Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree, Col.; '86-'87, Sup'ry (with work); St. L. Conf., '88-'89, St. L. Trinity; '90-'91, St. Luke; '92-'93, Sup'ry (with work); '94, St. L., '95, Union, Ass't. Pastor; '96-'08, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73-'74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76-'77, Ironton; '78, DeSoto; '79, Schell City; '80-'81, Lebeck; '82, transf'd to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92-'93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96-'08, Sup'ted.

Harrison, C. T.—1904-'05, Oronogo; '06-08, Neosho.

Harvey, H. L.—W. Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03-'07, St. L. Neidringhaus Memorial; '08, Salem.

Hoos, P. R.—1905, Huntingdale; '06-'07, Sligo; '08, St. L., Carondelet.

Hughey, G. W.—S. Ill., 1853-'78; St. L. Conf., '79-'81, St. L. Trinity; '82-'83, Carondelet; '84, Conf., Tem. Agt.; '85, Carondelet; '86-'88, Carthage; '89-'93, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '94-'95, Benton Av.; '96-'08, Superanuated.

Humphrey, H. G.—1896-1901, at school; '02, K. C. Howard Memorial; '03-'05, at school; '06-'07, Independence; 108, K. C., Broadway.

Hunt, E. J.—1878-'79, Walnut; '80-'82, Osceola; '83-'85, Malta Bend; '86, East Lynne; '87-'90, Holden; '91-'92, Lee's Summit; '93, K. C., Arlington; '94-'99, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '00-'01, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '02-'07, P. E. Sedalia Dis.; '08, D. S. Carthage Dist.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry City; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S.; '96-'00, Lamar; '01-'02, Lebanon; '03-'06, Bolivar; '07-'08, Warrensburg.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84-'85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnel Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in school; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf, (mid-year, St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96-'97, California; '98, Urbana; '99-'00, Licking; '01, Hartville; '02, Knobnoster; '03-'04, Huntingdale; '05-'06, Dadeville; '07-'08, Sup'ted.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L. Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97-'02, Malta Bend; '03-'04, Rich Hill; '05, transf'd to St. Johns Riv. Conf., St. Louis Conf., '06, DeSoto; '07, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '08, D. S. Springfield Dist.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton; '98-'03, Butler; '04-'07, Joplin, 1st Church; '08, D. S. Sedalia Dist.

Jones, Sam'l.—1873-'74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'08, Sup'ted..

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1879, Huntsville; '79-'80, Yellville; '81-'82, Mountain Home; '83-'84, Waldron; '85, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '87-'89, P. E. Harrison and Ft. Smith Dist.; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part); St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Marshfield; '98-'99, Bolivar; '00-'03, Monett; '04-'06, Mountain Grove; '07-'08, Seymour and Mansfield.

Jones, H. A.—1892-'93, Missionary in Utah; '94, at school; '95-'98, St. L. Goode Av.; '99-'05, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '06-'08, K. C., Howard Memorial.

Keast, A. G.—1899-'00, Iantha; '01-'02, Humansville; '03-'06, Lockwood; '07, Missionary to Montana (in part), '07-'08, Rich Hill.

King, H. A.—1898, K. C., Liberty St.; '99, Kansas Av.; '00-'01, Oakley; midyear at school; '02-'03 at school; '04, transf'd to Maine Conf., St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), '06, K. C., Oakley; '07-'08, Fin. Sec. Baker University.

Kirk, J. C.—1904-'06 (in part), Hume; '06-'07, Sarcoxie; '08, Jasper and Mt. Moriah.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75-'76, Springfield; '77-'78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84-'85, Cassville; '86-'87, Mt. Vernon; '88-'89, Urbana; '90-'91, Strafford; '92-'08. Sup'ted.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-'92, Farina; '93-'94, Pinckneyville; '95-'98, Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Av.; '02-'03, Neosho, '04, DeSoto; '05-'07, St. L. Carondolet; '08, Harlem Place.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899,Newburg; '00-'01, Mt. Vernon; '02-'03, Missionary to Montana; '04, Sup'ry; '05, Springfield, Daily Ch.; '06-'08, Marionville.

Leonard, H. C.—1902, St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; 1903-'04, Harlem Place; '05-'06 (in part), DeSoto; '07-'08, St. L., Goode Av.

Lichliter, M. H.—Pittsburg Conf., 1900, Pitcairn, '01-'02, South Fork; '03-'04, Verona; '05-'07, Olean, First Ch.; St. L. Conf. '08, St. L., Maple Av.

Lint, R. H.—Evangelical Ass'n. ——; St. L. Conf. 1908, Golden City.

Livingstone, A. M.—S. W. Kan. Conf., 1897, Coldwater; '97-'99, Latham; '00-'01, at school; '02-'03, Argonia; St. L. Conf., '04-'06, Greenfield; '07, Monett; '08, West Plains.

Lokey, J.—Ark. Conf., 1879-'80, Clear Cr.; '81-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Batesville; '85, Harrison; '86-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Kan.; St. L. Conf., '90-'91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93-'94, Purdy; '95-'97, Mt. Vernon; '98-'99, Purdy; '00. Billings; '01-'07, Boaz; '08, Clever.

Luccock, N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1874-'75, Tippecanoe, O., '76, Addison, Pa.; '77-'78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-'84, Pittsburg; Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Allegheny Col.; '88-'91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92-'96, Pittsburg, Smithfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897-'08, St. Louis Union Ch.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870-'71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72-'73, K. C., 16th St.; '74-'75, Rolla; '76-'78, Greenfield; '78-'79, Carthage; '80-'81, Lebanon; '82-'85, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-'91, Rolla; '92, Nevada; '93-'95, Holden; '96-'01, Lee's Summit; '02-'04, K. C. Phoenix Park; '05, Cor. Sec. of Evan. Ch. Ext. Society, Kan. Cy., Mo.; '06-'08, K. C., Mt. Washington.

Mais, H. G.—1895-'96, St. Louis Trinity; '97-'02, Carondelet; '03-'05, Lebanon; '06-'07, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '08, Independence.

Martin, J. J.—1878-'79, Seneca; '80-'81, Oronogo; '82-'83, Avilla; '84-'85, Golden City; '86-'89, Marionville; '90-'91, Mt. Vernon; '92-'94, Joplin; '95-'96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden; '03-'05, Independence; '06-'08, Lamar.

Martin, S. S.—Iowa Conf., 1877-'78, Ottumwa; '79, Melrose; '80-'81, Morn-Sun; '82-'84, Keota; '85, Agency; S. Kan. Conf., '86-'88, Howard; '89-'90, Chanute; '91-'92, Independence; '93-'98, P. E. Ottawa Dist.; '99-'01, Ft. Scott; St. L. Conf., 1902-'08, Sedalia, 1st Ch.

May, A. J.—1904-'05, Willow Spgs.; '06-'07, Ironton; '08, East Lynne.

McClure, S. W.—E. Ohio Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., 1901-'02, St. L. Goode Av.; '03-'05, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '06, Springfield, Daily; '07, Conf. Evangelist; '08, Windsor.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Doe Run; '99-'00, Ironton; '01-'02, Fruitland; '03-'05, Farmington; '06-07, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '08, D. S. Farmington Dist.

McGurk, D.—N. W. Kan. Conf., 1887, Mentor; '88-'90, Tescott; Rock R. Conf., '90-'91, Park Side; '92-'93, Harvey; N. W. Kan. Conf., 93, Belleville; '94-'98, South America (Miss'y); N. W. Kan. Conf., '99-0-, Jewell City; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03, Gladbrook; '04-'05, (in part), Cedar Falls; St. L. Conf., '05-'08, K. C., Grand Av.

Miller, A. H.—Pittsburg Conf., 1873-'74, Circuit; '75-'80, Pittsburg, Thirty-third St.; '81-'83, Liberty St.; '84-'86, Fifth Av.; '87-'90, Beaver Falls; St. L. Conf., '91-'97 (in part), St. L. Neidringhaus Mem.; '97 (in part), '98, Shrewsbury; '99-'04, Sup'ry; '05-'08, Sup'ted.

Miller, E. F.—1903-04, Oak Grove; '05-'08, at school.

Mitchell, C. A.—1896-'97, Neosho; '98-'99, Peirce City; '00-'05 (in part), Fin. Agt. Marionville Col. Institute; '07-'08, Sup'ry.

Mitchell, H. A.—1900-'01, Lincoln and Warsaw; '02-'06, Eldorado Spgs.; '07-'08, Lebanon.

Moore, F. O.—1904-'05, Centerview; '06-07, East Lynn; '08, Belton.

Moore, J. N.—1874, Lebanon Ct.; '75-'76 Cuba; '77-'79, Discontioned; '80-'81, Richland; '82, Oronogo; '83-'84, Carterville & Webb City, Peirce City; N. W. Kan. Conf., '88, Ellis; '89-'90, Jewell City; Ark. Conf., '91-'93, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part), Prof. L. R. Uu.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '95-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '00, City Missions; '01-'03, Hammond Place; '04, Amsterdam; '05, withdrawn; readmitted, '07-'08, Joplin Epworth.

Needham, J. W.—1890-'91, Winona; '92-'93, at school; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield; '02-'03, Osceola; '04-'06, Monett; '07-'08, Mountain Grove.

Neff, F.—1901-'02, Bolivar; '03-'06 (in part), Clinton; '06-'07, associate, K. C., Independence Av.; '08, Joplin, First Ch.

Niblack, B: E.—From M. E. Ch. S., 1897-98, Conway; '99-'00, Sarcoxie; '01-'02, Butler Ct.; '03, Austin; '04, Drexel; '05-'08, Oak Grove.

Nichols, L. R.—S. Ill. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '04-'05, Sullivan; '06, Fairplay; '07, Stockton; '08, Sheldon.

Odom, J. F.—1906-'07, K. C., Phoenix Pk., '08, K. C. City Missions.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75-'76, Warsaw; '77-'78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80-'82, Butler Ct.; '83-'84, Austin and Pl. Val.; '85-'86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92-'93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; '99-'08, Sup'ted.

Osborne, H. R.—Mo. Conf., 1892, Osborn; '93, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; '94-'95, at school; Iowa Conf., '96, Nichols; '97-'98, Sweetland; Cen. O. Conf., '99-'00, Timberville; '01-'02, Grand Rrapids; Gulf Conf., '03-'04, Port Arthur; St. L. Conf., '05, Marshall; '06-'08, Sup'ry.

Osbron, A. T.—M. E. Church, South, ——; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '07 (in part), Flat River; '07-'08, K. C., Bennington Heights.

Pare, W. T.—1886-'87, Hermitage; '88-'89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'03, Newberg and Dixon; '04-'05, Sligo; '06, Pacific; '07-'08, Peirce City and Purdy.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1859-'60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; 6'1-'62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; S. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67-'68, K. C. Grand Av.; '69-'71, St. L. Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73-'74, Warrensburg; '75-'76, Carthage; '77-'80, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '81-'82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85, Lee's Summit; '86-'90, Sup'ry; '91-'92, Lowry City; '93-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'08, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00-'03, Joplin, Byers' Av.; '04-'07, Appleton City; '08, Sedalia, Epworth.

Pine, J.—1879,'81, Cape Girardeau; '82-'83, Rolla; '84, Bolivar; '85, Knob Noster; '86-'87, Lincoln; '88-'90, Carterville; '91, St. L., Jennings; '92-'95, Sarcoxie; '96-'97, Joplin, 2d Ch.; '98-'99, Mountain Grove; 1900, transf'd to Okla. Conf.; St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), '07, Republic; '08, Supt. Turrentine Hall.

Porter, J. S.—1873-'74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownville; '77-sor '79, Malta Bend; '80-'81, Knob Noster; '82-'83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87-'88, East Lynne; '89, Knob Noster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'08, Sup'ted.

Porter, J. H.—1896, Mountain View, '97, Potterville; '98, Appleton City Ct.; '99-'00, Lowry City; '01-'02, Eldorado Spgs. Ct.; '03-'07, Sup'ry; '08, Sup'ted.

Prall, T. E.—1897-'99, Sullivan; '00-'01 (in part), Old Orchard; '01-'03, Pilot Grove; mid-year to Montrose; '04-'05, Schell City; '06-'07, Jasper; '08, Greenfield.

Pyles, W. T.—S. W. Mo. Conf., M. E. Ch. S., 1883, Vienna; '84, Altoona; '85, Exeter; S. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-'88, KnobNoster; '89-'90, Smithton and Pilot G.; '91, Malta Bend; '92-'93, Buffalo; S. Kan. Conf., '94, Cedarville; St. L. Conf., '95, Golden City; '96-'97, Carterville; '98, Butler Ct.; '99-'00, Austin; '01-'02, Rich Hill; '03-'05, Marionville; '06-08, Sup'ry.

Randle, E. B.—Ill. Conf., 1879-'80, Harristown; '80-'83, Ashland; '84, in school; '85-'86, Kansas; '87-'91, Paris; '92-'95, Springfield, First Ch.; '96-'98, P. E. Decatur Dist.; '99-'01, Danville, First Ch.; California Conf., '02, (in part), San Jose, First Ch.; N. Indiana Conf., '02-'06 part), Muncie, High St.; St. L. Conf., '06-'08, St. L., Maple Av.

Reno, F. P.—1894, Carl Junction; '95-'96, Rockville; '97-'00, Huntingdale; '01, Lamonte; '02-'03, Tipton, '04-'05, Buffalo; '06, Conway, '07, Newburg and Dixon; '08, Marshfield.

Requa, W. L.—1902-'03, Fairplay and S.; '04, Mt. Vernon; '05-'06, Belton; '07-'08, Avilla.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93-'94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionvill; '96, at school; '97, K. C. Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '99-'08, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Rice, E. T.—1903-'05, Golden City; '06-'08, Pleasant Hill.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf., to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97-'98, Pleasant Hill; '99-'00, Higginsville; '01-08, Sup'ted.

Sapp, E. H.—J899-'02, Webb City; '03-'04, Butler Ct.; '05-'07, Liberal; '08, Oronogo.

Senneff, Clinton—1904-'05, Rockville; '06-'07, Schell City; '08, K. C., Grace.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899-'00, Hartville; '00 (in part), '01, California; '02-'05, Richland; '06-'08, Rolla.

Sidman, W. D.—1895-'97, Stockton; '98-'99, Republic; '00-'03, Greenfield; '04-'00 (in part), Osceola; '07-'08, Poplar Bluff.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876-'77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79-80, Russellville, '81-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85-'86, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville; '88-'90, Greenfield; '91-'92, West Plains; '93-'98, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '99-'02, Marionville; '03, Carterville; '04, Neosho; '05-'06 (in part), Sarcoxie; '07-'08, Lockwood.

Simmons, D. T.—1892-'93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-'01, Fairplay; '02-'04, Marshfield; '05-'06, Eldon; '07-'08, Bolivar.

Simpson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97-'00, Osceola; '01-'02, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '03-'06, St. L., Bowman Ch.; '07-'08, K. C., Oakley.

Simpson, E.—1899-'00, Avilla; '01-'04, Sarcoxie; '05, Neosho; '06, Windsor; '07-'08, DeSoto.

Slusher, J. W.—Ark. Conf., 1887, Yellville; '88, Greenbrier; '89, Wild Cherry; '90, Oxford; '91, L. Rock Ct.; '92, L. Rock, North Side; '93-'97, Atkins; '98-'00 (in part), Almyria; Okla. Conf., '00-'02, Lehigh and C.; St. L. Conf., '03-'04, Conway; '05-'06, Seymour; '07-'08, Hartville.

Smith, J.—Mo. Conf., 1884-'88; St. Louis Conf., '98-'90; Bengal, Burma, Conf., P. E. Burma Dist., '91-'01; Burma Mission Conf., '01-'03, P. E. Burma Dist., '04, ——; '05, Sec. Indian Missionary Jubilee; St. Louis Conf., '06-'08, Instructor in Missions, Baker University.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89-'90, Hartville; '91-'93, Republic; '94, Schell City; '95-'96, Montrose; '97-'98, Green Ridge; '99-'00, Lamonte; '01, Windsor and Leeton; '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07-'08, Sup'ted.

Smith, R. T.—1883, Sheldon; '84-'86, at school; '87-'89, Peirce City; '90-'92, Payson, Utah; '93-'95, K. C., Summit St.; '96-'98, Springfield, Benton Av.; '99-'00, Anti-Saloon League; '01-'02, Conf., Evangelist; '03-08, St. L., Baden.

Squier, E. A.—So. Ill. Conf.;——; St. L. Conf., 1900, West Plains; '01, Sup'ry; '02-'03, Webster Grove; '04-'08, Sup'ry.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67-'69, Marshall; '70-'71, Independence; '72-'73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77-'78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '87-'88, Smithson; '89-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97-'98, Drexel; '99-'02, Odessa; '03-'08, Sup'ted.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kan. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84-'86, Galesburg; '87-'90, Virgil; '91-'92, Americus; '93-'96, Waverly; '97-'99, Galena; '00-'02 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02-'03, Nevada; '04-'05, Lamar; '06-'07, West Plains; '08, Monett.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65-'66, Manor Hill; '67-'68, Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69-'70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield; '75-'77, S. L. Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81-'82, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '83-'85, Carthage; '86, K. C. Summit St.; '87-'92, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '93-'98, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '99-'00, K. C., Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Av.; '02, Clinton; '03-'08, Kansas City, Summit St.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kan. Conf. ,1877-'78, Oxford; '79-'81, in school; '82-'83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87-'88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E. Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, First Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part), '02, Carthage; '03-'05, Kansas City, Howard Mem.; '06-'08, Springfield, Grace.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81-'82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'89, Iberia; '90, Linn Cr.; '91-'00, Sup'ry; '01-08, Sup'ted.

Stillman, S. P.—Col. Conf. ——; St. L. Conf., '08, Eldon.

Stille, J. C.—1905, Alberta; '06-08, Knob Noster.

Suter, O. V.—1905-'07, Nashville; '08, Butler Ct.

Templeton, R. B.—Blue Ridge Conf., 1892, St. L. Conf.; '05, Rich Hill; '06-'08, Holden.

Thackrey, J. E.—N. W. Neb. Conf., 1894, Crawford; '95-'98 (in part), at school; Kan. Conf., 1898-'01 (in part), Chapman; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part); '05, Kansas City, Grace Ch.; '06-'07, Maywood; '08, St. L. Maplewood.

Thomas, G. B.—1904-'05, Poplar Bluff; '06-08, Pres. Carleton College.

Thomas, D. L.—Michigan Conf., 1885-'88; Neb. Conf., '89, Lincoln, University Place; '90-'91, in school; Mich. Conf., '92-'95, Epworth, Saginaw and Lapeer; Montana Conf., '96, Helena, St. Paul's; Des Moines Conf., '97-'00, Ames and Dallas Center; Neb. Conf., '01-'05, Beatrice, Centenary.

Thompson, Fayette L.—Mich. Conf., 1885, Hanover; '86-'87, Big Rapids; '88-'90, Manister; '91, abroad; '92-'94, Betoskey; '95-'98, Lansing, Central; '99-'00, Jackson, First; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03, Davenport, St. John's; N. Minn. Conf., '04-'06, ——; St. L. Conf., 07,-'08, St. L., Lindell Av.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Ianiha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'03, Appleton City; '04-'05, Pleasant Hill; '06-'08, Farmington.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70-'71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72-'73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77-'78, Mecklin; '79-'80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82-'83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86-'87, Conway; '88-'89, Dadeville; '90-'91, Galena; '92-'93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'08, Sup'ted.

Tippin, C. F.—1896-'97, Newberg and Dixon; '98-'00, Seymour; '01-'04, Eldon; '05-'07, Marshfield; '08, Conway.

Toland, H. A.—1885, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87-'88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90-08, Sup'ted.

Van Patten, J. B.—Black Riv. Conf., 1852-'53, Cape Vincent; '54-'60, Fairfield Sem.; '61, Chaplain in the Army; '62-'65, in Military Service; '66, located; St. L. Conf., (re-admitted), '80-'84, Sedalia Seminary; '85-'89, Claverack Col., N. Y.; '00-08, Sup'ted.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82-'83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-'89, St. L., Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91-'92, Holden; '93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96-'97, Kan. City, Howard Mem.; '98-'00 (29th St.,) Grace Ch.; '01-'05, Bennington Heights; '06-'07, P. E. Lebanon Dist.; '08, D. S. Lebanon Dist.

Wakefield, R.—1903-'06, St. L., Tower Grove. (Wagoner Mem.); '07-'08, Trinity.

Welch, John—Iowa Conf.—Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and enterville; Mo. and Ark. Conf., 1866, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68 Linn Creek; St. L. Conf., '69, Washington; '70-'71, Linn Creek; '72-, Versailles; Osage; '74, Urbana; '75-'76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78-'79, Sup'ry; '80-08, Sup'ted.

Wharton, C. E.—1906, Green Ridge, '07, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '08, Newberg and Dixon.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88, Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93-'94, Carterville; '95-'98, Joplin; '99-'04, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '05-'07, K. C. Linwood Blvd.; '08, D. S. St. L. Dist.

Yeager, W. F.—1880-'02, Cassville; '83-'84, Dadeville; '85-'86, Buffalo; '97-'88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90-'91, Fairplay; '92-'93, Dadeville; '94-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '99-'00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena; '02, Marionville Ct.; '03-'08, Sup'ted.

REPORTS

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session March 17-22, 1909.

Perry E. Pierce.

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE.

The Auditing Committee of the St. Louis Conference at Sedalia, Mo., have examined the acounts of the District Superintendents' Missionary Appropriations, Conference Treasurer's Accounts, Conference Secretary's accounts, and the account of the Treasurer of the Board of Stewards and have found them correct.

H. G. HUMPHREY, Chairman.
LEON H. SWEETLAND, Sec.

BENEVOLENCES.

We unhesitatingly endorse and encourage the increased and increasing interest in the Benevolent work of the Church—which has been brought about through the wise and effectual instruction of our pastors. Our Benevolent Collections have greatly increased during the past years, which fact leads toward a higher tide in these special and worthy interests of our Church. Our interested and helpful laymen are heartily co-operating with us in the good work—and should be encouraged as the work progresses from year to year.

We recommend that all our pastors give the Benevolent Collections their closest attention and that by preaching and educating our proper work to the end that we claim shall be fully met.

F. S. BEGGS, Pres.
S. F. STEVENS, Sec.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION

We report to you under the requirements of the Discipline of 1904, since we have transacted no business under the requirements of the new Discipline.

During the year we have held three meetings and have recommended donations as follows:

To Fairview,	Farmington District	$200
" Gillet's Chapel	"	150
" Miller's Chapel	"	100
" Lead Station	"	150
" Wheaton, Springfield	District	250
" Hagerty Memorial	"	250
" Creighton, Kansas City	District	500
" Elixir, Lebanon	District	50

November 1, 1908, we had to our credit $637.81. Since that time $450 have been paid to Churches, leaving us on March 12, 1909 a credit of $87.81.

At this time we have applications with our recommendations in the office at Philadelphia amounting to $13.50. Therefore as our credit is but $87.81, we used $1262.19 with which to pay what we have already advised. It follows that if this year's collections are "in full" we will have but $737.81 for "forward work."

We have no report from the Parent Board as to the state of our Loan Account.

The General Committee has apportioned $12000 to be raised for Home Missions and Church Extension by this Conference, $2400 of this amount being for Church Extension. Of this amount ,if raised "in full', we would have for use in our Conference $2000.

Already applications amounting to more than the $737.81 above referred to have been presented to our Board. This means that for the coming year there will be nothing for "forward work", if the applications be approved and granted, and even these amounts cannot be granted unless the collections amount to $2400.

Respectfully submitted,
HANFORD CRAWFORD, President
M. L. CURL, Secretary.

HOSPITALS.

The Hospital represents the highest form of Christian benevolenc, and should appeal to the sympathy and good will of the people. It is therefore with good satisfaction that we learn of the splendid success that has atended the work of the Bethany Hospital at Kansas City. It is a mater of profound gratitude that this institution is

eneirely out of debt, and that it is now meeting expenses, and that all collections go to increase the building fund. We commend Dr. J. F. St. Clair, the superintendent, for the splendid victory. We nominate Dr. S. B. Campbell, J. W. Bush and M. S. Simmons as members of the board of directors.

We cal attention also to the Burge Deaconess Hospital at Springfield, Mo. This property, estimated at $40,000, was the gift of Mrs. Ellen A. Burge. The modern equipment, with its excellent operating room, the splendid management under the superintendency of Mrs. Maude E. Lucky, and its efficient staff of physicians make it able to do most excellent work. Two hundred and thirty-eight patients have been treated. $913 have been expended on charity work.

We pledge the representatives of these institutions our hearty support, and shall welcome them to our charges, and pulpits, and endeavor to co-operate with them in the furtherance of their work.

DANIEL McGURK, President,
H. B. FOSTER, Secretary

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Cash Received.		
Balance from last year	$ 77.77	
Bal from Conf. Treas.	4.00	
Conference Collections	3691.00	
Book Concern	1572.00	
Chartered Fund	22.00	
Permanent Fund	208.00	
	$5574.77	
Cash Disbursed.		
5% Conference Collections to General Fund		$ 184.00
Paid to Conference Claimants as per table		5384.00
		$5568.00

RECOMMENDATIONS.

We, your Board of Stewards recommend that 50% of this years Conference Collections be placed in the Annuity Fund.

We, recommend that for the coming year there be apportioned to each pastoral charge for the support of the Conference Claimants a sum equal to 4% of the pastor's salary including House Rent.

The above recommendations together with the above disbursements to the Conference Claimants.

L. M. THOMPSON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

Bloomfield, $100; Bonne Terre, $60; Flat River, $60; Lutesvile, $40; Poplar Bluff, $170; Perryville, $50; Willow Springs, $80, Winona, $60; Mt. View, $40; Bloomfield ct., $40; District, $98; Pexico, $60; Dudley, $40; Total, $900.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Cuba, $90; Pacific, $90; Salem, $100; Sullivan, $50; Total $330.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Alberta, $40; Odessa and Higginsville, $100; Knob Noster, $50; Lincoln and Warsaw, $48; Marshall, $100; Montrose, $60; Urich, $80; Windsor, $50; Rockville, $60; Total, $588.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Amsterdam, $70; Belton, $50; Centerview, $40; East Lynne, $40; Garden City, $40; Kingsville, $30; Total, $270.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $30; Cassville, $45; Dadeville, $40; Galena, $50; Humansville, $40; La Russell, $40; Marionville Circuit, $30; Peirce City, $100; Mt. Carmell, $100; Springfield Circuit, $30; Stockton, $45; Weaubleau, $40; Taneyville, $24; Total, $620.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Anderson, $80; Joplin Chitwood, $100; Joplin Epworth, $100; Carthage Circuit, $72; Seneca, $43; Spurgeon, $100; Total, $495.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

Ava, $40; Buffalo, $40; Gainesville, $40; Hartville, $36; High Point, $84; Houston and Cabool, $40; Iberia, $30; Licking, $40; Mt. Grove Circuit, $25; Linn Creek, $50; Dixon, $30; Phillipsburg, $40; Seymour and Mansfield, $40; Upshew, $40; Vichy, $50; District, $122; Total, $747.

I approve the above missions and appropriations.

William F. Anderson

REPORT OF COMMITTE ON EDUCATION.

THEOLOGICAL SCHOOLS.

We recommend the work done by our Theological schools, and urge our young men in the ministry to avail themselves of the privileges of theological training.

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY.

We note with satisfaction the forward movement of the American University. We trust that the necessary funds for building and endowment may be secured soon and the university opened for work.

COLLEGES FOR WOMEN.

Realizing the demand for colleges devoted especially to the education of women, we earnestly commend our two great schools, The Women's College of Baltimore and The Illinois Women's College, to all our people who are seeking such education for young women.

WHITE SCHOOLS IN THE SOUTH.

The case of our Southern schools for white students is committed to the Board of Education. That Board appeals to the Church for contributions for a permanent fund of $250,000 to be raised during this present quadrenium, the interest only to be used in aid of our institutions. This appeal we heartily endorse.

CARLETON COLEGE.

We congratulate Carleton College on the decided gains made during the past year, especially in the increased attendance, qualifications and personelle of the faculty, added equipment, and progress already made in the effort to secure a permanent endowment of $100,000, toward which the sum of $50,000 is already in sight, including the offer of $25,000 by Mr. George Warren Brown.

We recommend the reappointment of Rev. G. B. Thomas to the presidency, and the following as trustees, whose terms expire in 1912: Revs.Fayette L. Thompson, D.D., and Wm. F. Jones, and Messrs, Harry L. Hunter, Clint Deamour, John W. Karsh, Richard Adams, and Charles H. Hargrave; the following whose terms expire in 1913: Rev. L. M. Thompson and Messrs. Marvin A. Young, Edward Klein, Harry Denmour, John W. McCarty, U. S. Grant Evans and John B. Graves.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGE.

We cougratulate the Faculty and Board of Trustees of Marionville College on the forward movement, and record with appreciation

the increased benefits that will accrue to our local Methodism from this cplendid institution.

We recommend that the institution immediately inaugurate a movement to raise $100,000 permanent endowment and pledge the co-operation and support of our Conference till both Marionville and Carleton have a permanent endowment of not less than $100,000 each.

A contribution of an amount equivalent to $1.00 a year for member for five years from each district would produce this result.

We recommend the reappointment of L. G. Reser, D.D. ,as president of the Marionville College, and confirm the election of Rev. E. J. Hunt as trustee. We further recommend the following to fill vacancies; J. H. Dameron, W. D. Sidman, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Stewart and C. C. James.

We recommend that our apportionment equal to 5 per cent of the pastoral support, not including house rent, be assessed to all charge throughout the Conference for the support of our local educational institutions. Special gifts for any other purpose shall not be credited on this apportionment. The amount raised shall be divided as hitherto. Our motto is: The apportionment in full and at least one student from each charge from someone of our home colleges.

CONFERENCE VISITORS.

We recommend the appointment of the following persons to visit our educational institutions. Marionville College, J. C. Gilbreath, T. E. Prall and J. C. Kirk; Carleton College: M. H. Lichliter and Fayette L. Thompson; Boston Theological, Luther Freeman; Drew Theological, H. G. Humphrey; Garrett Biblical, G. J. Hunt and H. G. Mais; Woman's College of Baltimore, N. Luccock; Illinois Woman's College, Ralph Wakefield.

N. LUCCOCK, Chairman.
G. J. HUNT, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTE ON PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

The Book Concern of the Methodist Episcopal Church is among the very largest publishing houses in the world, having a total capital invested of $4,238,960. The total sales of the past year amounted to $2,487,607, from the net profits of which a dividend of $160,000 was declared to be distributed among the Conferences for the benefit of the superannuated preachers and the Conference claimants. Its presses have been kept busy in the publication of pure and wholesome books and papers and the various supplies for our vast Sunday School interests. We are delighted with our family of advocates and commend them to our people, especially the splendid Central Christian

Advocate prepared to circulate throughout this central west. It ought to be received regular in every Methodist household.

We most heartily endorse the Methodist Review, unsurpassed in its field with in the wide world and insist upon our preachers and laymen supporting and reading it.

The Epworth Herald, that magnificent young people's paper, is indispensible to the young Methodist who keep pace with the on-going of our Master's kingdom. Our Sunday School literature—clear, strong and vigorous, meets well the demands of this great arm of the Church and should be relied upon in all our Sunday Schools.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTE ON REFORMS.

Your committee recommend the adoption of the following:

We commend the growing spirit of regard for the law among the people and we are glad to note that our present Governor is showing a disposition to follow the law-enforcement policy of his illustrious predecessor; in which we pledge him our hearty cooperation.

Our national holidays must be preserved to their original and sacred purposes. It belongs to Christian citizens to celebrate them in a proper way both as a rebuke and an object lesson, raising the standards and instructing the people in love of God, Home and Country.

The increasing number of divorces compel our utmost endeavors to overcome the calamity already threatening our home and social life. We urge a restricted and uniform divorce law. We will sacredly uphold the teaching of our Church against the remarriage of divorced parties, other than the innocent person under the cause of adultery.

We wish more earnestly than ever to sound the note of warning against the increasing disrespect of the Christian Sabbath. Sabbath desecration is demoralizing and fatal to the maintenance of the nation, society or the church.. We demand a faithful enforcement of the laws against irreligious amusements and unnecessary labors on the Lord's Day and to this policy we pledge our support. We urge our legislators to move specific laws in this state for the protection of the Sabbath.

We are unequivically opposed to the Liquor traffic. We demand from our State Legislature the immediate enactment of the McDavid-Calkins District Local Option Bill and the Pemberton-Grimes County Unit Law, both being now before it for consideration. We pledge ourselves to all possible activities for the enactment of State-wide Prohibition, and urge a vote upon a substantional amendment in 1910. We endorse the work of the Anti-saloon League and its super-

intendent and our brother minister, Dr. E. J. Moore and pledge to both our cordial support.

Without abating in the least our historial attitude to the theatre and other worldly amusements we urge strenuous opposition to the theatre of our present day. Ridiculously immoral and often shamelessly indecent it calls for but drastic treatment. Because it is now so fearful a menace to purity and goodness we urge all our membership to stand in united opposition as never before.

Respectfuly submitted,
FRED W. SIMPSON, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved, That we are profoundly gratified to Rev. J. J. Martin, this church, and the citizens of Sedalia for the generous entertainment accorded us.

Resolved, We have appreciated the faithful, wise and pleasing administration of Bishop Wm. F. Anderson and will hail, with more than usual pleasure, his return at an early date.

Resolved, That we thank the Press for faithful reports of our transactions; also Mr. J. L. Dalton fof furnishing our statistical secretiions with adding typewriters free of charge.

Resolved, That we express our gratitude to our efficient secretaries and treasurer for their able and faithful services.

J. W. STEWART, Chairman.
S. E. BETTS, Secretary.

WOMAN'S WORK.

We also rejoice greatly in the noble work done by the women of W. H. M. Society, in this work of aiding the poor preachers' families, and in caring for the sick, and nursing them back to health, and in establishing schools for the education of the young.

We also rejoice in the noble stand taken by our women in the temperance cause, in our state, in making it so far free from the great curse of the liquor traffic.

We will gladly cooperate with both of these societies, in their great work.

We congratulate the women of the W. F. M. Society upon the noble and successful work they have done during the last year in spreading the Gospel of the Son of God concerning the millions of heathens in other lands.

We congratulate them upon the number of consecrated young women they have sent out as Missionaries, Deaconesses and Bible Teachers, and the proposition of building the Hagerty Home in Rangoon, Burmah, as home for the weary women laborers in that far off land.

Resolved, Therefore by the St. Louis Conference that we will cooperate with the Godly women in their noble work, assuring our charges with our money, advice, and prayers, so far as we may be able.

T. H. HAGERTY, President.
L. R. NICHOLS, Secretary.

COMMITTEE ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

We, your committee on Young People's Work, respectfully submit the following report:

The spiritual power and Christian intelligence of the coming Methodism have promise of greatness writ large in the work of the Bible Study and Mission Stundy Classes of the Epworth League. We pray that the consecration in preparation for service shown thereby may be found soon in every Church and League. Knowledge of the Word and knowledge of God's work on earth today and its hope for tomorrow furnish irresistable impulse to activity.

Every League Chapter would be advantaged by sending a representative to the Summer Institute in Winfield, Kansas, if necessary paying the delegate's expenses. Any Leaguer who can spend his vacation in attendance on the Institute will find refreshment of body, mind and spirit.

Those who know the Epworth Herald need no urging of its claims. We would say that it were not only found in every Methodist home, but actually read, news, stories and notes by every inmate.

We urge upon the District Superintendents careful oversight of the District Leagues, and wherever possible the holding of Annual District Conventions or Institutes.

We nominate as officers for the Conference Epworth League: For President, Frank Neff; for Secretary, E. W. Elayer; for Junior League Superintendent, Mrs. J. F. Odom, and recommend that arrangements for the Conference League Anniversary be in their hands.

As there is no committee on Sunday Schools and the title of this committee is rather general, we also would voice an appeal of this branch of Young People's Work. We believe that the relations of the Sunday School to the general church work should be closer; that the responsibility for the Sunday School's finances and interest should

be laid upon the official board and the general church membership as well as upon those specially consecrated to this form of Christ's work.

We are inspired by the great scope of the vision of the future to be resultant from the far reaching plans of the new Board of Sunday Schools. Dr. Downey's presence and addresses opened new vistas of possibility. We should study this development that we may intelligently and effectively cooperate in the Home Missionary, Foreign Missionary and Temperance movements, making thus the Sunday School an adequate vestibule to a most glorious Methodist Episcopal Church of the next generation, a fit Temple for the Holy Ghost.

DEAN C. DUTTON, Chairman.
ERNEST V. CLAYPOOL, Sec.
CLAIRE V. BRYAN.
W. O. TOLBART.

CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD.

It affords us pleasure to be able to report a successful year's work for all our Deaconess Institutions; The Epworth Evangelistic Institute, the Kansas City National Training School, and the Burge Deaconess Hospital have all had a busy and prosperous year. Their splendid Christian work cannot be commended too highly and we pledge these Institutions of our Church our sympathy, our prayers, and our support.

Five graduates have been licensed and recommended for consecration, viz.: Emma O. Anderson, Lillian Dillon, Bertha Valentine, Annie Rose Ballard and Anna Jernigan.

Wm. LEATHERMAN, Secretary.
E. P. ANDERSON, Chairman.

TRASURER'S AUDITED REPORT.

Funds handled in session of 1908.

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To Total Benevolent Collections	$ 54,903.50	
Less Amount by Vouchers	29,374.30	
Cash from Benevolences	25,529.20	
Book Concern Dividend	1,581.00	
Chartered Fund Dividend	22.00	
Interest Permanent Fund	320.59	
Fractional Amounts	1.43	
		$27,454.22

CR.

Paid out as follows:			
Treasurer Board of Foreign Mission..s		$ 9,206.75	
Treasurer Board of Home Missions		7,232.00	
Treasurer Board of Education, F'ds. Aid & S.S.		2,237.00	
Treasurer Carleton College		750.45	
Treasurer Marionville Institute		831.00	
Treasurer Conference Stewards		5,089.59	
Jennings & Graham:			
General Conference Expenses	$ 609.00		
Episcopal Fund	1,233.00		
Foreign Missions	12.00		
Freedmen's Aid	2.00		
		1,856.00	
Oscar P. Miller General Conference Expenses		1.00	
S. H. Kirkbride, American Bible Society		172.00	
Treasurer Woman's Foreign Miss. Society		45.00	
Treasurer Woman's Home Miss. Society		20.00	
Children's Home Society		7.00	
Bethany Hospital		1.00	
Fractions to Expenses of Treasurer		1.43	
Cash on Hand for Conference Claimants		4.00	
			$27,454.22

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Funds handled in Interim.

To Hillsboro Parsonage Fund held in Trust	$ 315.85	
Interest on same from Savings Account	4.73	
Pro. Sale Harrisonville Church held in Trust	143.75	
Cash from Mansfield for Gen. Con. Expenses	2.00	
Cash from Moundville Jun. Lea. for A. B. S.	2.00	
		$ 468.33

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Paid as follows:

Harrisonville Church Fund to Creighton by order of the Conference	$ 143.75	
Benevolences to Jennings & Graham	4.00	
Hillsboro Parsonage Fund paid in order of District Superintendent, W. R. McCormick	320.58	
		$ 468.33

Vouchers for all the above submitted.

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT OF TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT FUND.

Principal reported last year		$ 8,367.84
Collections to March 20th	$ 347.00	
Interest Collected to March 20th	226.32	
		573.32
		$ 8,941.16
Paid Expenses, Letter Heads, Postage	$ 18.05	
Net Income	208.27	
Paid to Conference Stewards	208.00	
Present Amount of Investments	8,395.51	
Cash on Deposit	319.60	
		$ 8,941.16

Present Amount of Permanent Fund ..... $ 8,715.11

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

March 20th, 1909.

STATISTICAL TABLES
1909

WILLIAM D. SIDMAN, Statistical Treasurer,
Marionville, Mo.

ISAAC J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer,
3918 East 18th Street, Kansas City, Mo.

STATISTICS NO. 1.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Bap--tisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars.	No. of Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.
Alba and Neck City	3	122	..	2	....	33	2	26	211	..	....	2	70	2	3000	1	1500	10	65	583
Anderson	...	128	..	1	....	....	1	6	45	0	....	..	...	2	3000	..	.....	.....	.....	89
Avila	13	189	..	2	1	16	1	16	115	1	20	..	...	2	3800	1	400	54	.....	.....
Butler	41	206	..	2	1	25	1	23	163	1	43	1	48	1	12000	1	1200	.....	.....	.....
Butler Circuit	1	237	..	1	....	30	1	11	120	1	40	..	...	3½	2400	1	800	460	.....	.....
Carl Junction	16	152	1	1	3	20	3	28	272	1	15	1	33	3	2300	1	900	.....	121	200
Carterville	22	143	..	..	1	3	1	23	225	1	25	1	20	1	4000	1	1000	15	.....	.....
Carthage	52	834	2	8	....	....	1	56	638	1	210	1	50	2	26000	1	9000	640	.....	.....
Carthage Circuit	10	172	..	2	....	18	4	40	190	1	54	..	...	3	5000	1	1500	15	.....	.....
Duenweg	8	25	..	..	....	....	1	10	100	1	40	..	...	1	700	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hume and Foster	15	289	..	2	2	18	4	43	325	3	61	1	15	4	4500	1	1000	103	.....	.....
Iantha	18	170	..	..	2	2	4	44	300	4	56	..	...	4	5500	1	600	60	.....	.....
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	.. 9	312	..	2	....	52	3	49	364	2	87	..	...	2	5400	1	1500	100	150	.....
Joplin, Byers Ave.	12	313	3	2	11	49	1	24	265	1	110	1	60	1	5000	1	2000	160	380	400
Central Ave.	5	107	..	..	....	2	1	19	190	1	50	1	39	1	3000	..	.....	75	.....	.....
Chitwood	9	36	1	..	....	....	1	12	100	..	....	..	...	1	800	..	.....	.....	150	.....
Epworth	56	78	..	..	....	22	1	12	145	1	29	1	45	1	2500	..	.....	366	30	500
First Church	21	440	2	7	8	30	1	21	355	1	100	..	...	1	52000	1	3000	100	3000	20000
Lamar	8	268	..	4	18	....	1	24	246	1	44	1	50	1	10000	1	1000	248	150	.....
Liberal	7	134	..	2	....	....	2	30	200	2	55	1	30	2	2600	1	1000	6	.....	.....
Moundville	11	141	2	2	....	8	2	24	190	1	40	1	40	2	2400	1	700	416	.....	200
Nashville	6	204	1	3	....	5	2	25	175	1	70	..	...	2	3500	1	1000	366	.....	34
Neosho	...	165	..	..	....	....	1	19	155	1	38	1	38	1	3500	..	.....	960	.....	.....
Nevada	12	334	..	2	....	22	1	25	250	1	36	..	...	1	6500		1500	.....	180	.....
Oronogo	...	71	..	..	....	1	2	26	262	1	22	..	...	2	2600	1	500	.....	300	344
Rich Hill	...	169	1	2	....	12	1	17	140	1	24	1	45	1	7500	1	1200	350	50	225
Sarcoxie	19	233	1	1	1	10	3	23	240	..	....	..	...	2	4200	1	850	25	165	.....
Seneca	8	130	..	..	....	25	2	22	180	2	68	..	...	2	5000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
Sheldon	...	110	..	..	2	3	2	20	90	1	14	1	15	2	3000	1	400	15	180	.....
Spurgeon	6	135	..	..	1	4	3	29	250	..	....	..	...	4	3300	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Webb City	40	244	..	3	8	14	4	50	600	2	80	1	30	4	7000	1	3500	5000	.....	2000
	428	6291	14	51	59	424	58	797	7101	35	1431	17	628	61½	202000	24	37050	9544	4921	24575

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiences.	Support of Conference Claimants Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts. Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday School, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Alba and Neck City	C. E. Ferguson	550	100	650	513	100	613	37	16	10	59	55	8	3	681	120	100	220
Anderson	(Geo. A. Deatrich)	* 400	....	400	287	....	287	113	10	1	41	29	6	1	318	25	40	65
Avilla	W. L. Requa	550	50	600	526	50	576	24	16	16	54	52	8	8	652	85	23	108
Butler	C. V. Criss	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	....	30	22	99	99	14	12	1233	232	156	388
Butler Circuit	O. V. Suter	500	100	600	425	100	525	75	15	10	54	38	8	8	581	150	50	200
Carl Junction	F. W. V. Camp	465	50	515	465	50	515	....	15	15	46	46	7	7	583	146	110	256
Carterville	Fred. Getty	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	20	20	72	72	10	10	902	37	75	112
Carthage	H. W. Hargett	2000	400	2400	2000	400	2400	....	100	100	216	240	35	35	2775	1600	491	2091
Carthage Circuit	J. H. Boner	600	100	700	544	100	644	56	15	12	63	57	7	5	718	70	66	136
Duenweg	.....	500	....	500	94	....	94	406	4	....	45	....	2	...	94	20	25	45
Hume and Foster	G. M. Foster	700	50	750	700	50	750	....	20	20	68	68	10	10	848	121	116	237
Iantha	(W. W. Hendrickson)	440	60	500	430	60	490	10	14	12	45	43	6	4	549	20	125	145
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	J. C. Kirk	650	100	750	708	100	808	....	20	20	68	72	9	9	909	175	187	362
Joplin, Byers Ave.	D. W. Crow	900	200	1100	900	200	1100	....	30	35	99	99	14	10	1244	228	140	368
Central Ave.	(W. H. Fluke)	* 500	....	500	215	....	215	285	12	12	54	36	7	7	270	75	50	125
Chitwood	(W. H. Dalton)	* 175	....	175	36	....	36	139	2	....	24	1	1	...	37	30	36	66
Epworth	J. N. Moore	* 360	....	360	360	....	360	....	4	1	41	33	3	1	395	50	88	138
First Church	Frank Neff	1700	300	2000	1700	300	2000	....	65	75	180	180	2*	26	2281	1319	210	1529
Lamar	J. J. Martin	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	25	10	90	90	12	12	1112	265	136	401
Liberal	(W. O. Thompson)	* 570	75	645	570	75	645	....	17	17	65	65	10	10	737	100	80	180
Moundville	(I. L. Lowe)	608	60	668	464	60	524	144	14	12	60	52	7	6	564	40	54	94
Nashville	(W. O. Miller)	455	45	500	440	45	485	15	14	6	46	40	6	6	537	65	55	120
Neosho	C. T. Harrison	* 800	....	800	800	....	800	....	15	15	77	77	7	7	899	101	76	177
Nevada	J. W. Caughlan	1200	150	1350	1200	150	1350	....	35	30	122	122	18	17	1519	235	165	400
Oronogo	E. H. Sapp	800	60	860	800	60	860	....	18	18	77	77	8	8	963	88	66	154
Rich Hill	A. G. Keast	650	100	750	650	100	750	....	16	16	68	68	9	9	843	170	90	260
Sarcoxie	A. M. Dixon	600	60	660	600	60	660	....	16	16	59	59	9	4	739	150	135	285
Seneca	M. H. Keast	* 380	60	440	273	60	333	107	14	8	45	41	7	4	386	60	100	160
Sheldon	L. R. Nichols	600	45	545	570	45	615	....	13	12	49	55	6	6	688	80	53	133
Spurgeon	(A. McConaghey)	* 400	....	400	268	....	268	132	12	7	41	34	5	4	313	50	45	95
Webb City	D. C. Duton	1500	200	1700	1500	200	1700	....	34	34	153	153	18	18	1905	300	250	550
		22053	2665	24718	20638	2665	23303	1543	651	582	2280	2153	303	267	26305	6207	3393	9600

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY.)																					OTHER BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.							
	MISSIONS.						Board of Education.			Board of Sunday Schools.		Board of Con. Claimants																	
	Board of Foreign Missions.			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension														Woman's Home Missionary Society.											
	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church Gen. Education	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund.	Freedmen's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Total Disciplinary collections.	Local Educational Interests.	Local Permanent Fund.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Minutes.	Total Benevolent Collections.	General Conference Expenses.	Cent. Office Ex. of Epworth League	Grand Total.
Alba and Neck City	19	6	....	19	6	...	8	..	6	...	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	68	3	...	...	...	71	..	..	71
Anderson	5	...	....	5	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	...	...	...	10	..	..	10
Avilla	30	...	....	30	...	...	4	..	1	2	..	..	..	7	1	..	..	..	75	10	...	61	...	146	..	..	146
Butler	56	20	....	56	20	...	..	..	4	3	..	2	..	15	2	30	..	..	208	16	...	...	...	224	..	2	226
Butler Circuit	6	...	4	10	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	13	...	...	...	37	..	..	37
Carl Junction	2	6	....	5	6	...	1	..	3	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	12	38	..	...	...	...	38	..	..	38
Carterville	5	8	....	5	8	...	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	2	..	32	..	..	64	8	...	10	...	82	..	1	83
Carthage	317	63	30	317	63	...	..	..	25	22	..	..	..	65	3	500	7	..	1412	90	72	...	...	1574	..	..	1574
Carthage Circuit	5	6	....	5	6	...	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	27	2	...	...	...	29	..	..	29
Duenweg	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	...	...	...	....	..	..	....
Hume and Foster	40	10	....	34	10	1	..	..	15	..	..	1	..	2	1	45	..	..	159	16	5	9	...	189	..	..	189
Iantha	30	...	....	30	...	...	4	..	10	4	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	85	13	...	...	...	98	..	..	98
Jasper and Mt. Moriah	65	...	....	65	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	1	59	..	..	215	24	15	31	...	285	..	..	285
Joplin, Byers Ave	80	26	....	70	26	...	..	..	12	5	..	..	..	35	5	183	..	..	442	35	10	...	...	487	..	7	494
Central Ave	111	...	....	65	...	...	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	190	15	...	35	...	240	..	..	240
Chitwood	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	...	...	...	....	..	..	....
Epworth	1	2	....	1	1	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	...	140	...	145	..	..	145
First Church	108	92	....	108	92	...	..	..	10	5	..	3	..	30	2	199	..	..	649	60	...	...	...	709	..	5	714
Lamar	15	15	....	15	15	...	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	50	..	..	114	5	2	...	...	121	..	..	121
Liberal	10	...	....	10	...	...	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	4	1	1	1	..	32	4	...	...	...	36	..	3	39
Moundville	7	...	....	7	...	...	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	20	..	...	42	...	62	..	2	64
Nashville	14	...	....	14	...	...	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	6	...	...	...	46	..	3	49
Neosho	30	...	....	30	...	...	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	24	6	..	105	24	...	15	...	144	..	1	145
Nevada	75	35	....	21	16	...	6	..	..	1	..	2	..	12	1	..	..	..	169	20	...	40	...	229	..	2	231
Oronogo	9	6	....	9	6	...	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	37	8	6	14	...	65	2	2	69
Rich Hill	45	15	4	45	15	...	2	..	7	2	..	..	..	10	..	17	..	..	162	20	10	16	...	208	..	2	210
Sarcoxie	35	5	....	21	...	...	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	10	1	..	..	..	73	11	...	14	...	98	..	..	98
Seneca	15	...	....	15	...	...	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	38	8	...	...	...	46	..	..	46
Sheldon	24	6	....	24	6	...	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	74	16	7	...	...	97	6	1	104
Spurgeon	1	...	....	1	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	...	...	...	3	..	..	3
Webb City	50	22	....	50	20	...	..	..	15	..	2	..	..	30	2	..	..	..	191	42	...	...	...	233	..	..	233
	1210	343	38	1087	316	1	36	..	136	57	10	8	..	298	23	1140	14	12	4729	469	127	427	...	5752	8	31	5791

STATISTICS NO. 1.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Bap--tisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars.	No. of Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.
Advance	2	136	1	1	....	....	2	10	115	..	....	..	..	4	4700	1	900	350	.....	.....
Bloomfield	10	160	1	1	1	....	3	19	165	..	....	..	..	3	6500	..	.....	210	150	410
Bonne Terre	3	85	..	..	....	....	1	10	110	1	30	..	..	1	2000	1	1500	.....	31	65
Bismarck	...	97	2	2	6	8	3	16	180	..	....	..	..	4	2900	..	.....	300	.....	.....
Dudley	9	108	1	..	....	14	4	25	158	..	....	..	..	3	2300	1	600	600	.....	.....
De Soto	...	141	1	..	....	9	1	15	133	1	46	..	..	1	4500	1	1500	.....	.....	600
De Soto Circuit	10	76	1	..	....	....	2	10	120	..	....	..	..	2	2000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Doe Run	8	139	..	4	2	....	1	18	270	1	34	1	60	1	7000	..	.....	4000	.....	.....
Farmington	9	330	8	1	1	25	1	29	281	1	60	1	50	1	13000	1	2500	150	.....	660
Farmington Circuit	..	....	..	..	....	....	..	....	....	..	....	..	..	..	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flat River	4	69	..	2	....	....	1	6	85	1	19	1	26	1	2500	1	1200	.....	.....	1191
Fruitland	4	165	..	..	27	4	3	38	220	..	....	..	..	4	5500	1	800	500	.....	.....
Irondale and Graniteville	1	179	2	4	4	22	2	10	150	..	....	..	..	2	2200	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ironton	12	88	..	3	2	18	1	10	65	1	25	1	21	1	1500	1	800	90	60	.....
Lutesville	10	255	3	..	....	....	4	20	200	..	....	..	..	6	5000	1	500	.....	.....	.....
Mt. View	4	105	..	3	2	1	4	36	240	2	50	..	..	4	4000	1	.....	.....	.....	320
Palmer	26	152	5	..	....	....	4	16	240	..	....	..	..	4	3600	1	200	.....	.....	.....
Patton	...	228	2	..	9	2	4	25	180	..	....	..	..	5	3500	1	300	.....	.....	.....
Poplar Bluff	25	155	3	1	....	8	1	20	157	1	36	..	..	1	20000	..	.....	103	1192	7780
Poplar Bluff Circuit	...	15	..	..	....	....	..	....	....	..	....	..	..	..	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Puxico	6	150	1	10	6	8	2	26	190	..	....	..	..	3	4000	1	1000	10	.....	.....
Perryville	...	59	..	1	....	....	3	11	100	..	....	..	..	4	3700	1	650	400	.....	.....
Robertsville	10	90	..	1	....	....	3	15	75	..	....	..	..	2½	2000	1	.....	100	.....	.....
West Plains	10	200	..	2	1	13	1	20	300	1	40	1	45	1	4800	1	2000	180	100	.....
West Plains Circuit	4	163	2	..	....	5	3	11	126	..	....	..	..	5	3000	..	.....	100	.....	.....
Willow Springs	17	95	..	..	1	10	1	16	200	1	43	..	..	1	3000	1	1000	250	.....	225
Winona	1	80	1	..	....	4	2	12	100	..	....	..	..	3	3700	..	.....	55	.....	.....
	185	3520	34	36	62	151	57	444	4160	11	383	5	202	67½	116900	15	15450	7408	1533	11251

STATISTICS NO. III.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiences.	Support of Conference Claimants Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts. Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Advance	Walter Ross	* 525	100	625	525	100	625	....	8	8	50	50	4	2	685	15	20	35
Bloomfield	T. J. Gideon	* 405	....	405	301	....	301	104	7	4	50	38	3		348	75	40	115
Bonne Terre	(E. M. Smith)	* 500	100	600	300	100	400	200	10	5	70	40	5	2	450	50	48	98
Bismarck	(A. B. Garrison)	151	....	151	151	....	151	....	2	2	40	40	1	1	194	.....	....	.....
Dudley	(A. W. Hill)	400	50	450	250	50	300	150	4	2	45	45	2	1	348	26	40	66
De Soto	W. H. Bickers	800	120	920	605	120	725	195	18	10	80	58	9	...	793	143	43	186
De Soto Circuit	(R. H. Shute)	275	....	275	175	....	175	100	4	....	40	25	2	...	200	15	20	35
Doe Run	L. H. Sweetland	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	20	20	100	100	10	10	1130	55	294	379
Farmington	L. M. Thompson	1100	120	1220	1100	120	1220	....	22	22	125	125	11	11	1378	155	184	279
Farmington Circuit	(V. O. Sample)	100	....	100	100	....	100	....	2	....	10	10	1	...	110	.....	....	.....
Flat River	(C. D. Bradley)	* 600	100	700	300	....	300	400	12	....	75	33	5	...	333	48	21	69
Fruitland	F. G. Peterson	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	14	14	75	75	7	7	996	75	54	129
Irondale & Graniteville	(M. S. Bumpus)	450	....	450	400	....	400	50	4	....	40	40	2	2	442	30	25	55
Tronton	E. L. Spiller	* 300	100	400	330	100	430	....	8	8	50	50	4	4	492	50	27	77
Lutesville	(D. E. Barrett)	* 450	60	510	245	60	305	205	8	4	60	60	3	2	371	.....	....	.....
Mt. View	W. O. Tolbart	* 385	....	385	320	....	320	65	6	7	40	40	3	3	370	50	80	130
Palmer	(D. P. Cole)	415	30	445	202	30	232	173	4	1	50	....	2	...	233	.....	....	.....
Patton	Carl Stevenson	* 365	30	395	163	30	193	202	4	1	50	37	2	1	232	10	30	40
Poplar Bluff	(G. A. Pegram)	* 800	....	800	800	....	800	....	14	7	105	100	7	3	910	180	80	260
Poplar Bluff Circuit	(G. W. Davis)	100	....	100	.....	....	.....	100	2	....	10	....	1	...	.....	.....	....	.....
Puxico	(A. H. Barnes)	450	100	550	360	100	460	90	10	6	60	53	5	3	522	40	82	122
Perryville	J. E. Stickney	* 450	75	525	200	75	275	250	4	2	50	33	2	1	311	24	18	42
Robertsville	(Wm. P. Johns)	235	....	235	114	....	114	121	3	2	35	23	2	1	140	30	23	53
West Plains	A. M. Livingston	1000	120	1120	1000	120	1120	....	20	20	105	105	10	10	1255	125	110	235
West Plains Circuit	(J. M. Willard)	280	....	280	225	....	225	55	5	2	45	37	2	1	265	12	20	32
Willow Springs	(M. V. Heidlebaugh)	* 500	100	600	430	100	530	70	10	5	55	55	5	3	593	70	70	140
Winona	(D. W. Giberson)	300	....	300	200	....	200	100	4	2	40	27	2	...	229	20	25	45
		13036	1405	14441	10496	1305	11804	1747	229	154	1565	1302	112	68	13325	1328	1294	2622

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

STATISTICS NO. IV.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY.)																			OTHER BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.							
	MISSIONS.						Board of Education.			Board of Sunday Schools.		Board of Con. Claimants					Woman's Home Missionary Society.										
	Board of Foreign Missions.			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																							
	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church Gen. Education	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund.	Freedmen's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Total Disciplinary collections.	Local Educational Interests.	Local Permanent Fund.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Minutes.	Total Benevolent Collections.	General Conference Expenses.	Cent. Office Ex. of Epworth League	Grand Total.
Advance	3			3															6	13				13			16
Bloomfield	4	2		4	2					1				2					15	4				4			19
Bonne Terre	3			3															6	2				2			8
Bismark	5			5															10	2		14		16	1		27
Dudley	7			7															14	4				4			18
De Soto	15			5															20	5				5			25
De Soto Circuit																											
Doe Run	34	26		34	26					15									135	30				30		3	168
Farmington	48	20	40	48	20									17	2				195	40				40		3	241
Farmington Circuit																											
Flat River		4		2	4							1							11			20		20			31
Fruitland	12	30		42					10					11	1				106	11				11			117
Irondale and Graniteville	6	6		7	5		2							1					27	6	4			10			37
Ironton	9	4		9	4				1	1				2					30	7		18		25	2	2	59
Lutesville	2			4															6	2				2			8
Mt. View	9	9		9	9				8	3		2		4	3				56	4				4			60
Palmer	3			4													1	2	11								11
Patton	8	2		8	2		1			1				2	1				25	5				5			30
Poplar Bluff	12			13			2												27	19				19			46
Poplar Bluff Circuit																											
Puxico		10			10						1								21	10				10			31
Perryville	2			2															4	1				1			5
Robertsville	7			6															13	4				4			17
West Plains	47	15	20	47	15		6		5					5	1	27	19	24	211	30		25		55			266
West Plains Circuit	2			2							1								5	2				2			7
Willow Springs	7	8		7	8		3		3		3			7	1				47	8				30		1	78
Winona	3			3															6								6
	148	136	60	265	105		14		27	21	5	3		51	9	28	21	24	1007	209	4	99		312	3	9	1331

STATISTICS NO. 1.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Bap-tisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars.	No. of Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.
Adrian	3	173	..	1	....	12	2	28	145	1	28	1	15	2	7500	1	1600	250	2000	600
Amsterdam	4	67	..	1	....	....	2	14	10	..	....	2	40	2	2400	..	.....	92	.....	.....
Austin	4	217	..	..	....	28	2	26	174	2	111	..	...	2	3000	1	700	300	.....	.....
Belton	4	100	..	1	....	7	1	11	42	..	....	..	...	2	2800	1	1000	576	.....	.....
Centerview	2	132	..	2	....	....	2	20	132	2	30	..	...	.....	3000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drexel	7	140	..	..	2	5	2	20	153	..	....	..	...	2	3200	..	.....	30	.....	.....
East Lynne	14	160	..	..	....	8	2	21	160	1	26	1	24	2	4000	1	802	50	.....	.....
Garden City	3	145	1	2	4	17	3	26	165	2	40	..	...	3	7000	..	.....	2410	.....	1065
Holden	3	143	..	2	6	....	1	16	110	1	41	1	20	1	6500	1	2000	700	600	1000
Independence	7	198	1	1	....	13	1	14	120	1	42	1	15	1	26000	1	3500	.....	750	2815
Kansas City, Arlington	3	322	1	7	....	3	1	28	250	1	48	..	...	1	3000	2	13500	70	.....	10800
Beaumont	6	20	..	..	....	....	1	14	67	..	....	..	...	1	1250	..	.....	17	.....	.....
Bennington	38	175	..	3	4	8	1	27	160	1	30	1	35	1	6000	1	1800	115	528	479
Broadway	3	52	..	1	3	10	2	15	60	1	30	..	...	1	15000	..	.....	5000	.....	8500
Centennial Chapel	5	57	..	1	2	21	1	10	80	..	....	..	...	1	1200	..	.....	5	.....	.....
Grace	47	216	..	2	3	21	1	35	200	1	30	1	43	1	12000	..	.....	100	.....	2500
Grand Ave.	...	651	..	5	....	5	1	30	250	..	....	..	...	1	200000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Howard Mem.	9	519	1	7	27	14	1	54	287	1	83	1	35	1	60000	1	5000	.....	4000	16000
Hyde Park	1	88	..	..	5	1	1	8	44	1	25	..	...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Independence	26	1200	1	8	22	21	1	64	560	1	220	1	150	1	125000	1	10000	1200	500	9000
Linwood Blvd.	37	629	2	1	7	6	1	58	560	1	153	1	48	1	35000	..	.....	600	600	8000
Maywood	13	37	..	..	1	1	1	9	75	..	....	..	...	1	2200	1	2300	12	250	2000
Mt. Washington	...	52	..	1	1	....	1	13	51	1	25	..	...	.....	3500	..	.....	.....	190	650
Oakhurst	46	410	1	1	12	65	2	37	553	1	69	1	30	1	2500	..	.....	359	1021	1500
Oakley	24	520	..	2	6	7	1	46	639	1	182	..	...	1	35000	..	.....	1100	600	10400
Phoenix Park	10	175	1	1	18	9	1	27	265	1	40	1	35	1	9000	..	.....	.....	.....	1058
Summit St.	...	198	..	6	....	29	1	32	300	1	30	1	20	1	6000	..	.....	600	.....	.....
Kingsville Circuit	68	100	..	2	....	55	2	19	95	1	35	..	...	1½	700	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lee's Summit	2	155	..	1	3	....	1	16	61	1	45	..	..	1	2500	1	1400	56	.....	.....
Oak Grove	2	229	..	1	....	....	3	20	130	1	15	..	...	5	6500	1	1500	.....	.....	.....
Pelasant Hill	2	153	..	3	2	1	1	17	94	1	25	..	...	1	6000	1	2000	10	.....	.....
	393	1429	9	63	128	373	44	775	6010	27	1403	14	519	43	597750	15	48000	13582	11039	75497

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiences.	Support of Conference Claimants Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts. Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, Dist ict Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES Church; Sexton. Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Adrian	G. A. Glens	740	60	800	740	60	800	....	26	12	80	80	11	4	896	200	65	265
Amsterdam	(E. N. Garrett)	* 400	....	400	400	....	400	....	13	12	40	40	6	3	455	36	25	61
Austin	D. W. Britton	800	....	800	800	50	850	....	28	28	80	80	11	11	969	125	65	190
Belton	F. O. Moore	* 500	120	620	500	120	620	....	20	20	62	62	8	8	710	33	22	55
Centerview	(Harry Gebhardt)	* 400	....	400	425	....	425	....	15	15	40	42	6	6	488	86	48	134
Drexel	W. K. Chatten	680	....	680	680	....	685	....	22	22	68	68	9	5	780	90	70	160
East Lynne	A. J. May	* 475	60	535	425	60	485	50	18	15	53	46	7	5	551	32	52	84
Garden City	C. V. Bigler	* 440	....	440	410	....	410	50	15	10	44	41	6	4	465	50	60	110
Holden we.	R. B. Templeton	725	100	825	725	100	825	....	24	23	82	82	11	7	937	140	85	235
Independence	H. G. Mais	1000	240	1240	1000	240	1240	....	41	18	124	124	17	7	1389	395	67	462
Kansas City, Arlington	C. V. Claypool	1450	200	1650	1450	200	1650	....	54	30	165	165	20	23	1868	548	250	798
Beaumont	W. G. Smith	x 200	....	200	165	....	165	35	7	1	20	15	3		181	10	50	60
Bennington	A. T. Osbron	1020	180	1200	1020	189	1200	....	40	40	120	100	16	16	1356	135	....	135
Broadway	H. G. Humphrey	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	40	40	120	120	17	17	1377	283	30	313
Centennial	H. G. Mais	200	....	200	200	....	200	....	7	3	20	20	3	2	225	5	20	25
Grace	Clinton Senneff	x 750	....	750	750	....	750	....	25	30	75	75	10	10	865	500	150	650
Grand Ave	Daniel McGurk	3600	....	3600	3000	600	3600	....	250	200	360	360	50	50	4210	3100	464	3564
Howard Mem	H. A. Jones	1800	400	2200	1800	400	2200	....	73	70	220	220	30	30	2530	700	175	875
Hyde Park	H. A. Barton	x 1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	33	23	100	100	13	10	1133	650	30	680
Independence	Luther Freeman	4000	600	4600	4125	600	4725	....	300	300	460	480	67	65	5570	5250	600	5850
Linwood Blvd	C. R. Carlos	2200	....	2200	2200	....	2200	....	80	80	220	220	30	30	2530	1750	450	2200
Maywood	W. G. Smith	x 450	150	600	450	150	600	....	20	5	60	45	8		650	40	60	100
Mt. Washington	I. J. K. Lunbeck	x 300	....	300	300	....	300	....	10	10	30	30	4	4	344	88	132	220
Oakhurst	J. W. Coontz	1500	....	1500	1500	....	1500	....	50	50	150	150	21	21	1721	1084	186	1270
Oakley	F. W. Simpson	1600	....	1600	1600	....	1600	....	53	34	160	160	21	15	1809	680	425	1105
Phoenix Park	W. E. Brown	x 800	....	800	800	....	800	....	26	25	80	80	11	11	916	150	140	290
Summit St	O. M. Stewart	1100	....	1100	1100	....	1100	....	26	36	110	110	15	15	1261	186	170	356
Kingsville Circuit	(Rowland Hill)	* 300	....	300	300	....	300	....	13	12	30	30	4	5	347	.....	42	42
Lee's Summit	(J .I. Phillips)	750	120	870	647	120	767	103	31	20	87	87	12	12	866	138	58	196
Oak Grove	(L. M. Jones)	690	100	790	465	100	565	225	26	26	79	46	11	11	648	210	55	265
Pleasant Hill	E. T. Rice	800	120	920	732	120	852	68	30	15	92	85	13	6	958	133	68	201
		31870	2450	34320	30909	3100	34014	511	1426	1222	3341	3363	471	413	38992	16827	4114	20441

*Have Missionary Appropriations. xAided by City Evangelization Union.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY.)																				OTHER BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.							
	MISSIONS.						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools.		Board of Con. Claimants					Woman's Home Missionary Society.											
	Board of Foreign Missions.			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																								
	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church Gen. Education	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund.	Freedmen's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Total Disciplinary collections.	Local Educational Interests.	Local Permanent Fund.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Minutes.	Total Benevolent Collections.	General Conference Expenses.	Cent. Office Ex. of Epworth League	Grand Total.
Adrian	3	5	....	4	3	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	11	....	...	27	1	...	....	...	28	..	..	28
Amsterdam	8	3	....	9	3	...	2	..	5	1	..	..	..	2	1	....	....	...	34	4	...	....	...	38	2	..	40
Austin	80	17	....	80	....	...	..	..	10	6	..	..	..	16	3	10	....	...	222	25	...	67	...	92	..	5	319
Belton	21	4	....	21	4	...	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	5	1	....	....	...	60	16	...	1612	...	1628	2	..	1630
Centerview	17	10	....	17	6	...	..	..	6	3	..	..	..	4	1	....	....	...	64	..	...	....	...	64	..	..	64
Drexel	10	3	....	5	....	...	5	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	1	....	....	...	30	5	...	48	...	83	..	..	83
East Lynne	13	12	....	25	....	...	..	..	10	1	..	..	..	3	..	....	....	...	64	10	5	26	...	105	..	1	106
Garden City	10	...	....	10	....	...	..	..	6	1	..	..	..	2	1	....	....	...	30	2	...	3	...	35	..	1	36
Holden	20	10	....	20	10	...	3	..	5	1	..	3	..	3	1	23	6	...	105	11	...	....	...	116	..	2	118
Independence	25	17	....	10	17	...	..	..	6	2	..	1	..	6	1	44	3	...	132	10	2	27	...	181	1	2	174
Kansas City Arlington	90	50	....	89	50	...	..	..	15	5	..	..	..	15	2	126	109	17	568	10	...	53	...	631	5	..	636
Beaumont	2	3	....	2	3	...	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	...	11	..	...	5	...	5	..	..	16
Bennington	30	...	....	25	....	...	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	8	1	....	51	...	121	9	...	20	...	20	..	..	150
Broadway	40	...	....	40	....	...	5	..	..	2	1	..	..	8	1	....	....	...	97	5	...	....	...	102	..	1	103
Centennial Chapel	5	...	....	5	....	...	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	....	....	...	13	2	...	3	...	18	..	..	18
Grace	....	24	....	....	24	...	..	..	9	1	..	..	..	2	1	....	27	...	88	5	...	31	...	120	..	2	126
Grand Ave.	205	50	....	205	50	...	..	..	16	18	..	..	..	54	15	423	287	45	1368	60	...	338	...	1766	..	..	1766
Howard Mem.	110	90	....	195	....	...	..	..	20	...	15	..	..	39	3	94	46	12	624	50	...	....	...	674	..	..	674
Hyde Park	....	10	....	....	10	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	...	....	..	...	25	...	45	..	..	45
Independence	472	150	161	620	150	...	..	..	41	50	..	..	..	140	25	1222	....	735	3766	140	...	424	...	4289	24	10	4364
Linwood Blvd.	161	84	....	157	83	...	5	..	40	16	..	..	..	48	6	344	220	40	1204	66	...	1125	...	2395	..	..	2395
Maywood	10	...	....	10	....	...	..	..	2	...	1	..	..	3	..	....	13	...	39	..	...	10	...	10	..	..	49
Mt. Washington	3	...	....	3	....	...	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	...	7	..	...	17	...	17	..	1	25
Oakhurst	35	31	10	....	31	...	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	4	..	134	30	25	304	12	...	5	...	325	..	3	328
Oakley	68	97	56	96	12	...	10	..	6	5	..	..	..	15	3	97	87	...	552	12	...	112	...	676	..	..	676
Phoenix Park	13	9	....	13	9	...	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	5	1	54	13	28	150	16	...	25	...	191	..	1	192
Summit St.	35	20	....	35	20	...	2	..	6	3	..	..	..	10	2	96	29	...	258	3	...	58	...	319	2	2	323
Kingsville Circuit	13	...	....	5	....	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	...	18	..	...	....	...	18	..	2	20
Lee's Summit	30	9	....	27	9	...	..	..	6	...	2	..	..	5	1	....	....	...	89	10	...	....	...	99	3	2	104
Oak Grove	21	3	....	20	2	...	..	..	5	2	..	..	..	4	1	....	....	...	58	5	...	....	...	63	3	..	66
Pleasant Hill	32	8	....	23	7	...	..	..	8	4	..	..	..	11	2	27	....	...	122	7	...	....	...	129	..	..	129
	1582	719	227	1771	503	...	36	..	231	136	19	4	..	419	74	2705	921	902	10259	496	7	4034	...	12767	42	35	14802

STATISTICS NO. 1.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Bap-- tisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars.	No. of Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.
Ava.	23	120	1	..	....	....	1	8	100	..	....	..	...	2	4000	1	600	175	.....	.....
Buffalo.	6	93	2	1	....	....	1	9	70	1	31	..	...	1	5000	1	1000	25	.....	.....
Buffalo Circuit.	23	154	..	2	....	31	3	24	150	1	40	..	...	5	3700	1	300	.....	.....	.....
Conway.	9	223	1	1	3	38	4	34	180	1	28	..	...	5	2500	1	800	115	.....	.....
Eldon.	...	121	1	2	....	1	1	13	104	1	30	..	...	1	2500	1	1200	98	.....	.....
Gainesville.	17	169	1	..	3	10	2	10	85	..	....	..	...	3	2200	1	250	200	93	.....
Hartville.	6	150	2	3	2	10	1	11	70	1	15	..	...	4	6000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
High Point.	4	123	1	2	....	2	1	6	32	..	....	..	...	2 9-10	3450	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Houston & Cabool.	3	120	..	..	....	....	2	22	70	..	....	..	...	.....	3900	2	1400	.....	.....	.....
Iberia.	26	243	..	3	....	34	4	28	240	..	....	1	77	5 1-3	6100	..	.....	650	.....	.....
Lebanon.	44	263	1	3	1	3	2	26	160	2	71	1	48	2	5800	1	2000	541	.....	.....
Lebanon Circuit.	14	100	..	..	....	6	1	5	50	..	....	..	...	2	1700	..	.....	300	.....	.....
Licking.	20	160	2	3	2	10	3	15	150	1	32	1	65	3	3800	1	500	1000	.....	250
Linn Creek.	...	97	..	..	....	1	1	9	50	..	....	..	...	2	2500	1	300	42	37	193
Marsfield.	6	163	..	..	2	8	1	18	145	1	25	1	50	1	3500	1	1000	145	.....	650
Mountain Grove.	10	227	2	1	....	17	1	21	200	..	....	1	30	1	4000	1	400	25	300	.....
Mountain Grove Circuit	...	20	2	..	....	....	..	....	....	..	....	..	...	1¼	1200	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newburg & Dixon.	...	157	1	1	4	8	2	25	170	2	50	2	65	3	4700	1	700	405	.....	.....
Orla.	20	172	1	5	3	25	1	10	65	..	....	..	...	4	3500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Phillipsburg.	1	161	1	2	2	....	1	11	70	1	31	..	...	3	2400	1	550	50	65	.....
Plato.	...	144	..	..	2	3	1	6	40	..	....	..	...	5	4500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Richland.	3	171	1	1	....	5	1	13	140	1	49	1	20	1	2500	1	800	75	.....	.....
Richmond Circuit.	10	45	..	..	....	....	1	5	45	..	....	..	...	1	700	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rolla.	16	168	1	..	2	19	1	20	200	1	102	1	39	1	9000	1	1200	75	.....	.....
Seymour & Mansfield	6	180	1	1	1	....	2	26	195	1	40	..	...	2	4000	1	1000	255	.....	.....
Upshaw.	1	82	4	3	....	....	2	14	70	1	40	..	...	4	3600	..	.....	44	.....	.....
Urbana.	...	249	2	2	1	4	1	10	75	..	....	..	...	4	2000	1	750	100	.....	.....
Vichy.	...	88	1	2	1	12	2	15	110	1	12	1	9	2	2075	1	400	.....	.....	75
	268	4163	29	38	29	247	44	417	3036	17	596	10	403	73¼	111525	21	16150	4435	495	1169

STATISTICS NO. III.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )		PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiences.	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts.: Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops: Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES: Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Ava	(A. J. Hanby)	*	350	50	400	69	50	119	281	6	....	48	30	3	...	111	25	22	47
Buffalo	C. V. Bryan	*	475	50	525	475	50	525	....	10	15	63	58	5	...	593	75	40	115
Buffalo Circuit	(D. W. Low)		250	30	280	100	30	130	150	4	....	30	....	2	...	130	5	18	23
Conway	C. F. Tippen		600	50	650	561	50	611	39	12	12	78	76	6	6	718	40	55	95
Eldon	B. E. Niblack		550	50	600	550	50	600	....	12	12	72	72	6	4	688	96	39	135
Gainesville	(M. Buck)	*	310	30	340	150	30	180	160	2	....	41	30	1	...	210	45	26	71
Hartville	J. W. Slusher	*	500	50	550	400	50	450	100	10	10	66	56	5	4	520	50	30	80
High Point	W. F. Baker	*	500	....	500	360	....	360	140	8	8	60	43	5	2	413	50	20	70
Houston & Cabool	(J. L. Dawson)	*	525	72	597	60	72	132	465	8	....	72	22	4	...	154	35	40	75
Iberia	J. A. McFarland	*	475	....	475	437	....	437	38	10	4	57	45	5	...	486	15	60	75
Lebanon	H. A. Mitchell		900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	18	18	120	120	9	9	1147	148	100	248
Lebanon Circuit	(G. A. Moss)		300	....	300	134	....	134	166	4	1	36	22	2	1	158	22	24	46
Licking	G. C. Bechtel	*	450	60	510	450	60	510	....	10	10	61	61	5	2	583	15	30	85
Linn Creek	(J. W. Null)	*	290	100	390	164	100	264	126	4	1	48	22	2	1	288	....	....	....
Marsfield	F. P. Reno		650	50	700	650	50	700	....	14	14	77	77	7	7	798	130	106	236
Mountain Grove	J. W. Needham		600	100	700	600	100	700	....	14	14	90	84	7	7	805	80	80	160
Mountain Grove Circuit	J. W. Needham		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Newburg & Dixon	C. E. Wharton	*	600	100	700	615	100	715	....	10	15	84	84	5	6	820	90	70	160
Orla	(W. McClanahan)		165	....	165	133	....	133	32	4	2	22	19	2	2	156	30	10	40
Phillipsburg	(Lynderman Wright)	*	250	60	310	250	60	310	....	8	1	36	40	4	3	330	65	31	96
Plato	(S. H. Yeater)	*	300	....	300	53	....	53	247	5	1	36	30	3	1	75	25	15	40
Richland	W. D. Price		500	50	550	500	50	550	....	10	10	66	66	5	4	576	105	72	177
Richland Circuit	(Jno. P. Kelly)		100	....	100	100	....	100	....	2	....	12	10	1	...	110	15	10	25
Rolla	T. P. Shaffer		850	100	950	850	100	950	....	18	18	114	114	9	9	1091	160	75	235
Seymour & Mansfield	B. D. Jones	*	600	50	650	600	50	650	....	14	14	78	78	7	7	749	48	100	148
Upshaw	(F. O. Forbes)	*	266	....	266	152	....	152	114	4	....	30	22	2	2	176	12	12	24
Urbana	Milus Womack		400	50	450	401	50	451	....	8	15	54	54	4	4	524	30	40	70
Vichy	H. C. Adams	*	400	30	430	180	30	210	220	6	6	52	44	4	4	249	45	52	97
			12206	1232	13388	9894	1232	11126	2278	235	201	1603	1369	120	85	12658	1496	1177	2673

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

STATISTICS NO. IV.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY.)																			OTHER BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.							
	MISSIONS.						Board of Education.			Board of Sunday Schools.		Board of Con. Claimants															
	Board of Foreign Missions.			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																							
	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church Gen. Education	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund.	Freedmen's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Total Disciplinary collections.	Local Educational Interests.	Local Permanent Fund.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Minutes.	Total Benevolent Collections.	General Conference Expenses.	Cent. Office Ex. of Epworth League	Grand Total.
Ava.																											
Buffalo.	5		5	15		15			4					1					45	2		15		17			62
Buffalo Circuit.																				52				52			52
Conway.	36			36			10							6	1				89	20				20			109
Eldon.	28			28	1						1			5	1		22		96	11				11			107
Gainesville.																											
Hartville.	8			8					3	1					1				21	5				5			26
High Point	8			8			2		1	2				2	3				26	4		7		11			37
Houston & Cabool	6		5	5											5				21		10			10			31
Iberia	3			3			1					2							9								9
Lebanon	60			60					11		3			8	2	11			155	30		19		49		3	207
Lebanon Circuit	2			2								1							5		1			1			6
Licking	11	3		11	3		2		5					2	1	1	1		40	3				3		3	46
Linn Creek				1															1								1
Marshfield	32	10		32	10		14		13					12	2	40			155						2	2	169
Mountain Grove	35	5		35	5		9					14			2				115	15				15			120
Mountain Grove Circuit																											
Newburg & Dixon	20			20					7	1				9	1				58	10				10			70
Orla.	2			2								2							6								6
Phillipsburg.	5			5								1							11							1	12
Plato.	2			2								1							5								5
Richland.	35			35					7					1	2				80	10				10			90
Richland Circuit																											
Rolla.	55	5		55	5		10		4	1				5	2	11			153	16		60		76		6	235
Seymour & Mansfield	25	8		25	9		3							5					75	13		8		21			96
Upshaw.																											
Urbana.	3			3			5							1					12		2			2			14
Vichy.	4			10			2			1		2		1	1	1	1		23	3				3			26
	437	31	10	401	33	15	58		55	6	4	23		58	24	64	24		1211	194	13	109		316	2	17	1526

STATISTICS NO. 1.

SAINT LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Bap--tisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars.	No. of Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
Cuba	6	111	2	..	1	1	2	10	140	1	20	..	...	3	2500	1	500	40	.....	.....
Pacific	17	40	1	1	7	12	2	24	135	1	30	1	42	2	3700	..	.....	33	.....	.....
St. Louis, Baden	...	104	..	..	....	....	1	...	68	..	....	..	...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bowman	23	335	1		6	1	1	41	600	1	101	1	74	1	30000	..	.....	290	600	11000
Calvary	...	48	..	..	....	1	1	7	61	..	....	..	...	1	1500	..	.....	75	.....	.....
Carondelet	24	212	1	..	9	1	1	26	172	1	50	1	15	1	15000	..	.....	150	175	850
Dr. Fry Memorial	11	217	1	1	2	3	1	27	185	1	55	1	60	1	27000	1	4500	200	1400	7000
Goode Avenue	20	206	..	1	11	3	1	20	175	1	62	1	37	1	12000	..	.....	150	.....	2500
Harlem Place	21	107	..	1	10	8	1	21	160	1	75	1	68	1	3800	1	3300	64	.....	1500
Jennings & Walnut Pk	...	65	..	..	....	....	2	20	195	2	38	1	23	2	2750	..	.....	490	.....	260
Lindell Avenue	32	356	2	8	5	4	2	39	375	..	....	..	...	1	135000	1	15000	682	.....	.....
Maple Avenue	33	531	..	3	12	....	1	38	276	1	100	..	...	1	75000	1	6500	5151	1400	15000
Maplewood	10	152	2	..	11	6	1	21	170	1	40	1	17	1	7500	..	.....	210	500	1500
St. Lukes	14	179	..	..	13	10	1	23	257	1	40	..	...	1	9000	1	8000	200	.....	7000
Shrewsburg & Missions	...	24	..	..	1	....	2	15	70	..	....	..	...	2	4000	..	.....	.....	.....	800
Trinity	4	264	..	1	27	6	1	32	300	1	60	1	42	1	25000	..	.....	975	.....	.....
Tuxedo Park	2	45	1	1	....	....	1	10	67	1	22	1	25	1	1500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Union	20	633	3	5	18	8	1	44	318	1	120	1	47	1	45000	1	4500	1150	.....	.....
Wagoner Mem.	12	275	1	..	8	10	1	31	380	1	75	1	65	1	40000	..	.....	.....	2400	8000
Salem	6	59	1	..	....	....	1	6	40	..	....	..	...	2	2000	1	1000	230	.....	.....
Sligo x	5	70	1	1	....	....	2	16	150	1	18	1	50	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sullivan	7	86	..	1	7	3	1	9	50	2	17	..	...	1	1500	..	.....	.....	.....	200
	267	4119	17	24	148	77	28	480	4344	19	923	13	565	26	457255	8	43300	10090	6475	55610

xChurch and parsonage furnished by Sligo Furnace Co.

STATISTICS NO. III.

SAINT LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiences.	Support of Conference Claimants Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts. Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Cuba	H. F. Miller	* 400	72	472	400	72	472	....	10	10	47	23	6	4	509	40	50	90
Pacific	(A. Tremayne	* 360	....	360	300	....	300	60	8	6	36	40	4	3	349	123	....	123
St. Louis, Baden		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bowman	Samuel E. Betts	1500	....	1500	1500	....	1500	....	40	20	150	150	20	8	1678	613	216	829
Calvary	W. L. Gray	300	....	300	300	....	300	....	10	3	30	8	4	1	312	57	18	75
Carondelet	Peter H. Hoos	800	....	800	1000	....	1000	....	20	14	80	80	12	12	1106	202	159	361
Qr. Fry Memorial	Eli P. Anderson	1300	420	1720	1300	420	1720	....	35	35	172	172	23	23	1950	856	241	1097
Goode Avenue	H. C. Leonard	1200	....	1200	1000	....	1000	200	25	20	120	100	15	12	1132	200	100	300
Harlem Place	Wm. Leatherman	* 700	300	1000	700	300	1000	....	20	20	100	53	13	10	1083	291	99	340
Jennings & Walnut Pk.	(C. C. Miller)	400	....	400	404	....	404	....	10	5	40	38	5	2	449	13	60	73
Lindell Avenue	F. L. Thompson	4000	1000	5000	4000	1000	5000	....	300	300	500	500	80	80	5880	6108	350	6458
Maple Avenue	M. H. Lichliter	2500	500	3000	2500	500	3000	....	82	82	300	300	41	41	3423	5275	325	5600
Maplewood	John E. Thackrey	800	....	800	800	....	800	....	12	12	80	70	10	10	892	374	175	549
St. Lukes	J. W. Borah	1000	300	1300	1000	300	1300	....	24	16	130	100	17	11	1427	170	170	340
Shrewsburg, Missions	(R. S. Rees)	300	....	300	250	....	250	50	10	4	30	25	4	4	283	30	45	75
Trinity	Ralph Wakefield	1200	....	1200	1400	....	1400	....	24	36	120	140	15	16	1592	574	340	914
Tuxedo Park		* 800	....	800	503	....	503	297	20	10	80	....	10	5	518	119	68	187
Union	N. Luccock	3600	600	4200	3600	600	4200	....	250	250	420	420	70	70	4940	5639	417	6056
Wagoner Mem.	A. D. Ball	1600	....	1600	1500	....	1500	100	40	36	160	150	20	18	1704	500	220	720
Salem	(W. H. Winter)	* 300	....	300	156	....	156	144	10	3	30	30	6	...	189	24	12	36
Sligo	G. H. Gideon	600	100	700	650	100	750	....	12	10	40	35	7	1	796	70	60	130
Sullivan	(W. Ward Smith)	* 400	....	400	285	....	285	115	12	10	40	31	5	2	328	45	40	85
		24060	3292	27352	23548	3292	26840	966	1940	902	2705	2465	387	333	30540	21273	3165	24438

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

SAINT LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY.)																					OTHER BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.							
	MISSIONS.																												
	Board of Foreign Missions.			Board Home Mis and Ch Extension			Board of Education.			Board of Sunday Schools.		Board of Con. Claimants						Woman's Home Missionary Society.										
	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church Gen. Education	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund.	Freedmen's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Total Disciplinary collections.	Local Educational Interests.	Local Permanent Fund.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Minutes.	Total Benevolent Collections.	General Conference Expenses.	Cent. Office Ex. of Epworth League	Grand Total.
Cuba		5			5					2									12							1	13
Pacific	5	12		4			3			1				1	1				27								27
St. Louis—Baden																											
Bowman	50			40			5				2			10		86			193	25		182		207			400
Calvary	8			5			1											25	39	1				1			40
Carondelet	21	20		24	17		5		6	4				7	1	30			135	18		52		70			205
Dr. Fry Memorial	45	15	55	45	15				7	5				14	3	84	214	20	522	48	37	216		301		2	825
Goode Avenue	14	26		14	26				4	2				3	1	54			144	16		20		36		2	182
Harlem Place	16	24		14	24				4	2				7	1				92	16		10		26		1	119
Jennings & Walnut Pk.	9			8			2			1				2					22	5		14		19			41
Lindell Avenue	281	44	600	295	44	175	255		36	10		25		123	6	400	459	26	2779	75		5110		5185			7964
Maple Avenue	225	41	15	225	40		8	5	26	10	5	10		30	5	444	120	10	1228	100		2035		2135	5	5	3373
Maplewood	31	8		30	8		2		4	3				8	1				95	18		50		68		2	165
St. Lukes	36	24	16	36	24				4		4			11	1		42	17	215	15		68		83			298
Shrewsburg & Missions	4			3															7								7
Trinity	88		10	88					11	4	2			17	3	48			271	42		355		397		3	671
Tuxedo Park	15			15					2	1				2	1				36	4		9		13			249
Union	900	100	525	400	100				32	50		25		50	10	724	249	108	3349	76		5590		5666	25	7	9047
Wagner Memorial	60	28		60	28		16				6			20	4	36			258	40		70		110			368
Salem	5						4			1				1	1				12								12
Sligo		11		12															23		10			10			33
Sullivan	5	5		5	5				2	3				5	1	1	2		34	3				3		1	38
	1818	363	1221	1323	336	175	301	5	138	99	19	60		311	40	1907	1086	206	9493	502	47	13781		14330	30	24	23877

STATISTICS NO 1

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Bap-- tisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars.	No. of Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.
Alberta.																				
Appleton City.		228		2		7	1	18		1	30	1	25	2	7500	1	1000	101	600	300
Clinton.	12	456	2	4		20	1	32	300	1	67	1	48	1	20000			215	165	1050
Deepwater.	7	225		2	12	6	3	25	250	1	10	1	80	3		1		600	150	200
Dresden.	4	148	1	2		20	2	18	142	1	21			2	3000	1	800	169		
Eldorado Springs.	38	288	2	3	2	41	1	21	265	1	25	1	76	1	5000	1	1000	78		
Eldorado Springs Circuit.	3	77	2		2	6	3	18	90					2½	1900					
Green Ridge.	5	172	1	2	9	9	3	33	140	2	60	1	55	3	5000	1	600	250		
Huntingdale.	5	151		1	2	6	2	14	85					3	4700	1	800			
Knob Noster.	1	152		3	2	6	1	9	34					4	4480	1	520	294		
Lincoln & Warsaw.	3	35												1	1800	1	600			
Malta Bend.	11	131	1	3	6	3	2	16	100	1	40	1	30	2	3500	1	1000	171		
Marshall.	12	148	2	1	18	13	1	17	120	1	35	1	55	1	11000			50		
Montrose.		100	1		1	1	4	25	190					4	4400	1	600	45		
Odessaa & Higginsville.	40	150					1	4	25											
Pilot Grove.	6	102				7	1	12	95	1	24			1	1300	1	700	112		
Rockville.	4	140		2		3	2	16	90					3	3300	1	800	37		
Shell City.	22	236		1			2	26	145	2	70	1	26	2	2800	1	800	72		
Sedalia, Epworth.	19	312	1	3	14	10	2	27	264	2	85	1	52	2	11600	1	2000	100	292	1300
First Church.	40	630	1	10	12	18	1	25	400	1	90	1	25	1	40000			1000		
Smithson.		230			2	2	1	14	150	1	35	1	40	1	4000	1	1200			
Tipton.	15	146	1	1	2	20	1	16	85	1	35			2½	7500	1	800			
Urich.	12	200		2	5	6	3	20	115					3	4800			2600	2560	41
Warrensburg.	14	410	1	4		1	1	25	275	1	50	1	20	1	20000	1	3000	90		
Windsor.	5	104		2			1	17	97	1	25			1	3500	2	2800	20		
	278	4984	16	48	89	205	40	445	3459	19	702	12	532	47	171080	19	19020	6004	3767	2891

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiences.	Support of Conference Claimants Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts. Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Alberta	(Wm. M. Long)	* 300	24	324	....	....	....	324	5	....	34	....	3	....	....	....	....	....
Appleton City	J. M. Carter	900	100	1000	903	100	1003	....	24	12	105	100	11	7	1157	122	120	242
Clinton	Wm. N. Gaither	1400	....	1400	1400	....	1400	....	34	34	147	145	15	15	1594	340	150	500
Deepwater	H. P. Barnes	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	16	16	74	73	9	8	797	150	100	250
Dresden	Lalan Anderson	450	50	500	455	50	505	....	11	2	53	52	7	2	561	55	85	140
Eldorado Springs	L. L. Brannon	760	90	850	760	90	850	....	18	18	89	89	10	10	967	150	72	222
Eldorado Springs Circuit	(I. M. Galbraith)	200	....	200	70	....	70	130	5	4	21	18	3	1	93	20	25	45
Green Ridge	Ray C. Walker	500	50	550	486	50	536	14	16	10	58	57	7	7	610	125	45	170
Huntingdale	(M. L. Stille)	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	16	16	58	59	8	8	633	60	29	89
Knob Noster	J. C. Stille	* 410	60	470	369	60	429	41	10	10	49	49	5	5	493	80	16	96
Lincoln & Warsaw	.....	* 250	....	250	....	....	....	250	....	3	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....
Malta Bend	W. L. Cummins	800	75	875	810	75	885	....	18	....	84	87	11	2	974	85	35	120
Marshall	E. O. Smith	* 700	....	700	500	....	500	200	10	10	74	73	10	5	588	150	100	250
Montrose	(Norton S. Beard)	* 340	50	390	240	50	290	100	10	1	41	42	5	...	333	40	50	90
Odessa & Higginsville	(Thos. E. Easterwood)	* 500	50	550	65	120	185	365	8	4	58	10	6	...	199	....	....	....
Pilot Grove	L. M. Mason	500	50	550	500	50	550	....	13	12	58	58	7	6	626	17	30	47
Rockville	Geo. T. Beard	* 370	60	430	282	60	342	88	13	3	45	34	7	...	379	13	25	38
Shell City	(O. E. Crain)	540	60	600	480	60	540	60	14	14	63	50	9	...	604	90	38	128
Sedalia, Epworth	P. E. Pierce	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	....	22	22	126	126	10	10	1358	416	112	528
First Church	S. S. Martin	1700	....	1700	1700	....	1700	....	52	52	179	179	19	19	1950	....	300	300
Smithson	F. S. Beggs	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	20	20	84	84	10	10	914	135	42	177
Tipton	R. A. Hunt	600	100	700	650	50	700	....	15	15	74	73	8	8	796	185	40	225
Urich	J. F. Pfeiffer	* 400	....	400	400	....	400	....	10	7	42	42	5	5	454	325	108	433
Warrensburg	G. J. Hunt	1050	150	1200	1050	150	1200	....	34	34	126	126	14	14	1374	325	108	433
Windsor	S. W. McClure	* 500	100	600	462	100	562	38	16	5	63	63	7	3	633	85	45	130
		15970	1519	17489	14382	1515	15897	1610	410	324	1805	1684	196	145	18050	2708	1677	4385

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY.)																					OTHER BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.							
	MISSIONS.						Board of Education.			Board of Sunday Schools.		Board of Con. Claimants						Woman's Home Missionary Society.											
	Board of Foreign Missions.			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																									
	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church Gen. Education	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund.	Freedmen's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Total Disciplinary collections.	Local Educational Interests.	Local Permanent Fund.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Minutes.	Total Benevolent Collections.	General Conference Expenses.	Cent. Office Ex. of Epworth League	Grand Total.
Alberta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Appleton City	27	23	....	35	...	...	...	...	5	...	1	...	...	8	..	83	...	...	182	40	...	...	...	40	..	2	224
Clinton	108	43	35	108	43	...	...	...	5	1	..	5	...	5	1	71	...	...	425	41	73	24	...	138	3	2	568
Deepwater	43	17	....	43	17	...	6	..	6	2	2	...	...	10	2	2	2	...	152	15	...	...	...	15	..	..	167
Dresden	22	2	....	19	2	...	1	..	3	...	...	...	...	3	..	...	...	...	52	...	...	...	...	...	3	..	55
Eldorado Springs	60	10	15	60	10	...	10	..	9	4	..	...	...	10	1	12	...	...	201	21	...	63	...	84	..	3	288
Eldorado Springs Circuit	7	...	....	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	12
Green Ridge	5	5	....	10	...	...	...	...	10	...	5	...	...	4	..	...	...	...	39	10	...	...	...	10	8	3	60
Huntingdale	49	1	8	45	1	...	3	...	...	1	..	...	...	5	..	18	...	...	131	7	...	...	...	7	..	1	139
Knob Noster	45	...	37	45	...	...	4	...	...	2	..	...	...	8	..	...	...	...	141	13	...	45	...	58	..	..	199
Lincoln & Warsaw	5	...	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	5
Malta Bend	25	...	....	30	...	...	...	...	6	1	..	...	...	5	1	2	3	...	73	15	...	33	...	48	..	..	121
Marshall	10	...	....	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	5	5	79	...	89	..	..	109
Montrose	5	...	....	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	11
Odessa & Higginsville	7	...	....	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	12
Pilot Grove	23	5	....	23	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	..	...	...	...	63	7	...	...	...	7	..	1	71
Rockville	1	...	....	4	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	..	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	1	..	10
Shell City	6	10	....	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	..	...	...	14	44	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	44
Sedalia, Epworth	31	5	....	31	5	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	12	..	...	...	...	94	78	...	...	...	78	..	4	176
First Church	100	55	....	100	53	...	...	...	15	...	5	...	...	43	5	325	...	...	701	51	20	252	...	323	..	5	1029
Smithson	70	5	50	70	5	...	3	..	5	3	..	1	..	12	2	61	...	...	287	18	...	...	...	18	..	2	307
Tipton	49	11	....	49	11	...	7	..	18	5	...	...	...	10	..	58	...	...	218	20	...	18	...	38	..	3	259
Urich	5	...	....	9	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	21
Warrensburg	66	22	5	75	12	...	20	...	...	5	...	...	...	13	..	126	19	10	377	36	10	17	...	63	..	..	440
Windsor	10	5	....	10	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	..	5	...	...	40	5	...	6	...	11	2	1	54
	779	219	150	799	169	...	54	..	95	31	13	6	..	167	14	763	24	24	3309	382	108	537	...	1027	18	27	4381

STATISTICS NO. 1.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Bap-tisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers	No. of Scholars.	No. of Senior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.
Ash Grove	1	120	..	..	....	8	2	16	110	1	25	..	...	3	3700	1	800	35	.....	363
Aurora	14	140	..	1	6	2	1	24	140	1	30	1	28	1	3000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Billings	3	126	..	4	....	5	1	21	200	1	53	1	46	1	2100	1	600	175	.....	.....
Bolivar	...	214	..	..	2	5	2	24	124	..	....	..	...	2	4500	1	1500	50	.....	.....
Bolivar Circuit	...	....	..	..	....	....	..	...	....	..	....	..	...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cassville	...	69	..	..	....	....	2	...	....	..	....	..	...	2½	2400	1	300	.....	.....	255
Clever Circuit	..6	170	2	4	....	20	1	10	40	..	....	..	...	3½	2400	..	.....	40	.....	.....
Dadeville	11	115	3	1	....	4	2	10	70	..	....	..	...	5	4000	1	600	188	.....	75
Fair Play	39	159	2	..	....	36	3	20	100	..	....	..	...	3	4300	1	1600	350	.....	275
Galena	7	128	..	..	....	....	2	22	80	..	....	..	...	3	3500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Golden City	...	152	1	1	1	6	1	20	129	1	33	..	...	1	4000	1	1000	166	.....	.....
Greenfield	15	158	3	2	1	2	1	20	232	1	39	1	56	1	1500	1	1400	641	.....	604
Humansville	17	176	2	3	1	28	1	14	120	1	35	1	32	1	2500	1	600	45	.....	.....
La Russell	32	184	1	..	....	....	4	30	190	..	....	..	...	4	3800	..	.....	46	.....	100
Lockwood	2	165	1	..	....	....	1	25	200	1	40	1	30	1	2200	1	825	56	.....	.....
Marionville	16	321	4	..	1	12	1	20	253	1	56	1	60	1	3000	1	700	.....	.....	.....
Marionville Circuit	1	150	..	..	....	1	1	6	35	..	....	..	...	4	4200	..	.....	150	.....	.....
Monett	65	154	1	..	....	....	1	24	200	1	20	..	...	1	4000	1	2000	525	.....	.....
Mount Vernon	8	135	1	..	2	13	1	16	160	1	62	1	44	1	6000	1	1000	50	.....	.....
Osceola	10	150	..	..	3	....	2	22	200	1	30	1	19	2	12000	1	1200	.....	500	500
Pierce City & Purdy	5	114	1	2	....	5	2	25	204	2	50	1	...	2	4300	1	1100	295	.....	182
Republic	35	126	..	..	....	....	1	19	188	1	51	1	43	1	3500	1	700	165	.....	.....
Springfield Circuit	2	97	..	..	....	....	2	18	60	..	....	..	...	3	3000	..	.....	20	.....	.....
Devers Benton Ave	11	316	3	1	9	21	1	30	175	1	45	1	25	1	16000	1	4000	148	.....	200
Dailey Memorial	6	130	..	2	....	8	1	20	100	1	30	1	25	1	12000	1	2000	.....	100	400
Grace	...	670	..	3	7	9	1	32	230	1	80	1	30	1	30000	1	5000	238	.....	800
Mt. Carmel	10	123	2	3	....	....	2	26	275	2	....	1	...	2	4000	1	1600	84	.....	427
Stockton	...	256	1	1	4	45	4	30	247	1	35	..	...	4	4500	1	600	840	.....	50
Taneyville	2	28	1	..	....	....	1	8	25	..	....	..	...	1	500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Weableau	8	182	1	2	....	11	3	20	145	1	25	..	...	4	6000	1	300	152	.....	.....
	326	5354	30	29	68	241	48	588	4193	21	739	13	438	61	156900	22	29425	4459	600	4231

NAME OF CHARGE.	NAME OF PASTOR. Supplies in Parenthesis ( )	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiences.	Support of Conference Claimants Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts. Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid.	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	CURRENT EXPENSES Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Ash Grove	J. W. Frisbie	* 435	60	495	320	60	380	115	7	1	58	34	5	1	416	35	46	81
Aurora	(R. W. Moore)	* 684	....	684	640	....	640	44	10	6	79	70	9	4	720	102	84	186
Billings	J. F. King	* 400	32	432	400	32	432	....	10	10	52	52	5	5	499	65	80	145
Bolivar	D. T. Simmons	800	75	875	771	75	846	29	20	20	96	96	10	8	970	86	56	142
Bolivar Circuit	(M. O. Moris)	*	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Cassville	(J. F. Robins)	* 288	60	348	250	60	310	38	9	1	44	19	4	...	329	30	40	70
Clever Circuit	James Lokey	335	....	335	285	....	285	50	10	....	38	20	3	...	305	40	25	65
Dadeville	(W. F. Yeager)	* 300	50	350	235	50	285	65	8	2	43	30	5	1	318	28	32	50
Fair Play	(D. Webster)	* 535	60	595	547	60	607	....	12	9	69	69	5	...	676	67	85	152
Galena	(W. C. Heiskell) x	* 300	....	300	34	....	34	266	5	....	40	20	4	...	54	45	45	90
Golden City	R. H. Lint	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	15	15	88	88	8	8	911	127	90	217
Greenfield	T. E. Prall	600	60	660	600	60	660	....	12	12	72	72	8	8	752	62	118	180
Humansville	M. O. Morris	* 450	50	500	400	50	450	50	10	1	60	60	5	1	512	73	50	123
La Russell	(A. P. Keast)	* 350	....	350	160	....	160	190	10	3	43	32	4	1	196	60	60	120
Lockwood	L. H. Smith	* 560	75	635	560	75	635	....	10	10	74	66	5	5	716	73	65	138
Marionville	W. D. Sidman	1000	60	1060	1000	60	1060	....	18	18	117	117	9	9	1204	120	91	211
Marionville Circuit	C. G. Davis	* 245	....	245	150	....	150	95	6	....	30	6	3	...	156	40	20	60
Monett	S. F. Stevens	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	20	15	110	110	11	9	1134	140	60	200
Mount Vernon	E. W. Elayer	1000	60	1060	1000	60	1060	....	15	15	117	117	9	9	1201	150	90	240
Osceola	W. S. Courtney	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	16	16	99	99	10	10	1025	80	60	140
Peirce City & Purdy	W. T. Pare	* 375	40	415	375	40	415	....	12	12	49	50	6	6	483	90	75	165
Republic	J. C. Gilbreath	506	50	556	506	50	556	....	12	12	61	61	6	6	635	110	82	192
Springfield Circuit	(J. L. Medsker)	* 270	....	270	218	60	278	....	5	4	36	20	4	...	302	15	20	35
Dover	H. B. Fosters	1000	240	1240	1000	240	1240	....	28	20	136	136	12	12	1308	260	140	400
Dailey Memorial	Jno. P. Martin xx	650	200	850	525	200	725	125	13	10	93	68	10	7	810	200	65	265
Grace	J. W. Stewart	1800	300	2100	1800	300	2100	....	60	75	231	231	20	9	2415	400	100	500
Mt. Carmel	W. Frank Baker	* 700	120	820	500	120	620	200	10	4	98	58	6	2	684	75	100	175
Stockton	(L. E. Lurvey)	* 480	48	528	399	48	447	81	10	7	64	48	7	...	502	115	46	161
Taneyville	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Weableau	V. H. Henderson	* 410	24	434	400	24	424	10	7	7	53	47	5	5	483	56	63	119
		16873	1964	18837	15475	2024	17499	1358	380	305	2150	1896	198	126	19716	2744	1888	4622

*Have Missionary Appropriations. x(3 months) xx(7 months)

STATISTICS NO. IV. **SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.**

NAMES OF CHARGES.	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY.)																			OTHER BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS.							
	MISSIONS.						Board of Education.			Board of Sunday Schools.		Board of Con. Claimants					Woman's Home Missionary Society.										
	Board of Foreign Missions.			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																							
	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Special Gifts.	(a) Church Gen. Education	(b) Sunday Schools.	(c) Children's Fund.	(a) Church.	(b) Sunday Schools.	Connectional Fund.	Permanent Fund.	Freedmen's Aid Society.	American Bible Society.	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.	(a) Cash.	(b) Supplies.	Total Disciplinary collections.	Local Educational Interests.	Local Permanent Fund.	Other Benevolent Collections.	Conference Minutes.	Total Benevolent Collections.	General Conference Expensos.	Cent. Office Ex. of Epworth League	Grand Total.
Ash Grove	5			5			1											25	36					36			36
Aurora	24			23						1				6	1	24	3		82	12				94	1		95
Billings	16	4		16	4				3					2			11		56	15		20		91		2	93
Bolivar	35	5		35	5				3	4				12	1	38			138	15	5	20		178			178
Bolivar Circuit																											
Cassville	2			2															4					4			4
Clever Circuit																											
Dadeville				5						1		1			1				8	5				13			13
Fair Play	30			30										6					66	19				84			84
Galena				1										1					2					2			2
Golden City	34			38			1			1				8	1				83	15	5	8		111		1	112
Greenfield	30	8		30	7		3		8	2				9	1				98	15	5	10		128			128
Humansville	10	6		10	6		4		3										39	16		19		74		1	75
La Russell	4			4						1				1	1				11					11	2		13
Lockwood	11	9	2	14	9				5	2					2				54	12	12			78	2		80
Marionville	30	20		30	20				2	2				12	1	36	29	14	206	32	5	900		1143		2	1145
Marionville Circuit																											
Monett	30	35		65			10		2	2				8	1	25			178	19	5			202		1	203
Mount Vernon	40	10		50	5			8	3	3				11	3				133	31				164		3	167
Osceola	66	14		64	14		13		3	5		2		15	3	58			257	27	10			294		2	296
Peirce City & Purdy	14			5	10		4		3	2				4	1				43	9	5	12		69		2	71
Republic	26	5		25	5		9			2				6	2				80	17				97	6	4	107
Springfield Circuit	4			2			2			2				1	1				12	2				14			14
Devers Benton Ave	32	5	3	31	9		5		5	5	3			10	2	30			140	20		8201		8361	8		8369
Dailey Memorial	5	10		14						1				4	1				35	10		3		48	2		50
Grace	220			220			50		10	10				25	2	80	143		760	75				835	5		840
Mt. Carmel	3			4			1					1		1				3	10					10	1		11
Stockton	5	5		10	5	5	3	2											38					38			38

STATISTICS NO 1. RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES.	Church Membership.				Baptisms.		Sunday Schools.			EPWORTH LEAGUES.				CHURCH PROPERTY.						
	No. of Probationers.	No. of Full Members.	No. of Local Preachers.	No. of Deaths.	No. of Children Baptized.	No. of Adults Baptized.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	No. of Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Junior Chapters.	No. of Members.	No. of Churches.	Probable Value.	No. of Parsonages.	Probable Value.	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages.	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property.	Present indebtedness on Church Property.
Carthage	428	6291	14	51	59	424	58	797	7101	35	1431	17	628	61½	202000	24	37050	9544	4921	24575
Farmington	185	3520	34	36	62	151	57	444	4160	11	383	5	202	67½	116900	15	15450	7408	1533	11257
Kansas City	393	7429	9	64	125	373	42	775	5950	27	1403	14	419	43	599750	15	48000	13592	14039	74367
Lebanon	268	4163	29	38	29	247	44	417	3036	17	596	10	403	83¼	111525	21	16150	4435	495	583
Sedalia	238	4812	16	48	89	205	40	445	3457	19	702	12	532	47	171080	19	19020	6004	3767	2891
St. Louis	267	4119	17	24	148	77	28	480	4344	19	923	13	565	26	457255	8	43300	10090	6475	55610
Springfield	326	5354	30	29	68	241	48	572	4232	21	739	13	438	61	156900	22	29425	4459	600	4231
Totals	2105	35688	149	290	580	1718	317	3930	32280	149	6326	84	3187	379¼	1815410	124	208395	55532	31830	183514
Totals last year	3252	33801	143	304	563	1737	294	3762	30958	...	....	..	....	376¾	1764255	126	194120	60572	34104	189375
Increase	....	1888	6	...	17	....	23	178	1322	...	....	..	....	3	51155	...	14275	....	....	.....
Decrease	1147	.....	...	14	...	12	...	....	.....	...	....	..	....	.....	.....	2	.....	5040	2674	15861

STATISTICS NO. III. RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS.	PASTOR'S SUPPORT. Claims. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Receipts. Salary.	House Rent.	Total.	Deficiencies.	Support of Conference Claimants Amount Apportioned.	Amount Paid.	Support of District Supts. Amount Apportioned.	Amount Paid.	Support of Bishops. Amount Apportioned.	Amount Paid.	Total Support, Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops.	Current Expenses. Church, Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total.
Carthage	22053	2665	24718	20638	2665	23303	1573	651	582	2280	2153	303	267	26305	6307	3393	9600
Farmington	13036	1405	14441	10496	1305	11801	3207	227	153	1585	1242	112	72	12732	1328	1294	2622
Kansas City	31870	2450	34320	30909	3100	34014	511	1426	1225	3341	3363	471	413	38995	16327	4114	20441
Lebanon	12206	1232	13338	9894	1232	11126	2278	235	201	1603	1369	120	85	12658	1496	1177	2673
Sedalia	15970	1519	17489	14382	1515	15897	1610	410	324	1805	1684	196	145	18050	2708	1677	4385
St. Louis	24060	3292	27352	23548	3292	26840	966	1940	902	2705	2465	387	333	30540	21273	3165	24438
Springfield	16873	1914	18837	15475	2024	17499	1358	380	305	2150	1896	198	126	19716	2744	1888	4622
Totals	131068	14527	150495	125392	15133	140480	11503	5269	3675	15467	14172	1787	1441	158996	52183	16708	68781
Totals last year	133415	14807	148222	125741	15110	140851	8127	....	3168	14728	13583	1760	1293	158872	48862	16437	65299
Increase	2653	.....	2273	.....	23	.....	2376	....	507	741	589	27	148	124	3321	371	3482
Decrease	.....	380	.....	349	.....	371	.....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....

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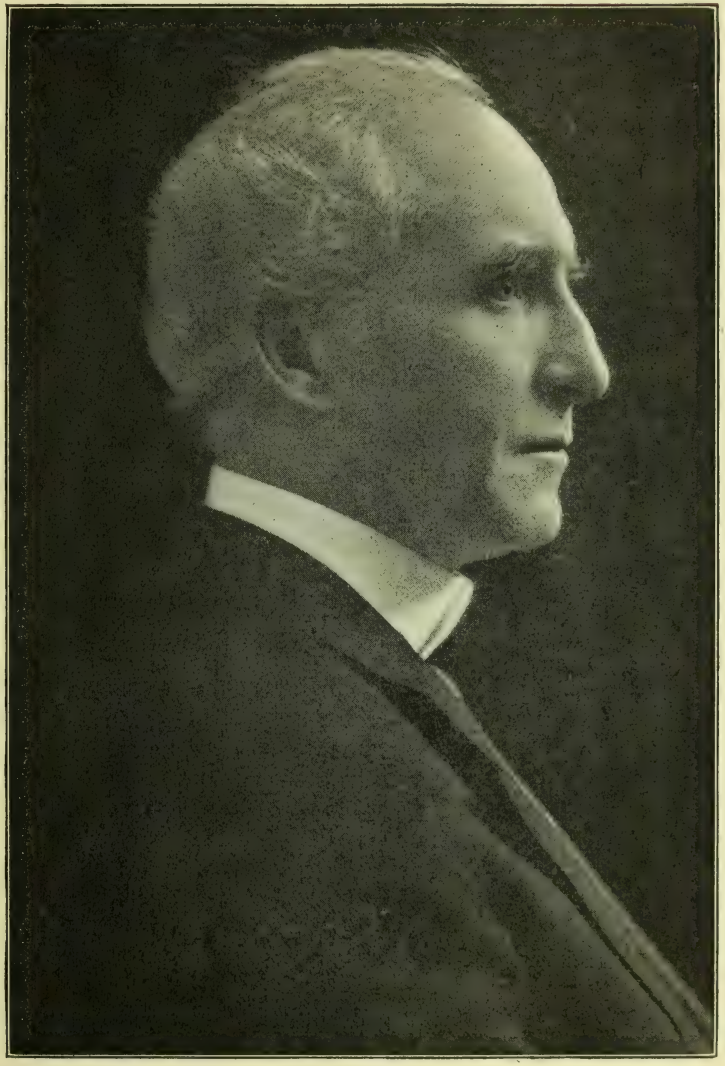

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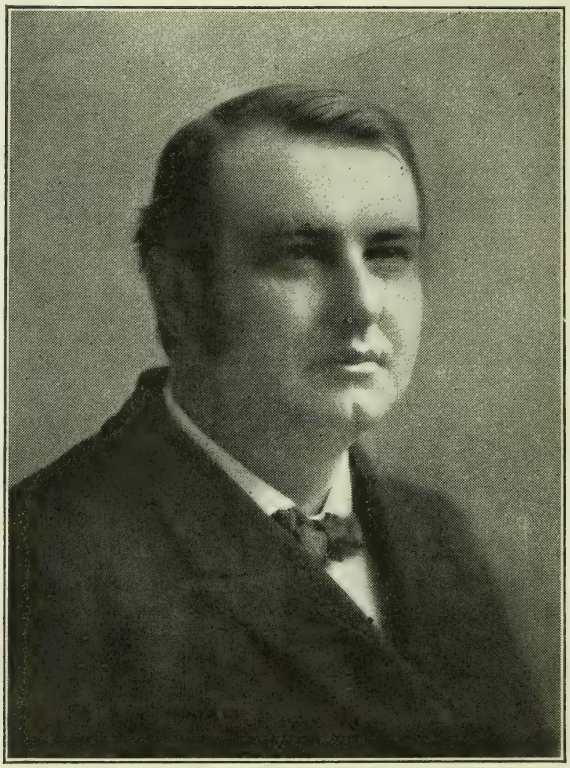

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Woman's Work—T. H. Hagerty, J. C. Gilbreath, W. F. Baker, E. H. Sapp, J. E. Stickney, J. C. Stille, D. W. Britton.

Young People's Work—Ralph Wakefield, E. V. Claypool, O. E. Crane, R. A. Hunt, W. T. Pare, M. L. Womack, L. H. Sweetland.

Hospitals—S. E. Betts, F. W. Simpson, H. B. Foster, T. J. Gideon, R. C. Walker, G. T. Beard, D. W. Crow.

To Canvass for The Methodist Review—H. G. Humphrey.

Methodist Brotherhood—G. W. Anderson, W. N. Gaither, H. A. Mitchell, H. W. Hargatt, J. C. Gilbreath, W. F. Sheridan.

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For One Year—H. G. Mais, A. M. Dixon, Miss Nellie Foster.
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Kansas City District—Rev. O. M. Stewart, Dr. J. W. McKee.

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One Year—T. J. Langston, West Plains.

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Kansas City District—Mrs. H. G. Mais, Independence, Mo., President; Mrs. Jessie Moore McPherrin, 1919 E. 11th St., Kansas City, Mo., Corresponding Secretary.

St. Louis District—Mrs. H. H. Wagenor, Westminister Place, St. Louis, Mo., President; Mrs. Irwin Raut, 3639 Windsor Place, St. Louis, Mo., Corresponding Secretary.

Sedalia District—Mrs. F. S. Beggs, Smithton, Mo., President; Mrs. Wm. F. Jones, 417 W. 4th St., Sedalia, Mo., Corresponding Secretary.

Springfield District—Mrs. Sophia Tervilliger, Osceola, Mo., President; Mrs. G. J. Hunt, Mount Vernon, Mo., Corresponding Secretary.

Lebanon District—Mrs. Geo. Dean, Rolla, Mo., Corresponding Secretary.

THE APPOINTMENTS

(Supplies in Parenthesis.)

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

E. J. HUNT, District Superintendent, 3, Carthage, Mo.

Alba and Mt. Moriah.....
.....(E. E. Dagley) 1
Anderson .....To be supplied
Avilla. .....O. V. Suter 2
Butler .....J. M. Carter 1
Butler Ct. .....M. L. Stille 1
Carl Junction ..Thomas Stone 1
Carterville.....C. V. Bryan 1
Carthage.....H. W. Hargett 3
Carthage Ct.....G. M. Foster 2
Hume and Foster..J. H. Boner 2
Iantha.....J. W. Moore 1
Jasper.....W. L. Requa 3
Joplin—Byers Ave .....
.....E. W. Elayer 2
Central Ave....R. C. Walker 2
Chitwood....To be supplied
Epworth.....E. H. Sapp 1
First Church....Frank Neff 3
Lamar.....C. V. Criss 1
Liberal.....W. O. Thompson 2
Moundville....F. W. P. Camp 2
Nashville.....To be supplied
Neosho.....R. A. Hunt 2
Nevada.....J. W. Caughlan 4
Oronogo and Neck City.....
.....(L. F. Gilbreath) 1
Rich Hill....W. R. Woodward 1
Sarcoxie.....H. B. Rhodes 1
Seneca.....(G. A. Dietrich) 1
Sheldon.....To be supplied
Spurgeon.....(Ira Moore) 1
Webb City.....D. C. Dutton 3
Webb City, Assistant.....
.....C. G. Davis 2

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

W. R. McCORMACK, District Superintendent, 5, De Soto, Mo.

Belgrave.....(C. H. McGill) 1
Bismark.....(R. A. Brooks) 1
Bloomfield.....J. E. Stickney 1
Bloomfield Ct.(William Street) 1
Bonne Terre....M. S. Bumpus 1
Chapin.....(J. M. Willard) 1
De Soto.....D. W. Crow 2
De Soto Ct.....(R. H. Shute) 2
Doe Run.....L. H. Sweetland 3
Dudley.....(O. R. Sides) 1
Farmington...L. M. Thompson 5
Farmington Ct...(W. A. Jobe) 1
Fruitland ....Clinton Senneff 1
Flat River.....(R. W. Moore) 1
Irondale and Graniteville....
.....(L. M. Kelly) 1
Ironton.....(E. L. Hobbs) 1
Lutesville.....To be supplied
Mountain View.Carl Stevenson 2
Palmer.....(D. P. Cole) 3
Patton.....(J. H. Settle) 1
Perryville.....A. W. Hill 1
Poplar Bluff.....J. J. Pruit 1
Poplar Bluff Ct..(G. W. Davis) 3
Puxico.....A. H. Barnes 4
Robertsville.....(W. P. Johns) 3
West Plains..A. M. Livingston 3
West Plains Ct.....
.....(C. W. Jennings) 1
Willow Springs .....
.....Joseph Scarborough 1
Winona.....(E. S. Deane) 1

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

S. B. CAMPBELL, District Superintendent, 6, 2624 Brooklyn Ave., Kansas City, Mo.

Adrian.....W. K. Chatten 2
Austin.....T. H. Otwell 1
Belton.....F. O. Moore 3
Centerview....To be supplied
Drexel.....W. S. Courtney 1
East Lynne....To be supplied
Garden City....D. W. Britton 1
Holden.....W. G. Smith 1
Independence and Centennial Chapel.....H. G. Mais 3
Kansas City—Arlington .....
.....E. V. Claypool 4
Bennington Heights .....
.....To be supplied
Broadway..H. G. Humphrey 3
Grace.....J. R. Postlethwait 2
Grand Ave....E. B. Olmstead 2
Howard Memorial .....
.....W. F. Sheridan 2
Hyde Park.Napthali Luccock 2
Independence Ave. .....
.....L. A. Banks 2
Linwood Blvd. .....
.....E. Combie Smith 2
Maywood.....L. L. Brannon 1
Mt. Washington and Beaumont.....R. H. Lint 2
Oakhurst.....J. W. Coontz 7
Oakley.....F. W. Simpson 4
Phoenix Park...W. E. Brown 3
Summit Street.O. M. Stewart 8
Supt. City Church Extension Society.....J. I . Odom 1
Kingsville.....Rowland Hill 2
Lee's Summit..Frederick Getty 1
Pleasant Hill.....C. S. Hanby 1
Oak Grove.....C. V. Bigler 1

LEBANON DISTRICT.

SAMUEL WARNER, District Superintendent, 5, Lebanon, Mo.

Ava.....H. F. Miller 2
Buffalo.....Peter Davies 1
Buffalo Circuit....(O. F. Eld) 2
Conway.....C. F. Tippin 3
Eldon.....B. D. Jones 1
Gainesville....(J. T. Cornett) 1
Hartville.....M. L. Womack 1
High Point.....W. F. Baker 3
Houston and Cabool.....
.....(C. F. Maclean) 1
Iberia.....G. A. Moss 1
Lebanon.....J. W. Borah 1
Lebanon Ct..(M. M. McCartney) 1
Licking....Edward Bridwell,2 and (J. F. Johnson)..... 1
Linn Creek..(W. M. Ragan, 1, and William Knight)..... 1
Marshfield.....J. W. Needham 2
Mountain Grove Ct.....
.....(D. D. Killam) 2
Newburg and Dixon.....
.....C. E. Wharton 3
Orla.....(W. McClannahan) 5
Phillipsburg .....
.....(Linderman Wright) 1
Plato.....(William Baker) 1
Richland.....B. E. Niblack 1
Rolla..... T. P. Shaffer 5
Seymour and Mansfield.....
.....A. R. Wassell 1
Upshaw.....(J. T. Black) 1
Urbana.....J. W. Null 1
Vichy .....(Julius Wegener) 1

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

W. T. WRIGHT, District Superintendent, 3, 4539 Gibson Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Cuba .....(C. C. Hull) 1
Pacific.....To be supplied
St. Louis—Bowman .....
.....W. N. Gaither 1
Corondelet....Peter R. Hoos 3
Choteau Place.H. C. Leonard 1
Dr. Fry Memorial.....
.....E. P. Anderson 5
Hagerty Memorial .....
.....R. B. Templeton 2
Harlem Place..H. R. Osborn 1
Jennings and Walnut Park
.....J. E. Thackrey 1
Lindell Ave.....W. W. King 1
Maple Ave....M. H. Lichliter 3
Maplewood.....R. S. True 1
St. Luke's.....M. L. Curl 1
Shrewsbury...(M. M. Wolff) 1
Trinity.....Ralph Wakefield 4
Union.....G. W. Anderson 2
University....To be supplied
Wagoner Memorial.A. D. Ball 4
Winsor Memorial .....
.....C. A. Erdman 1
Salem.....To be supplied
Sligo.....To be supplied
Sullivan.....To be supplied

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

W. F. JONES, District Superintendent, 3, 417 W. Fourth St., Sedalia, Mo.

Alberta.....J. M. Mason 1
Appleton City..F. P. Leckliter 1
Clinton.....S. E. Betts 1
Deepwater.....P. E. Bingman 1
Dresden..... To be supplied
El Dorado Springs.W. D. Price 1
El Dorado Springs Ct.....
.....To be supplied
Green Ridge....To be supplied
Huntingdale.....G. T. Beard 1
Knob Noster....To be supplied
Lincoln and Warsaw.....
.....To be supplied
Malta Bend ....
.....William Leatherman 1
Marshall .....To be supplied
Montrose..W. W. Hendrickson 1
Odessa and Higginsville.....
.....J. C. Stille 2
Pilot Grove...Laban Anderson 2
Rockville.....J. F. Pfeiffer 1
Schell City.....O. E. Crane 2
Sedalia—Epworth.H. M. Glover 1
First Church..G. A. Robbins 2
Smithton.....F. S. Beggs 5
Tipton.....A. J. McCulloch 1
Urich.....To be supplied
Warrensburg.....P. E. Pierce 2
Windsor.....J. C. Kirk 2

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

C. C. JAMES, District Superintendent, 4, 625 Belmont Ave., Springfield, Mo.

Ashgrove.....(W. F. Bigler) 1
Aurora.....J. F. King 2
Billings.....(Walter Ross) 1
Bolivar.....T. E. Prall 2
Cassville.....(J. H. Hurley) 1
Clever.....(E. N. Garrett) 1
Dadeville.....(W. C. Ballamy) 1
Fair Play.....W. O. Tolbart 1
Galena.....E. C. Sandmeyer 1
Golden City.....A. M. Dixon 2
Greenfield.....M. O. Morris 1
Humansville.....W. T. Pare 2
La Russell.....W. C. Heiskell 1
Lockwood.....G. F. Bundy 1
Marionville.....W. D. Sidman 3
Marionville Ct..(J. W. Frisbie) 1
Monett.....S. F. Stevens 3
Mount Vernon.....G. J. Hunt 2
Osceola.....D. T. Simmons 1
Pierce City.....To be supplied
Republic.....J. C. Gilbreath 3
Springfield—
Dever's Benton Ave.....
.....H. B. Foster 4
Daily Memorial.G. A. Pegram 1
Grace.....J. W. Stewart 5
Hagerty Memorial.....
.....To be supplied
Mt. Carmel, Wm. Frank Baker 3
Springfield Ct..(J. L. Medsker) 2
Stockton.....J. W. Slusher 1
Taneyville.....To be supplied
Weaubleau..(W. G. Whitehead) 1

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

Member Q. C.
T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain City Institutions.....Union
L. G. Reser, President Marionville College.....Marionville
J. H. Gillespie, Agent Methodist Hospital.....Omaha
C. L. Halterman, Missionary to Nevada.
E. O. Smith, Missionary to Nevada.
C. T. Harrison, Missionary to Nevada.
James Pine, Superintendent Turrentine Hall.....Marionville
Julius Smith, Agent Kansas State Temperance Union....Grand Avenue
J. S. Bitler, Conference Evangelist .....First Church, Sedalia
S. A. French, Conference Evangelist.....Neosho
F. E. Dubois, Conference Evangelist.....Houston and Cabool
R. V. Maloney, Agent State Children's Home Society.....Hyde Park
E. F. Miller, left without appointment to attend one of our schools .....Linwood Boulevard
G. B. Thomas, left without appointment to attend one of our schools ..... Farmington
J. J. Martin, Chaplain State Penitentiary.....Lamar

TO PREACH THE MISSIONARY SERMON.

M. H. Lichliter; Alternate, E. Combie Smith.

CONFERENCE ROLL AND RECORD

NAMES. * Non. Effective. ** Deacons.	Admitted to Itineracy.	Entered this Conference.	POST OFFICES. All in Missouri Unless Otherwise Stated.
Anderson, Eli P.	1888	1888	2510 Cliffton Ave., St. Louis
Anderson, Laban	1891	1904	Pilot Grove
Anderson, George W.	1899	1909	3008 Lucas Ave., St. Louis
Ashley, John*	1872	1872	Bloomfield
Baker, William F.	1880	1880	Olean
Baker, William Frank	1904	1904	Springfield
Ball, Albert D.	1891	1891	1074A S. Kingshighway, St. Louis
Banks, Lewis A.	1878	1909	2411 Independence Blvd., Kan. City
Barton, H. Arthur*		1908	
Beggs, Francis S.	1858	1858	Smithton
Bell, Mordecai*	1877	1877	Golden City
Betts, Samuel E.	1884	1909	Clinton
Bitler, James S.	1877	1899	25 E. 65th Place, Chicago, Ill
Boner, John H.	1805	1905	Hume
Borah, John W.	1894	1905	Lebanon
Brannon, Landor L.	1900	1900	Maywood, Kansas City
Brewington, James B.*	1880	1880	537 Tenth St., San Diego, Cal
Bridwell, Edward **	1908	1908	Licking
Britton, D. Wesley	1895	1907	Garden City
Brown, Walter E.	1904	1904	2634 Spruce St., Kansas City
Bryan, Claire V. **	1907	1907	Carterville
Bundy, George F.		1909	Lockwood
Camp, Frank W. P. **	1907	1907	Moundville
Campbell, Stephen B.	1887	1903	2624 Brooklyn Ave., Kansas City
Carpenter, Lewis R. *	1874	1874	Baldwin, Kas
Carter, Joseph M	1870	1906	Butler
Caughlan, J. Will	1894	1908	Nevada
Chatten, William K.	1902	1906	Adrian
Claypool, Ernest V.	1886	1907	2124 Prospect Ave., Kansas City
Collins, William K. *	1876	1883	Lee's Summit
Coontz, John W.	1898	1903	2912 E. 18th St., Kansas City
Courtney, William S.	1887	1908	Drexel
Creamer, Wesley M. *	1874	1886	3730 Park Ave., Kansas City
Criss, Curtis V.	1877	1877	Lamar
Crow, David W.	1881	1881	De Soto
Curl, Martin L.	1869	1895	4537 Forest Park Blvd., St. Louis
Dixon, Artie M.	1900	1904	Golden City
Dubois, Frank E.	1882	1908	Cobool
Dutton, Dean C.	1901	1907	217 Oronogo St., Webb City
Elayer, Edward W.	1897	1897	Joplin
Erdman, Charles A.		1910	8442 Hall's Ferry Road, St. Louis

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Finley, John W. *	1869	1869	730 Reynolds Ave. Kan. City, Kas.
Foster, George M.	1890	1890	Carthage
Foster, Henry B.	1889	1895	1610 Benton Ave., Springfield
French, Silas A.	1884	1895	Neosho
Fry, Charles D. *	1857	1887	Cabool
Gaither, W. N.	1890	1909	St. Louis
Galbraith, Isaac M. *	1881	1881	El Dorado Springs, R. R. No. 2
Getty, Frederick	1889	1907	Lee's Summit
Gideon George H. *	1878	1890	Sligo
Gideon, Thomas J. *	1882	1890	Hartville
Gilbreath, J. Charles **	1907	1907	Republic
Gillespie, John H.	1873	1873	Sheridan, Wyo.
Glover, H. M.		1910	901 E. 4th St., Sedalia
Hagerty, Thomas H.	1855	1863	1909 N. Grand Ave., St. Louis
Hallock, Leander *	1853	1887	Clifton Heights, St. Louis
Halterman, Charles H.	1898	1903	Goldfield, Nev.
Hargett, Henry W.	1891	1909	Carthage
Harris, Jacob S. *	1870	1892	Cuba
Harris, Joseph *	1862	1888	Boston, Mass.
Harrison, Cyrus T.	1904	1904	
Humphrey, Harry G.	1896	1896	Waldo Station, Kansas City
Hunt, Enoch J.	1878	1878	901 S. Maple, St., Carthage
Hunt, George J.	1893	1893	Mt. Vernon
Hunt, Robert A. **	1907	1907	Neosho
Hurley, John H. *	1881	1893	Cassville
Hoos, Peter R.	1905	1905	410 Blaw St., St. Louis
James, Charles C.	1891	1908	625 Belmont Ave., Springfield
Jones, Samuel *	1873	1873	Clinton
Jones, Burrel D.	1878	1894	Eldon
Jones, William F.	1887	1887	417 W. 4th St., Sedalia
King, James F. **	1907	1907	Aurora
King, William W.		1910	4412 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis
Kirk, J. Caleb	1904	1904	Windsor
Knease, Thomas H.*	1872	1884	Seymour
Koeth, Edward D. C. *	1896	1896	1369 Michigan, Buffalo, N. Y.
Leatherman, William	1887	1900	Malta Bend
Leckliter, Francis P.	1899	1899	Appleton City
Leonard, Harry C.	1902	1905	3821 Greer Ave., St. Louis
Lichliter, McIlgar H.	1900	1908	5471 Clemons Ave., St. Louis
Lint, Richard H.		1908	Mt. Washington
Livingstone, Alva M.	1897	1905	West Plains
Lokey, James *	1879	1889	Clever
Luccock, Naphtali	1874	1889	3700 Broadway, Kansas City
Lunbeck, Isaac J. K. *	1870	1870	3918 E. 18th St., Kansas City
Mais, Henry G.	1892	1895	Independence
Maloney, R. V.		1910	Kansas City

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Martin, John J.	1878	1878	308 Lafayette St., Jefferson City
Mason, James M.	1907	1907	Clinton, R. F. D.
McCormack, William R.	1894	1894	De Soto
McCulloch, Alfred J.	1898	1909	Tipton
Miller, Edwin F. **	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kas.
Miller, Aaron H. *	1873	1890	4620 Cooke Ave., St. Louis
Mitchell, Henry A.	1900	1900	Mountain Grove
Moore, Floyd O.	1904	1904	Belton
Moore, John M. *	1874	1907	Joplin
Morris, Marvin O. **	1908	1908	Greenfield
Needham, John W.	1890	1890	Marshfield
Neff, Frank	1901	1901	509 W. 4th St., Joplin
Niblack, Basil E.	1892	1897	Richland
Odom, John F.	1906	1906	4320 27th St., Kansas City
Oechsli, Frank *	1872	1872	Baldwin, Kas.
Olmstead, Edwin B.	1882	1909	2804 Charlotte St., Kansas City
Osborn, Harry R.	1892	1909	Harlem Place, St. Louis
Otwell, Thomas H. **		1910	Austin
Pare, William T.	1886	1886	Humansville
Pegram, George A.		1909	Springfield
Pierce, John N. *	1859	1865	Clinton
Pierce, Perry E.	1896	1896	Warrensburg
Pine, James	1879	1879	Marionville
Phillips, Jesse I. ***	1909	1909	Lee's Summit
Porter, John H. *	1896	1896	735 Calist St., Fresno, Cal.
Porter, James S. *	1873	1873	Knob Noster
Prall, Thomas E.	1897	1897	Bolivar
Price, William D.	1902	1909	El Dorado Springs
Reser, Lewis G.	1892	1892	Marionville
Requa, William A.	1902	1902	Jasper
Ridgway, David C. *	1863	1896	66 Pearl St., Springfield, O.
Robbins, Grant A.		1909	Sedalia
Sapp, Electious H.	1888	1899	Joplin
Scarborough, Joseph		1909	Willow Springs
Senneff, Clinton	1904	1904	Fruitland
Shaffer, Thomas P.	1899	1899	Rolla
Sidman, William D.	1895	1895	Marionville
Simmons, William J. *	1876	1887	
Simmons, David T.	1892	1892	Osceola
Simpson, Frederick	1895	1895	519 Cypress Ave., Kansas City
Slusher, John W.	1887	1904	Stockton
Sheridan, Wilbur F.		1910	2919 Harrison St., Kansas City
Smith, Edwin O. **	1908	1908	Wellington, Nev.
Smith, Hervey *	1887	1887	Jamestown, O.
Smith, Julius	1884	1906	Baldwin, Kas.
Smith, Walter G.	1905	1905	Holden

NAMES. * Non. Effective. ** Deacons.	Admitted to Itinerancy.	Entered this Conference.	POST OFFICES. All in Missouri Unless Otherwise Stated.
Smith, E. Combie	1892	1909	2916 Olive St., Kansas City
Squier, Edgar A. *	1862	1900	Atlanta, Ill.
Stephens, William *	1866	1866	Belton
Stevens, Scott F.	1885	1902	Monett
Stevenson, Carl **	1908	1908	Mountain View
Stewart, John W.	1877	1897	408 Pearl St., Springfield
Stewart, Oliver M.	1864	1869	1610 Jefferson St., Kansas City
Stickney, Francis M. *	1872	1872	Eldon
Stickney, Joseph E. **	1908	1908	Bloomfield
Stille, John C.	1905	1905	Odessa
Stille, Mack L. **	1908	1908	Butler Circuit
Stone, Thomas **		1910	Carl Junction
Suter, Oscar V.	1905	1905	Avilla
Sweetland, Leon **	1907	1907	**Doe Run**
Templeton, Rufus B.	1892	1892	425 Marion Ave., Webster Grove
Thackrey, John E.	1894	1901	St. Louis
Thomas, George B.	1904	1904	Boston, Mass.
Thompson, Fayette L.	1885	1908	
Thompson, Leon M.	1895	1895	Farmington
Threlfall, Henry *	1866	1895	Galena R. F. D. No. 1
Tippin, Charles F.	1896	1896	Conway
Toland, Henry *	1885	1885	39 Burkett St., Sheridan, N. Y.
Tolbart, William O. **	1907	1907	Fairplay
True, Ray S. **		1910	St. Louis
Wakefield, Ralph	1903	1903	1214 N. Market St., St. Louis
Warner, Samuel	1881	1881	Lebanon
Welch, John *	1858	1866	Park City, Mont.
Wharton, Charles E.	1906	1906	Newburg
Womack, Milus L. **	1908	1908	Hartville
Woodward, Wm. R.**	1910	1910	Rich Hill
Walker, Ray C. **	1909	1909	Joplin
Wright, William T.	1886	1886	4539 Gibson Ave., St. Louis
Yeager, Wilbur F. *	1880	1880	Dadeville

PROBATIONERS

	NAME	Admitted on trial	POST OFFICE
2	George T. Beard	1907	Huntingdale
2	P. E. Bingman		Deepwater
2	Joseph F. Pfeiffer	1909	Rockville
2	Orville D. Crane	1909	Scheli City
2	Herbert F. Miller	1909	Ava
2	Glenn A. Moss	1909	Iberia
2	James W. Null	1909	Urbana
2	Arthur P. Keast	1909	
2	Elmer Sandmeyer	1909	Galena
2	Rowland Hill	1909	Kingsville
2	James Postlethwait	1909	1204 W. 29th St., Kansas City
2	William C. Heiskell	1908	LaRussel
2	Claire G. Davis	1908	Webb City
2	Peter Davies	1909	Buffalo
2	C. V. Bigler	1907	Oak Grove
2	William R. Ward	1906	Boston, Mass.
2	William W. Hendrickson	1909	Montrose
1	A. H. Barnes	1910	Puxico
1	M. S. Bumpus	1910	Bonne Terre
1	Claude S. Hanby	1910	Pleasant Hill
1	John W. Moore	1910	Iantha
1	J. J. Pruitt	1910	Poplar Bluff
1	Herbert B. Rhodes	1910	Sarcoxie
1	William O. Thompson	1910	Liberal
1	A. R. Wassell	1910	Seymour

Number of full members, 166.

Number of probationers, 25.

Whole number in Conference, 191.

RULES FOR GOVERNMENT OF CONFERENCE

Re-Adopted March 30, 1910.

I. The Conference shall meet at 8:30 o'clock a. m. and hold religious services for half an hour, and adjourn at 12 m.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate, (except that the President may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member requests it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene —namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a

recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till everyone desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a question has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless for special reasons the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference, unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer, and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of the Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and

financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instructions? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

XV. The Secretary Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, and the Officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the Officers and Managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitious Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned, of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

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FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 30, 1910.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its forty-second session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church of El Dorado Springs, Mo., Bishop Wilson S. Lewis presiding.

Opening Service—The Conference was called to order at 9:30, and the hymn beginning "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," was announced and sung.

The Bishop read a Scripture lesson from the 19th chapter of John, and assisted by the District Superintendents and Brothers Hagerty, Jones, Pierce, and Brannon, administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Roll Call—The Secretary of the last session of the Conference called the roll and the following members were present, viz.: E. P. Anderson, Laban Anderson, G. W. Anderson, E. H. Baird, W. F. Baker, William Frank Baker, A. D. Ball, F. S. Beggs, S. E. Betts, J. H. Boner, J. W. Borah, L. L. Brannon, D. W. Britton, W. E. Brown, G. F. Bundy, F. W. P. Camp, S. B. Campbell, C. R. Carlos, J. M. Carter, J. W. Caughlin, W. K. Chatten, E. V. Claypool, J. W. Coontz, W. S. Courtney, C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, M. L. Curl, A. M. Dixon, F. E. Dubois, D. C. Dutton, E. W. Elayer, H. B. Foster, S. A. French, C. D. Fry, W. N. Gaither, I. M. Galbraith, T. J. Gideon, J. C. Gilbreath, T. H. Hagerty, H. W. Hargett, H. G. Humphrey, E. J. Hunt, G. J. Hunt, R. A. Hunt, P. R. Hoos, C. C. James, S. Jones, W. F. Jones, B. D. Jones, A. G. Keast, J. C. Kirk, W. Leatherman, F. P. Leckliter, R. H. Lint, A. M. Livingstone, N. Luccock, I. J. K. Lunbeck, H. G. Mais, J. J. Martin, W. R. McCormack, H. A. Mitchell, F. O. Moore, J. N. Moore, A. J.

McCulloch, J. W. Needham, Frank Neff, B. E. Niblack, J. F. Odom, E. B. Olmstead, H. R. Osborn, W. T. Pare, G. A. Pegram, J. N. Pierce, P. E. Pierce, James Pine, J. H. Porter, W. D. Price, L. G. Reser, W. L. Requa, G. A. Robbins, E. H. Sapp, Clinton Senneff, T. P. Shaffer, W. D. Sidman, W. J. Simmons, D. T. Simmons, F. W. Simpson, J. W. Slusher, W. G. Smith, E. C. Smith, E. A. Squier, S. F. Stevens, J. W. Stewart, O. M. Stewart, F. M. Stickney, J. C. Stille, O. V. Suter, L. H. Sweetland, J. Scarborough, R. B. Templeton, J. E. Thackrey, L. M. Thompson, C. F. Tippin, W. O. Tolbart, R. Wakefield, Samuel Warner, C. E. Wharton, W. T. Wright, W. F. Yeager.

Probationers—G. T. Beard, Milus Womack, Edward Bridwell, Carl Stevenson, M. O. Morris, M. L. Stille, R. C. Walker, C. G. Davis, J. F. Pfeiffer, O. E. Crain, W. W. Hendrickson, W. H. Winter, H. F. Miller, Peter Davies, G. A. Moss, J. W. Null, Elmer Sandmeyer, Rowland Hill, J. R. Postlethwait.

Address of Welcome—L. L. Brannon introduced Dr. C. A. Edgar, the Mayor of El Dorado Springs, who delivered a stirring address of welcome.

Bishop Lewis responded on behalf of the Conference.

Bar—The bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first seven rows of pews.

Gifts—In a short address T. H. Hagerty presented a New Testament on the back of which was inlaid a piece of wood from McKendree Chapel, which he had prepaied and dedicated to the lamented Bishop Spellmeyer, and which he had rededicated to Bishow Lewis.

C. C. James presented a gavel made of wood from the Ozark mountains.

The Bishop fittingly responded, accepting both of these gifts.

Organization—On nomination of O. M. Stewart, Perry E. Pierce was re-elected Secretary and on his nomination, Thos. P. Shaffer and Ralph Wakefield were elected assistants.

I. J. K. Lunbeck after asking that his own name be withdrawn, nominated Frederick Getty for Treasurer, who was elected.

On nomination of I. J. K. Lunbeck, A. M. Dixon, J. E. Thackery, Clinton Senneff, H. A. Mitchell and I. J. K. Lunbeck were elected assistants.

On nomination of C. C. James, W. D. Sidman was re-elected Statistical Secretary, and on his nomination A. G. Keast, A. M. Livingston, J. C. Gilbreath, J. F. King, Clair Davis, L. H. Sweetland, Elmer Sandmeyer and G. A. Moss were elected assistants.

On motion of S. B. Campbell the rules of the last session of the Conference were re-adopted.

On motion of I. J. Lunbeck the Conference Treasurer was authorized to receive the disbursement from the Connectional Fund of the Board of Conference Claimants.

On motion of T. H. Hagerty the Secretary was instructed to send to Secretary Emeritus, William Stephens, a message of sympathy and greeting.

Standing Committees—S. B. Campbell presented the following standing committees and they were confirmed and elected, (see Personal Notations).

Report—Samuel Warner reported as to the case of H. L. Harvey, which had been referred at the last session to the Lebanon District, and on his motion the case was referred to the following select committee of eleven, viz.:

C. V. Criss, Chairman; F. W. Simpson, J. M. Carter, F. S. Beggs, Frank Neff, S. F. Stevens, J. Scarborough, J. W. Coontz, T. E. Prall, Laban Anderson, A. M. Livingston, A. G. Keast.

E. P. Anderson was appointed Attorney for the Church; J. W. Needham Attorney for the Defense, and Ralph Wakefield, Secretary.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Lewis A. Banks, E. B. Olmstead, W. F.

Sheridan, E. C. Smith, G. W. Anderson, P. E. Bingman, A. J. McCulloch, G. A. Robbins, J. Scarborough, Thos. Stone, H. E. Carpenter of the Disciple's Church of El Dorado Springs, E. C. Smith, Thos. H. Ottwell, J. D. Smith, President of Carleton College, W. F. Burris, District Superintendent of Cameron District, Missouri Conference, Judge Nations of Farmington, Mo.

Dr. Jennings, representing the Book Concern, and James Bollman, representing the Society for the Friendless, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

Expression of Sympathy—On motion of E. V. Claypool N. Luccock, G. W. Anderson, and W. T. Wright were appointed to send an expression of our sympathy to Mrs. Henry Spellmeyer, after which the Conference sang the hymn beginning, "There's a land that is fairer than day," and Bishop Lewis led in prayer.

Dividends—The Bishop announced a dividend from the Book Concern of $1,611, and from the Chartered Fund of $25.

Statistics—The Statistics were collected.

Resolution—N. Luccock presented the following resolution which was adopted by a standing vote:

WHEREAS, In the new adjustment of Episcopal assignments made necessary by the death of our beloved resident Bishop, Henry Spellmeyer, Bishop Wilson S. Lewis of Foochow, China, has been designated to hold the St. Louis Conference.

Be it resolved, That we extend to Bishop Lewis a most cordial and hearty greeting. We welcome him because of his personality and Christian attainments; because of his achievements in various fields of Christian work; and because of his distinguished service in behalf of Foreign Missions at home and abroad.

Resolved, That the coming of Bishop Lewis to us illustrates the unity of Methodism. The ends of the earth being linked through our General Superintendency into a common bond of faith and love and service. Thus fulfilling Wesley's prophecy, "The world is my parish."

Resolved, That Bishop Lewis's presiding over the St. Louis Conference will be an inspiration and joy to us, and that we make our wel-

come to him so sincere, so hearty, and so great that far away China shall ring with it.

Address—On motion of W. F. Jones, the Bishop was invited to address us on the subject of China at some time convenient to him during this Conference.

On account of illness in his son's family W. J. Simmons was excused from further attendance at this session.

On motion of L. M. Thompson, the Statistical Secretary was authorized to rent an adding machine for use during this session of the Conference.

The Committees were called, the announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with doxology and benediction by Samuel Jones.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. with devotions led by George Wood Anderson.

Minutes—The minutes of Wednesday's session were read and approved.

QUESTION XV. The Fifteenth Question was taken up, viz: **Who Have Been Transferred and to What Conference?**

Bishop Lewis announced the transfer of C. R. Carlos to the New York East Conference.

Brother Carlos presented his report and spoke briefly in appreciation of the brethren.

On motion of T. H. Hagerty, the Conference voted that our good will go with Brother Carlos.

Reforms—L. G. Reser was added to the Committee on Reforms.

Change of Relation—On motion of C. C. James, the relations of H. A. Babbitt and of Wm. T. Pyles were changed from superanumerary to effective.

QUESTION The Fourteenth Question was taken up ziv.:

XIV. **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

The following District Superintendents passed in character and each read the report of his District, viz.: E. J. Hunt, Carthage District; W. R. McCormack, Farmington District; Samuel Warner, Lebanon District, and W. T. Wright, St. Louis District.

Addresses—The Bishop addressed the Conference in the interest of our Sunday School literature.

The following were introduced and each addressed the Conference, viz.: P. J. Maveety, Corresponding Secretary of the Freedman's Aid Society; J. A. Mulfinger, representative of the Board of Conference Claimants; Judge Nations, representing the Constitutional Amendment Committee in the interest of State wide prohibition; and Miss Minnie Pike, representing the Kansas City National Training School.

The time was extended.

Reforms—The Committee on Reforms presented the following resolution which was confirmed by the Conference:

Whereas, More than the required number of petitions have been filed with the Secretary of State to submit to the voters at the next general election an amendment to the Constitution of Missouri prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors within this State; now therefore, Be it

Resolved, That the Methodist Episcopal Church in St. Louis Annual Conference assembled, most earnestly favors the adoption of said amendment and pledges the active co-operation of the Church and its ministry with the Constitutional Amendment Association to the end that Missouri may be redeemed from the withering blight of the liquor power.

EDWIN B. OLMSTEAD, Chairman.

WM. LEATHERMAN, Secretary.

QUESTION XV. The Fifteenth Question was resumed.

Bishop Lewis announced the following transfers out of this Conference, viz.: George C. Bechtel, to the Illinois; Henry C. Adams, to the Des Moines; W. T. Cummins, to the Colorado; L. R. Nichols, and Edwin L. Spiller, to the Missouri; J. A. Barker, John P. Martin, W. T. Pyle and H. A. Babbitt, to the Kansas; Carleton T. Cotton, to the South Kansas; Luther Freeman to the Northwest Iowa; Thomas P. Woodson, to the Northwest Indiana; and Harvey A. Jones, to the Cincinnati.

QUESTION II. The Second Question was taken up, viz.:

Who Have Been Received by Transfer, and From What Conference?

The Bishop announced the following transfers into this Conference, viz.: Joseph Scarborough, from the Missouri; R. S. True, from the South Kansas; Charles A. Erdman, from the St. Louis German; A. J. McCulloch, from the Colorado; William Wirt King, from the Indiana; R. V. Maloney, from the Kansas; Wilbur F. Sheridan, from the Baltimore; Lewis Albert Banks, from the Colorado; and T. H. Otwell, from the Holston.

Introduction—The following brethren were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Adjutant Woodward of the Salvation Army, Dr. George Satterly, of the South Kansas Conference; F. B. Price, of India; C. W. McCurdy, of the Southwest Kansas Conference, and Chas. A. Erdman.

The notices were given and the Conference adjourned with the Doxology and the benediction by Dr. Satterly.

THIRD DAY.

Friday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., E. Combie Smith led the devotions.

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Draft—The Bishop announced a draft of $200 from the Connectional Fund.

Committees—W. S. Courtney, A. M. Livingston and Grant A. Robbins were appointed as the Conference Committee on Connectional Fund.

L. G. Reser and H. G. Humphrey were substituted for Luther Freeman and O. M. Stewart on the Examining Committee.

Introduction—Dr. F. B. Price of India, formerly a member of this Conference, was introduced and he addressed the Conference on The Laymen's Missionary Movement.

Bishop Lewis briefly addressed the Conference on the same subject.

Dr. Ward Platt, representing the Society of Home Missions and Church Extension, and F. L. Thompson, representing The Methodist Brotherhood, were introduced and each addressed the Conference.

Report—The Committee on the Methodist Brotherhood presented the following report which was adopted. (See report.)

Withdrawals—The following were announced as withdrawn from the Ministry and membership of our Church, viz.: W. H. Bickers, C. E. Ferguson, T. G. Peterson and A. T. Osborn.

N. Luccock asked S. B. Campbell what was the significance of his motion at the last session of the Conference to

refer the case of A. T. Osborn to the Committee on Conference Relations. S. B. Campbell answered, "It was the usual motion when a member asks for a change of relation."

The parchments of C. E. Ferguson and A. T. Osborn were ordered filed with the Secretary of the Conference.

Conference Claimants—On motion of F. S. Beggs the Secretary was requested to print at the head of the list of Conference Claimants the names of the Superannuates who relinquish their claims on the Conference funds.

Order of the Day—On motion of J. M. Carter the place or holding the next session of the Conference was made the order of the day Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Change of Relation—Jesse W. Farr was given the effective relation and transferred to the Nebraska Conference.

Reports—On motion of G. J. Hunt it was ordered that the pastors report whether all collections were taken, if all are in full, and the amounts received for Home and Foreign Missions.

QUESTION VIII. The Eighth Question was taken up, viz.:

Who Have Been Admitted into Full Membership?

The following probationers reported, were passed in character and in their studies, admitted into full membership, elected to Deacon's orders, and placed in the studies of the third year, viz.:

Edward Bridwell, Milus L. Womack, Carl Stevenson, Mack L. Stille, Ray C. Walker, Joseph E. Stickney, Marvin O. Morris, James M. Mason and Thomas H. Otwell.

Edward O. Smith was passed in character and in his studies and admitted to full membership.

James A. McFarland and L. H. Smith were discontinued, the latter at his own request.

George T. Beard reported, passed in character, and was continued in studies of the second year.

William R. Woodward was received from the Salvation Army, admitted into full membership, elected to Deacon's orders, and placed in studies of the third year.

The orders of Ira Moore, as a Deacon, from the Free Will Baptist Church, were recognized.

Steele D. Goodale was elected to Deacon's orders as a local preacher.

Addresses—Fred M. Stone, Financial Secretary of the American University, and F. J. Moore, Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Missouri, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

Anti-Saloon League—On nomination of W. T. Wright, Christian Burnett and Napthali Luccock were elected members of the Board of Trustees of the Anti-Saloon League.

Reforms—The Committee on Reforms presented the following resolution which was adopted, viz.:

Committee on Reform—Recognizing the need which the Anti-Saloon League supplies, of an interdenomination agent against the saloon for the accomplishment of those things which no one denomination can do alone, and heartily endorsing the official action of the Anti-Saloon League of Missouri in committing itself to the fight for State wide prohibition, we pledge to it our loyalty and support.

EDWIN B. OLMSTEAD, Chairman.

WM. LEATHERMAN, Secretary.

The time was extended.

The class for Admission into full membership and Ordination was called addressed by the Bishop and asked the Disciplinary Questions.

Introduction—C. S. Nusbaum, of the South Kansas Conference, was introduced.

Announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the Doxology and Benediction by C. S. Nusbaum.

FOURTH DAY.

Saturday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. and opened with devotions led by S. E. Betts.

Minutes—The minutes of the previous session were read and approved.

Select Number—The Select Number in the case of H. L. Harvey presented the following report which was adopted:

We, your Committee of eleven in the case of Herman L. Harvey, find the defendant guilty as charged and declare him expelled from the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

El Dorado Springs, Mo., March 31, 1910.

Resolution—F. S. Beggs presented the following resolution, which was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That we request the pastors of the St. Louis Conference to seek out the graves of the members of this Conference and see that they shall be decorated on Decoration Day, and if possible, that their graves be properly marked.

F. S. BEGGS.
M. L. CURL.

Transfer—On motion of W. T. Wright, the Conference voted to ask the Dakota Conference to restore C. C. Hull to his relation on trial in that Conference and transfer him to the St. Louis Conference.

Report—The Committee on Home Missions and Church Extension presented their report and it was adopted. (See report).

Collections—On motion of Frank Neff a collection was taken for the janitor of this Church amounting to $14.27.

Recognition of Orders—On motion of E. J. Hunt the orders of Thomas Stone, as deacon, from the United Methodist Church of England, were recognized and he was admitted into full membership and placed in studies of the third year.

Leave of Absence—The following members were excused from further attendance at the session of the Conference, viz.: F. P. Leckliter, A. M. Dixon, Peter Davies, L. A. Banks, O. M. Stewart, E. Combie Smith, D. W. Britton and E. B. Olmstead.

Resolution—Naphtali Luccock offered the following resolution, which was adopted, viz.:

Whereas, Our Brother, Luther Freeman, has been called to the Presidency of Morningside College at Sioux City, Iowa, succeeding Bishop W. S. Lewis in that important work; and

Whereas, This new responsibility has occasioned his transfer to another Conference; therefore be it

Resolved, That we express our appreciation of the high Christian character, scholarly attainments, earnest consecration, and precious spirit of our brother.

That we congratulate the Trustees and friends of Morningside College in securing a leader so able and so thoroughly equipped in every way for their great enterprise.

That we assure our brother that while we shall greatly miss his genial presence in our happy Conference fellowship we shall follow him with our interest, our affections and our prayers, that in the future as in the past great success may ever attend his work.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK,
STEPHEN B. CAMPBELL,
EDWIN B. OLMSTEAD,
O. M. STEWART,
E. V. CLAYPOOL.

Addresses—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference, viz.: Miss Robertson, representing The Methodist Deaconess Association; L. G. Reser, President of Marionville College, and J. D. Smith, President of Carleton College.

Report—The Committee on Education presented their report, which was adopted. (See report.)

Announcement—It was announced that Cyrus T. Harrison had been transferred to the Montana Conference, elected

to Elder's orders under the Missionary rule, and retransferred to the St. Louis Conference.

Also that the offering for Home Missions and Church Extension taken at last night's service amounted to $11.80.

QUESTION XXXII The Thirty-second question was taken up, viz.: **Where Shall the Next Conference be Held?**

De Soto was nominated by D. W. Crow and Mountain Grove by H. A. Mitchell.

Mountain Grove was selected and on motion of D W. Crow the vote was made unanimous.

Conference Printing—On motion of P. E. Pierce, N. Luccock, Frank Neff and E. P. Anderson were appointed a Committee on Funds for Conference Printing.

QUESTION IV. The Fourteenth question was taken up, viz.: **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

The character of the following District Superintendents passed and each read his report, viz.:

W. F. Jones, of the Sedalia District and C. C. James, of the Springfield District.

The character of the following preachers in charge passed and those present reported, viz.:

Carthage District—O. V. Suter, C. V. Criss, H. W. Hargett, G. M. Foster, J. H. Boner, W. L. Requa, E. W. Elayer, J. N. Moore, Frank Neff, J. J. Martin, J. W. Caughlan, E. H. Sapp, A. G. Keast, D. C. Dutton, W. J. Simmons, F. P. Leckliter.

Farmington District—D. W. Crow, L. M. Thompson, G. A. Pegram, A. M. Livingstone, John Ashley, J. Scarborough.

Kansas City District—W. K. Chatten, D. W. Britton, F. O. Moore, H. G. Mais, E. V. Claypool, Frederick Getty, H. G. Humphrey, E. B. Olmstead, W. F. Sheridan, N. Luccock, L. A. Banks, E. C. Smith, W. G. Smith, J. W. Coontz, F. W. Simpson, W. E. Brown, O. M. Stewart.

Lebanon District—B. E. Niblack, W. F. Baker, J. W. Needham, H. A. Mitchell, W. D. Price, J. W. Slusher, T. P. Shaffer, B. D. Jones.

St. Louis District—H. R. Osborn, S. E. Betts, P. R. Hoos, E. P. Anderson, H. C. Leonard, Wm. Leatherman, F. L. Thompson, M. H. Lichliter, J. E. Thackrey, J. W. Borah, Ralph Wakefield, G. W. Anderson, A. D. Ball, R. B. Templeton.

Sedalia District—J. M. Carter, W. N. Gaither, L. L. Brannon, A. J. McCulloch, J. C. Stille, Laban Anderson, G. A. Robbins, F. S. Beggs, G. F. Bundy, P. E. Pierce, J. C. Kirk.

Springfield District—D. T. Simmons, A. M. Dixon, T. E. Prall, W. T. Pare, W. D. Sidman, S. F. Stevens, G. J. Hunt, W. S. Courtney, H. B. Foster, J. W. Stewart, Wm. Frank Baker.

The following preachers holding special appointments were passed in character, viz.: T. H. Hagerty, L. G. Reser, G. B. Thomas, G. H. Gillespie, C. E. Halterman, James Pine, Julius Smith, J. S. Bitler, S. A. French, F. E. Dubois, C. T. Harrison, R. V. Maloney, M. L. Curl.

Change of Relation—J. N. Moore, H. A. Barton, and T. J. Gideon were given the Supernumerary relation.

W. J. Simmons and G. H. Gideon were granted the Superannuated relation.

W. L. Gray was located at his own request.

Special Appointments—The Bishop was requested to make the following Special Appointments: F. L. Thompson, General Secretary of the Methodist Brotherhood; T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain of St. Louis Institutions; L. G. Reser, President of Marionville College; G. B. Thomas left without appointment to attend one of our schools; James Pine, Superintendent of Turrentine Hall; J. S. Bitler and S. A. French, Conference Evangelists; R. V. Maloney, Agent of the State Children's Home Society.

QUESTION The Twenty-fourth question was taken up, viz.:

XXIV. **Who Are the Superannuated Preachers?**

The names of the following Superannuated preachers were called, their characters passed, and those present addressed the Conference, while letters were read from part of the absent ones, viz.: J. H. Porter, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, M. Bell, Jacob Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threllfall, Frank Oechsli, Leander Hallock, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgeway, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, W. M. Creamer, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, Harvey Smith, I. M. Galbreath, J. H. Hurley, J. B. Brewington, I. J. K. Lunbeck, E. A. Squier.

E. H. Baird and G. W. Hughey were reported deceased.

The Conference rose and sang "Shall We Gather at the River."

Introduction—Dr. W. E. Barkley was introduced.

It was ordered that when we adjourn it shall be to meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The announcements were made and the morning session closed with the Doxology and Benediction by Dr. Motter.

Second Session. 3:00 p. m.

The Conference opened at 3:00 p. m. with song and prayer by Dr. J. C. Floyd.

Minutes—The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

Resolution—N. Luccock introduced the following resolution, which was adopted:

Whereas, Our brethren, J. A. Barker, E. L. Spiller, J. P. Martin, W. E. Piles, C. T. Cotton, G. C. Bechtel, H. C. Adams, L. R. Nichols, J. W. Farr have been transferred from this to other Conferences we desire to include them also in the expression of our esteem, confidence and effectionate interest.

NAPHTALI LUCCOCK,
E. W. ELAYER,
STEPHEN B. CAMPBELL,
EDWIN B. OLMSTEAD,
E. V. CLAYPOOL.

Transfer—W. T. Ferguson was announced as transferred to the Dakota Conference.

Conference Printing—The Committee on Conference Printing reported and a subscription was taken to cover the deficit.

QUESTION The Sixth question was taken up, viz.:

VI. **Who Have Been Continued on Trial?**

Joseph F. Pfeiffer, Orville D. Crain, Herbert F. Miller, Glenn A. Moss, James W. Null, Arthur P. Keast, Elmer Sandmeyer, Rowland Hill, James H. Postlethwait, William C. Heiskell and Claire G. Davis, reported, were passed in character and advanced to the studies of the second year.

Those deficit on studies were conditioned on bringing them up.

Peter Davies, C. V. Bigler and William R. Ward reported were passed in character, and continued in the studies of the first year.

Wm. W. Hendrickson reported, was passed in character, and continued in the studies of the first year with permission to bring the studies of the first and second years at the next session.

P. E. Bingman was received from the United Brethren Church and placed in the studies of the second year.

William H. Winter, Harry Gebbart and M. A. Kerr were discontinued.

QUESTION The Tenth question was taken up, viz.:

X **What Members Are in Studies of the Fourth Year?**

Frank W. P. Camp, James F. King, J. C. Gilbraith, Leon H. Sweetland, R. A. Hunt and William O. Tolbart reported, passed in character, and were advanced to the studies of the fourth year.

Claire V. Bryan reported, passed in character, was continued in the studies of the third year, and credited with studies passed.

Jesse I. Phillips was passed in character, continued in studies of the third year, and, at his own request, was granted the supernumerary relation.

John H. Porter was continued in the studies of the third year, and he was requested to show cause next year why he should not locate.

Carlos D. Bradley was announced as withdrawn.

QUESTION XI. The Eleventh question was taken up, viz.: **What Members Have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**

Charles E. Wharton, John F. Odom, R. H. Lint, Clinton Senneff, Charles F. Tippin, and C. A. Erdman passed in character, reported, were graduated in their studies and elected to Elder's orders.

Edwin F. Miller and Cyrus T. Harrison were passed in character and continued in the studies of the fourth year.

QUESTION XXIII. The Twenty-third question was taken up, viz.: **Who Are the Supernumerary Preachers?**

E. D. C. Koeth, W. K. Collins and G. A. Glens were passed in character and continued in the same relation.

Charles A. Mitchell was announced as deceased.

QUESTION V. The Fifth question was taken up, viz.: **Who Have Been Received on Trial?**

A. H. Barnes, M. S. Bumpus, Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, J. J. Pruitt, Herbert B. Rhodes, William O. Thompson, and A. R. Wassell were introduced to the Conference, passed in their studies, recommended by the Committee on Conference Relations, received on trial and placed in the studies of the first year.

Reports—The following committees reported and their reports were adopted, viz.: Board of Stewards, Conference Deaconess Board, Board of Conference Claimants, Benevolences, Woman's Work, Hospitals, Publishing Interests, Young People's Work, Auditing, Reforms, Permanent Fund. (See reports).

The Statistical Secretary read his report and it was adopted.

QUESTION XXII. The Twenty-second question was taken up, viz.:

What Other Personal Notation Should Be Made?

The orders of Charles E. Baird, as a local deacon, from the Free Methodist Church were recognized.

Triers of Appeals—The Bishop nominated the Triers of Appeals, and they were elected. (See Personal Notations).

Conference Societies—The Conference Deaconess Board was nominated and elected. (See Conference Boards).

Conference Claimants—W. S. Courtney presented the following resolution and it was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, We recommend the appointment of an annual Conference Board of Connectional Relief, to consist of one layman and one preacher from each District, who shall advise with the Board of Conference Claimants and assist in the benevolent and connectional work in behalf of the superannuates.

W. S. COURTNEY,
A. M. LIVINGSTON,
GRANT ROBBINS.

The following were appointed as the Board of Connectional Relief. (See Conference Boards).

Resolution—J. M. Carter offered the following resolution, which was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That so far as practicable we will make a special effort to have our congregations and Sunday Schools observe the Fourth of July of each year as a day consecrated to the promotion of the temperance reform and universal international peace; that we will especially seek to interest our children and young people in this movement; that, with songs, music, speeches and various services in our churches, public halls, or groves, we will strive to promote the proper and Christian celebration of the birthday of the Nation; and finally that we invite the co-operation of all religious bodies, temper-

ance organizations, Young People's Societies of whatever name, and all churches, Sunday schools, church Brotherhoods, pastors, patriots and philanthropists, in this effort to save our Nation from the curse of drink, and the world from the curse of war.

Introduction—Dr. De Bra. President of Missouri Wesleyan College was introduced.

Reports—On motion of F. W. Simpson the Secretary was granted permission to edit all reports.

Adjournment—Announcements were made, the Doxology was sung, the benediction was pronounced by Dr. De Bra, and the Conference adjourned to meet at 7:45 a. m. next Monday.

FIFTH DAY.

Love Feast—The Love Feast began at 9 a. m. and was led by Dr. T. H. Hagerty. The service opened with song and prayer. One hundred and thirty-eight persons testified to God's saving power when the time expired. The remainder of the congregation by standing testified "en masse" to the sufficiency of His grace.

Morning Worship—At 10 o'clock the morning worship began with the hymn beginning "O, for a thousand tongues." Dr. J. N. Pierce led the prayer. Dr. E. J. Hunt led in the responsive Scripture lesson, and Dr. S. B. Campbell read the lessson from the New Testament. Bishop Lewis preached from John 14:8. The theme being "The Divinity of Our Lord."

Ordination—At the close of the sermon Bishop Lewis ordained ten persons as deacons according to the Ritual of the Church.

Memorial Service—The Memorial Service began at 2 p. m. E. J. Hunt presiding. The service opened with song and prayer by T. P. Shaffer. J. W. Coontz read the Scripture.

C. C. James read the Memoir of Mrs. T. E. Prall and H. G. Mais made some remarks.

The memoir of C. A. Mitchell was read by W. D. Sidman and D. T. Simmons and E. J. Hunt spoke words of commendation.

The memoir of Mrs. Jacob Miller was read by W. T. Wright and F. S. Beggs made a short talk.

The memoir of E. H. Baird was read by L. G. Reser and remarks were made by T. H. Hagerty and Frank Neff.

E. J. Hunt read the memoir of Dr. G. W. Hughey and words of eulogy were delivered by J. W. Stewart.

Evening Service—The evening service began at 7:30 with song service under the direction of J. W. Coontz.

At 8:10 Dr. Floyd delivered an address on China and at 9:15 Dr. Cyrus Nusbaum delivered an exhortation on "The Holy Spirit," which was followed by an altar service in which several were saved and some received the Fullness of the Blessing of the Gospel of Christ.

SIXTH DAY.

7:45 a. m.

The Conference opened at 7:45 with devotions led by B. D. Jones.

The minutes of the previous session and the notations of the Sabbath were read and approved.

On motion of H. A. Mitchell, J. F. Odom, D. C. Dutton, and F. W. Simpson were appointed a Committee on Evangelistic Work.

The following resolution was presented by W. T. Wright and it was adopted:

Motion: That we authorize the Trustees of the St. Louis Conference to encorporate a body to be known as the Benevolent and Educational Board of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

That we request the pastors and District Superintendents of the Conference to call attention to this organization as the legal holding Board of the Conference for all property, personal and real, that may be given to the church by will or otherwise.

On motion it was ordered that the above board be composed of one person from each District to be named by the District Superintendents.

Transfers—C. B. Larrabie was announced as transferred to Colorado Conference and J. P. Martin from the Southern Kansas Conference.

Deaconesses—On motion of E. P. Anderson it was ordered that when the Deaconess Students shall have completed their studies and shall have met all requirements of the Discipline, the Board of Nine shall be authorized to license them and present them for consecration.

On motion of S. B. Warner the Bishop was requested to appoint F. E. Du Bois, Conference Evangelist.

Hagerty Memorial—On motion of F. S. Beggs, H. B. Foster was reappointed Collector of Money for Hagerty Memorial Church, Springfield, until completed.

Report—The final report of the Board of Stewarts was adopted.

Boards—The Conference Boards were nominated and elected.

The Bishop was requested to appoint J. J. Martin Chaplain of the Missouri Penitentiary.

Change of Relation—On motion of W. R. McCormack John Ashley was granted the Supernumerary relation.

Vote of Thanks—The Conference gave a vote of thanks to Professor and Mrs. Montgomery and the Conference Quartette for their music.

District Missions—The report on Domestic Missions was read.

The aggregate of Benevolences was reported as being $43,272 and the 5 per cent collection for Conference Claimants, $248.

F. W. Simpson presented the following resolution which was adopted:

Whereas, This session of the Conference has from every human point of view been most happy and profitable and has had the manifest blessing of God upon its sessions, and

Whereas, We are indebted to the fidelity and helpfulness of our Secretaries in the work and of our Bishop Lewis in his wholesome, happy method and spirit in presiding, and of the Conference quartet, and Professor and Mrs. Montgomery in Christian song, and to the hospitality and kindness of the local Church and its pastor, Brother Brannon, and the local officials; be it

Resolved, We express our hearty appreciation of the ministers of each and all and pray the Father's blessing upon each during the years to come.

F. W. SIMPSON,
R. H. LINT,
H. G. MAIS.

At the suggestion of N. Luccock the Conference took a Covenant of Prayer with our Bishops for our connectional work.

Introduction—F. P. House was introduced and spoke of the Gideon Band. Also Dr. S. H. Kirkbride, Secretary of American Bible Society, and Dr. J. C. Floyd on Foreign Missions.

The minutes were read and approved.

J. M. Carter announced the receiving of a letter of greeting from Bishop Mallalieu.

A. G. Keast was announced as transferred to the Kansas Conference.

It was moved to adjourn after the reading of the appointments.

The Bishop briefly addressed the Conference.

The transfer of H. M. Glover from the Brooklyn Conference was announced.

The appointments were read and the Conference adjourned with the Doxology and Benediction by the Bishop.

Certificate of Ordination—This certifies that at El Dorado Springs, Mo., on April 4, 1910, I did ordain as Deacons: Edward Bridwell, Milus L. Womack, Carl Stevenson, Mack L. Stille, Ray C. Walker, Joseph E. Stickney, Marvin O. Morris, James M. Mason, Thomas H. Otwell, William R. Ward and Steele D. Goodale; and at the same date and place, I did ordain as Elders: Charles E. Wharton, John F. Odom, Clinton Senneff, Charles F. Tippin and Charles A. Erdman.

Given under my hand, this the 5th day of April, 1910.

Wilson S. Lewis

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

1. **Is This Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?**
   Yes.

2. **Who Have Been Received by Transfer, and From What Conferences?**
   Joseph Scarborough, from the Missouri; Ray S. True, from the S. Kansas; Chas. A. Erdman, from the St. Louis German; A. J. McCulloch, from the Colorado; Wm. W. King, from the Indiana; R. V. Maloney, from the Kansas; W. F. Sheridan, from the Baltimore; L. A. Banks, from the Colorado; Thomas H. Otwell, from the Holston; H. M. Glover, from the New York East; J. P. Martin, from the S. Kansas.

3. **Who Have Been Readmitted?**
   None.

4. **Who Have Been Received on Credentials, and From What Churches?**
   William R. Woodward, from the Salvation Army; Thomas Stone, from the United Methodist Church of England.

5. **Who Have Been Received on Trial?**
   (a) In Studies of First Year.
   A. H. Barnes, M. S. Bumpus, Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, J. J. Pruitt, Herbert B. Rhodes, William O. Thompson, A. R. Wassell.
   (b) In Studies of Third Year.
   None.

6 **Who Have Been Continued on Trial?**
   (a) In Studies of First Year.
   Peter Davies, C. V. Bigler, William A. Ward, William W. Hendrickson.
   (b) In Studies of Second Year.
   George T. Beard, P. E. Bingman, Joseph F. Pfeiffer, Orville. D. Crain, Herbert F. Miller, Glenn A. Moss, James W. Null, Arthur P. Keast, Elmer Sandmeyer, Rowland Hill, James H. Postlethwait William C. Heiskell, Claire G. Davis.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.
None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
None.

7. **Who Have Been Discontinued?**
James A. McFarland, Lewis H. Smith, William H. Winter, Harry Gebhart, Marion A. Kerr.

8. **Who Have Been Admitted into Full Membership?**
(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons This Year.
Edward Bridwell, Milus L. Womack, Carl Stevenson, Mack L. Stille, Ray C. Walker, Joseph E. Stickney, Marvin O. Morris, James M. Mason, Thomas H. Otwell, William R. Woodward.
(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons Previously.
Edward O. Smith.

9. **What Members Are in Studies of Third Year?**
(a) Admitted into Full Membership This Year.
Edward Bridwell, Milus L. Womack, Carl Stevenson, Mack L. Stile, Ray C. Walker, Joseph E. Stickney, Marvin O. Morris, James M. Mason, Thomas H. Otwell, William R. Woodward.
(b) Admitted into Full Membership Previously.
Claire V. Bryan, Jesse I. Phillips, John H. Porter, Thomas Stone, Ray True.

10. **What Members Are in Studies of Fourth Year?**
Frank W. P. Camp, James F. King, J. C. Gilbraith, Leon H. Sweetland, R. A. Hunt, William O. Tolbart, Edwin F. Miller, Cyrus T. Harrison.

11. **What Members Have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**
(a) Elected and Ordained Elders This Year.
Chas. E. Wharton, John F. Odom, Richard H. Lint, Clinton Senneff, Chas. F. Tippin, Chas. A. Erdman.
(b) Elected and Ordained Elders Previously.
None.

12. **What Others Have Been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**
(a) As Local Preachers.
Steele D. Goodale.
(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
(c) Under Seminary Rule.
None.

13. What Others Have Been Elected and Ordained Elders?

(a) As Local Deacons.
None.

(b) Under Missionarf Rule.
None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.

14. Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?

This was strictly done as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

15. Who Have Been Transferred, and to What Conference?

H. A. Babbitt, to the Kansas; Luther Freeman, to Northwest Iowa; J. A. Barker, to the Kansas; E. L. Spiller, to the Missouri; J. P. Martin, to the Kansas; W. T. Pyles, to the Kansas; C. T. Cotton, to the S. Kansas; G. C. Bechtel, to the Illinois; H. C. Adams, to the Des Moines; W. T. Cummins, to the Colorado; L. R. Nichols, to the Missouri; C. R. Carlos, to the New York East; J. W. Farr, to the Nebraska; W. T. Ferguson, to the Dakota; A. G. Keast, to the Kansas; C. B. Larrabee, to the Colorado.

16. Who Have Died?

C. A. Mitchell, G. W. Hughey and E. H. Baird.

17. Who Have Been Located at Their Own Request?

W. L. Gray.

18. Who Have Been Located?

None.

19. Who Have Withdrawn?

Thos. G. Peterson, W. H. Bickers, C. E. Ferguson, A. T. Osbron, Carlos D. Bradley.

20. Who Have Been Permitted to Withdraw Under Charges or Complaints?

None.

21. Who Have Been Expelled?

Hermon L. Harvey.

22. What Other Personal Notation Should Be Made?

Ira Moore, recognized as a Deacon from the Free Will Baptist Church; Chas. E. Baird, recognized as a Deacon from the Free Methodist Church.

23. **Who Are Supernumerary Preachers?**

E. D. C. Koeth, five years; W. K. Collins, five years; G. A. Glens, two years; H. A. Barton, one year; T. J. Gideon, one year; J. N. Moore, one year; Jesse I. Phiilips, one year; John Ashley, one year.

24. **Who Are the Superannuated Preachers?**

J. H. Porter, L. R. Carpenter, H. A. Toland, M. Bell, Jacob Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, Frank Oechsli, Leander Haliock. F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgway, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, W. M. Creamer, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, Hervey Smith, I. M. Galbreath, J. H. Hurley, J. B. Brewington, I. J. K. Lunbeck, W. J. Simmons, G. H. Gideon, E. A. Squier.

25. **Who Are the Triers of Appeals?**

H. B. Foster, H. G. Mais, Wm. Leatherman, J. W. Needham and D. W. Crow.

26. **What Is the Statistical Report for This Year?**

See Statistical Report.

27. **What Is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections Ordered by the General Conference, as Reported by the Conference Treasurer?**

$43,272.

28. **What Are the Claims on the Conference Fund?**

$20,853.

29. **What Has Been Received on These Claims, and How Has it Been Applied?**

$6,898. See Conference Claimants Directory.

30. **What Is the Amount of the Five Per Cent of Collections for the Conference Claimants' Connectional Fund Paid by the Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?**

$248.

31. **Where Are the Preachers Stationed?**

See Appointments.

32. **Where Shall the Next Conference Be Held?**

Mountain Grove.

REPORTS

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session March 30-April 4, 1910.

Perry E. Pierce.

DISTRICT MISSIONS.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Belton, $30; East Lynne, $86; Kingsville, $30; Pleasant Hill, $100. Total, $246.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Cuba, $96; Pacific, $70; Salem, $70; Sullivan, $70. Total, $306.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

Ava, $36; Buffalo, $40; Buffalo Ct., $30; Gainesville, $100; Hartville, $36; High Point, $100; Houston and Cabool, $40; Lebanon Ct., $30; Licking, $100; Linn Creek, $40; Phillipsburg, $35; Vichy, $40; District, $120. Total, $747.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $90; Cassville, $40; Clever, $25; Dadeville, $32; Galena, $50; Humansville, $40; LaRussell, $40; Marionville Ct., $32; Pierce City, $75; Mt. Carmel, $60; Springfield Ct., $32; Stockton, $40; Weaubleau, $40; Taneyville, $24. Total, $620.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

Bonne Terre, $60; Flat River, $100; Lutesville, $40; Poplar Bluff, $150; Perryville, $50; Willow Springs, $80; Winona, $60; Mountain View, $40; Puxico, $100; Ironton, $60; Patton, $60; District, $100. Total, $900.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Alberta, $50; Odessa, $100; Montrose, $100; Urich, $70; Rockville, $100; Knob Noster, $50; Tipton, $50; Huntingdale, $68. Total, $588.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Anderson, $100; Carthage Ct., $75; Chitwood, Joplin, $72; Epworth, $124; Seneca, $48; Spurgeon, $76. Total $495.

Approved. W. S. LEWIS.

REPORT OF THE AUDITING COMMITTEE.

The Auditing Committee of the St. Louis Conference at El Dorado Springs, Mo., have examined the accounts of the District Superintendent's Missionary appropriations, Conference Treasurer's accounts, Conference Secretary's accounts, and the account of the Treasurer of the Board of Stewards and have found them correct.

H. G. HUMPHREY, Chairman.
H. R. OSBORNE, Secretary.

BENEVOLENCES.

We heartily rejoice because of the very large increase in the offerings for the past year and because of the testimony it bears to the increasing interest of our pastors and people in the world-wide mission of our beloved Church.

We are pleased to note that this increase has been largely due to the education and inspiration imparted through the Laymen's Missionary Movement, as evidenced by the splendid missionary offerings of the Churches of St. Louis and Kansas City, and we most heartily and unreservedly endorse this magnificent movement and its effective methods.

We earnestly recommend that every pastor make full provision for all benevolences early in the Conference year; and that wherever practicable, the duplex envelop system of weekly offering be adopted, as recommended by the General Conference of 1908, and as adopted with most gratifying results in most of our city churches.

We wish to emphasize the fact that the increased interest in Foreign Missions has not lessened the interest in nor the giving to other benevolence causes; but rather, in every District, the increase for Foreign Missions is accompanied by an increase for the other benevolences.

We especially urge upon all our pastors the great importance of raising all benevolences "in full."

S. F. STEVENS, Chairman.
LEON H. SWEETLAND, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BROTHERHOOD.

Your Committee would present the following for approval and adoption:

First. We sincerely congratulate the Church upon the wisdom of the Managing Board of the Methodist Brotherhood in selecting as the General Secretary of this great organization our beloved brother, the Rev. Fayette L. Thompson, D.D. No better man could have been chosen as the pastor of the men of Methodism. His wide experience in pastoral work; his strong, virile manly, type of Christian

character, together with his zeal for practical service in the Kingdom of Christ, makes him a natural leader of men and assures the Brotherhood activities as expressed in the address of the General Secrevision, he will inspire with aggressive ideals; as a man of rare judgment he will create confidence; both of which in this formative state are essential. Assured of his eminent fitness for this work in both character and endowment, we follow him with our prayers and assure him of our heartiest support.

Second. We especially commend the broadening view of Brotherhood activities as expressed in the address of the General Secretary. We hail with pleasure and approval the constructive recognition of all men's organizations in the Church as Methodist Brotherhoods and the new definition of the Brotherhood as "all men of the church at work for all men everywhere in the name of the Christ of the Church." Under this constructive recognition the mission and message of the Brotherhood becomes co-extensive with the manhood of Methodism.

Third. We cordially open our Churches to the General Secretary whenever he can arrange to visit us and pledge to the general organization our every support and approval.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE WOOD ANDERSON,
WM. N. GAITHER,
HENRY W. HARGETT.

REPORT OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION.

We have to report to you the following business transacted under the requirement of the new Discipline. Two regular and two special meetings have been held.

Donations recommended:

Taverndale Church, Lebanon District ... ..$	75.00
Crocker Church, Lebanon District.....	150.00
Pleasant Grove Church, Lebanon District....	100.00
Linn Creek Church, Lebanon District.....	75.00
Bell Church, Lebanon District.....	250.00
Mt. Vernon Parsonage, Springfield District.	200.00
Marionville Parsonage, Springfield District.	150 00
Aurora Parsonage, Springfield District....	150.00
First Church, Neosho, Carthage District....	500.00
Hope Church, Webb City, Carthage District.	150.00
Grace Church, Webb City, Carthage District	250.00
Providence Church, Webb City, Carthage Dis.	200.00

Applications for aid already at home office. amounting to $1,975, exhaust the appropriation for the coming year so that nothing remains.

Loans recommended:

Neosho, Carthage District	$ 1,000.00
Crocker, Lebanon District	100.00
Pleasant Grove, Lebanon District	50.00

The loan made to the Church at Purdy, Mo., Springfield District of $160.00 was paid this year.

Drafts have been received by Treasurer of Board amounting to $2,961, which were disbursed to District Superintendents according to schedule of Home Missionary Appropriations as published in Conference Minutes.

Owing to the earnest needs of the southern portion of our territory, we recommend a more diligent campaign for Home Missions and Church Extension.

WM. NAPLES, Secretary.

REPORT OF CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD.

The success of our Deaconess Institution is a source of gratification to us, and we are glad to be able to make the following report: **First.** Kansas City National Training School has property valued at $75,000; insured for $19,000; no debts. The title is invested in Woman's Home Missionary Society.

Second. The Epworth Evangelistic Institute, located at St. Louis, has property valued at $40,000; with a debt of $28,000. Title is invested in a Local Board of Trustees.

Third. The Burge Deaconess Hospital of Springfield, Mo., has property valued at $40,000; with $16,500 insurance; no debt. The title is invested in the Woman's Home Missionary Society.

The following licenses have been renewed: Anna Combs, Emma O. Anderson, M. M. Christy, Capitola Lochner, Josephine Ehrnmann, Eva Rigg, Mary Dabon Bear, Anna Neiderheiser, Julia G. Short, Maud Z. Robinson, Minnie Pike, Alberta M. Garretson, Ethel Adkins, Bertha Cowles, Lillian Dillin, Mary Dripps, Margaret Wood.

The following are licensed and recommended for your approval and for consecration: Faye Burritt Emery, Bertha M. Ragland. Corrine M. Calvert, Eva Haynes, Eva C. Butler, Ella M. Orme.

The following have been transferred: Anna Combs, from Southern Illinois Conference; Josephine Ehrnmann, from the Iowa Conference; Alberta M. Garretson, from the Kansas Conference; Minnie M. Christy, from California Conference; Eva Riggs, from the California Conference.

The following have been transferred out: Mary Schwinn, to the Pudget Sound Conference; Annie Combs, Margaret Wood and Rhoda Scharf, to the Southern Illinois Conference.

We recommend the authorization of a Deaconess Home at Joplin, Mo.

ELI P. ANDERSON, Chairman.
WM. LEATHERMAN, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

THEOLOGICAL SCHOOLS.

We recommend the work done by our Theological Schools and urge our young men in the ministry to avail themselves of a Theological Training.

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY.

We wish once more to express our belief in and loyalty to this great Institution of Higher Education and express the hope that the new campaign for endowment may result in the early opening of its doors to our students.

COLLEGE FOR WOMEN.

Realizing the demand for Colleges devoted especially to the education of women, we earnestly commend our two great schools, the Women's College of Baltimore and the Illinois Women's College to all our people who are seeking such education for young women.

WHITE SCHOOLS IN THE SOUTH

The cause of our Southern Schools for white students is committed to the Board of Education. That Board appeals to the Church for contributions for a permanent fund of $250,000 to be raised during this present quadrenium, the interest only to be used in aid of our Institutions. This appeal we heartily endorse.

CARLETON COLLEGE.

We are pleased to note the encouraging condition of Carleton College. Under the active, enthusiastic and efficient leadership of Rev. J. D. Smith, D.D., the new President, every department reports

growth. It has greatly increased its efficiency as an Educational Institution by securing a larger and more expensive faculty. The basement of a new $25,000 building is now completed and the finished building is expected to be ready for occupancy this fall. The endowment fund is growing steadily. Already $33,000 of the $75,000 necessary to receive the special gift of Mr. George Warren Brown has been secured. With its increased faculty, better equipments, and strong hope for an endowment the school faces a brighter future.

We recommend the election of the following Trustees: Rev. D. W. Crow, D.D., T. N. Gresham, R. L. Baswell, N. M. Davis, T. J. Langston to succeed themselves, and Rev. W. T. Wright, D.D., Rev. George Wood Anderson, D.D., and Rev. Samuel Warner, Ph.D., in addition thereto.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGE.

We congratulate the faculty and Board of Trustees of Marionville College on the forward movement, and record with appreciation the increased benefits that will accrue to our local Methodism from this splendid Institution.

We recommend the following for Trustees of this College: Revs. W. J. Simmons, C. V. Criss and Frank Neff, and R. H. Fite, J. C. Andress and H. B. Boyd.

FORWARD MOVEMENT.

We rejoice in the prosperity that is attending our Conference Colleges, and, that we may co-operate in the fullest measure with the forward movement to secure adequate equipments and permanent endowment for these Institutions, we recommend the following action:

First. That our apportionment equal to 5 per cent of the pastoral support, not including house rent, be assessed to all charges throughout the Conference for the incidental expenses for the ensuing Conference year. The amount raised shall be divided between the two Schools as heretofore.

Second. That we assume $100,000 for each Institution, and to secure the same apportion to St. Louis District $25,000, to Farmington, $25,000, to Sedalia, $15,000, and to Lebanon $10,000, for Carleton College; and to Springfield, Kansas City, and Carthage Districts, 33 1-3 thousand dollars each for Marionville College. This apportionment shall be distributed to the several charges, according to estimated pastoral support.

Third. That the College President with District Superintendent and Board of Trustees shall be authorized to formulate such plans as they may deem wise to speedily secure this fund.

CONFERENCE VISITORS.

Carleton College, A. M. Livingstone, Ralph Wakefield; Marionville College, S. F. Stevens, R. A. Hunt and F. O. Moore; Boston Theological, S. B. Campbell; Drew Theological, J. W. Coontz; Garrett Biblical, G. J. Hunt; Women's College of Baltimore, Raphthali Luccock; Illinois Women's College, George Wood Anderson.

We request Bishop Lewis to reappoint L. G. Reser, President of Marionville College.

RAPHTHALI LUCCOCK, Chairman.
G. J. HUNT, Secretary.

HOSPITALS.

Bethany Hospital is able to report splendid success during the past year.

We commend the Directors that they have purchased an elligible five-acre tract for a new Hospital, and that plans are being made for the erection of a $100,000 building.

We commend Bethany to all our people. Her efficient staff and skilled nurses merit our confidence and support.

We recommend the election of the following Directors by this Conference: Rev. S. B. Campbell, Mr. J. W. Bush and Mr. M. F. Simmons.

Burge Deaconess Hospital of Springfield likewise submits a fine report. They are better equipped for kindly ministry than ever by their efficient staff and skilled nurses.

We would commend both Institutions to the pastors of our church that this worthy toil may be laid before the people at large.

We request the Secretary of the Conference to publish a page for each in the minutes of 1910, containing such information as the Managers may prepare. Said page to be free.

S. E. BETTS, President.
H. B. FOSTER, Secretary.

PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

We rejoice in the continued prosperity of our Publishing Interests and commend the efficient management which during the last year has been able from the profits of the same to give so large a support to the Conference Claimants.

We pledge a more earnest support to all our publications and a more thorough effort to place in all our Sunday schools and Methodist homes our own Literature, believing that in so doing we are advancing the best interest of our Christ and His Church and all our homes.

We are pleased to note the prosperity of the Central Christian Advocate. It showed the largest profit of any of our Church papers and paid several hundred dollars into the treasury for the Conference Claimants. We suggest that hereafter a Special Committee be appointed to give special attention to the circulation of the Central Christian Advocate in our own territory.

C. V. CRISS, Chairman
J. W. NEEDHAM, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REFORMS.

We, the Committee on Reforms, present the following report:

We rejoice in the progress of the wave of Civic Righteousness that is sweeping over our land. The time has come for the clean citizenship of Missouri to show itself in influence and power. The rum power is beginning to feel the pressure brought to bear upon it by the organized temperance forces. The corrupt politician is face to face with a powerful enemy; that of good citizenship of the State and the undisputed rights of the people.

Be It Therefore Resolved, That we pledge our hearty support to the enforcement of all laws. That we lend our support and influence in order that clean men may be elected to the offices of public trust. Be it further

Resolved, That we urge upon Congress the passage of such laws as will prohibit the shipment of intoxicating liquors into dry territory until Congress grants our petitions by giving such laws.

We are proud of the fact that the Methodist ministry is under promise to wholly abstain from the use of tobacco, but we deplore the continued use of tobacco by many of our laymen and believing that one standard of purity should be set for both ministry and laity we urge that the use of the filthy weed be discouraged in all members of the Methodist Church.

We also urge that the Sabbath laws of the State of Missouri be enforced; and that we favor the making and enforcing of other laws when needed until we shall have a Christian Sabbath indeed.

J. M. MASON,
C. V. BRYAN.

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Cash Received.

Balance cash on hand	$ 58.13
Cash received from Conference Collections	4,976.00
Book Concern Dividend	1,611.00
Chartered Fund	25.00
Board of Conference Claimants	200.00
Conference Permanent Fund	335.00
	$7,205.13

Cash Disbursed.

5 per cent of Conference Collections to General Conference Claimants Board		$ 248.00
Amount Distributed in Annuity Fund		5,673.00
Amount in Special Fund from:		
1. Annual Conference Collections	1,040	
2. General Board	200—	1,245.00
		$7,166.80

Recommendations.

First.—We recommend that $1,045 of the Conference Collections be placed in the Special Fund.

Second.—That 4 per cent of the pastors' salaries including house rent, be apportioned to the several charges of the Conference for the Conference Claimants Fund, and that special attention be taken of this item of Ministerial Support and this year be raised in full.

L. M. THOMPSON,
Secretary.

WOMAN'S WORK.

With the passing years we are glad to note the increasing influence of the Woman's Home Missionary Society in their noble work. Many a poor Methodist preacher's family has had sunshine in it through its ministrations.

We will aid them to the extent of our ability in their noble work.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union has had a year of active industry, and has had success in bringing to a focus the mighty conflict between temperance and the rum power in the State of Missouri. We pledge them our hearty support until final victory is gained.

Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

We recognize it as a fact, that the famous Layman's Missionary Movement has adopted the methods that the Woman's Foreign Missionary has been practicing for the past forty years in raising their funds.

By this method these godly women have raised tens-of-thousands of dollars for the elevating of their sisters out of the darkness and degredation of heathenism.

We congratulate our sisters on their success and promise to aid them in the future as in the past to the extent of our ability.

T. H. HAGERTY, President.
E. H. SAPP, Secretary.

YOUNG PEOPLES WORK.

The Committee on Young Peoples' Work respectfully present the following report:

Whereas, The knowledge of God's word and work on earth today, and the hope of tomorrow furnish irresistible impulses to Christain activities; we therefore recommend that a Bible study and Mission study class be organized in each Epworth League Chapter.

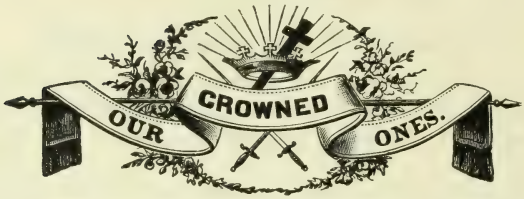
In order that our young people might be more efficiently equipped for service, we urge that they, as far as possible, attend the summer League Institutes. We heartily commend the breadth of view and splendid character of The Epworth Herald, and as it is the recognized peer of Young People's papers, we urge its reading upon our young people of the Epworth League. We recommend that the Epworth League Conference officers take steps toward arranging, as far as possible, an Annual Epworth League Convention, to be held at Pertle Springs, in connection with the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

We nominate as officers of the Conference Epworth League the following: Dean C. Dutton, President; E. W. Elayer, Secretary; Mrs. J. F. Odom, Junior League Superintendent, and recommend that the Conference League anniversity program be provided for by these officers.

We rejoice in the work of Christian education, being carried on in our Sunday schools, and heartily recommend the use of Methodist literature in all our schools, and would urge that both superintendents and pastors pay due regard toward the movement organized for adults and intermediate classes.

RALPH WAKEFIELD, Chairman.
O. E. CRAIN.
M. L. WOMACK.

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	183[illegible]	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj. F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland.	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark.	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

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Robert I. Fleming	1886	Aug. 28, '94..	Seattle, Wash...	34	Effective	8
Benj. F. Poole...	1875	Nov. 25, '04..	St. Louis, Mo...	43	Effective .	19
Thos. M. Durham.	1872	July 30, '95..	Irwin, Mo.	49	Supernumerary	13
Roland Moffat...	1851	Aug. 27, '95..	Washburn, Mo.	80	Superannuated	44
Erastus A. Porter	1872	Oct. 21, '95..	Rich Hill, Mo...	50	Superannuated	23
Jas. W. Cowden..	1866	Aug. 23, '96..	Lebanon, Mo. ..	72	Superannuated	30
W. G. Williams...	1876	April 16, '97.	St. Louis, Mo...	44	Effective	20
William Jones ..	1862	Jan. 1, '98...	Kan. City, Mo. .	64	Effective	34
Francis Ballaine .	1880	Aug. 15, '98..	Horinc, Mo. ...	65	Superannuated	18
Jacob Miller	1859	April 16, '99.	Kelleysville, I.N.	73	Superannuated	40
Cyrus Brough ...	1878	May 8, '99...	St. Louis, Mo. .	52	Superannuated	21
Wm. M. Beatty ..	1887	Sept. 17, '99.	Marshall, Mo. ..	51	Effective	12
Harry M. Hackney	1875	Dec. 3, '99...	Ashland, Neb. .	50	Superannuated	24
Jas. H. Vaughan.	1859	April 15, '00.	St. Clair Co., Mo	80	Superannuated	41
Jas B. Daniel....	1867	Aug. 28, '00..	Sedalia, Mo. ...	65	Superannuated	33
Albert Jump	1877	Jan. 5, '01...	Holden, Mo. ...	60	Effective	24
Clark B. Beaty ...	1876	May 9, '02...	Buffalo, Mo. ...	52	Superannuated	16
Isaac Entwisle ...	1866	July 30, '02..	Indianapolis Ind	78	Superannuated	36
Stanford Ing	1858	Nov. 11, '84..	Tho'sonville, Ill	84	Superannuated	46
Benj. F. January.	1880	Nov. 15, '04..	Dixon, Mo.	71	Effective	24
Theo. S. Benefiel.	1866	Aug. 28, '05..	Lamar, Mo.	77	Superannuated	39
Alanson Barber ..	1865	Mar. 27, '06..	Baxter Spgs., K.	72	Superannuated	41
Levi W. Munsell.	1841	April 24, '06.	Peggy, Mo.	88	Superannuated	21
George P. Miller..	1889	May 7, '06...	Tipton, Mo.	52	Effective	16
Milton B. Wood .	1867	Feb. 15, '07..	Cal.	66	Superannuated	16
Wm. V. Hamel..	1878	Mar. 30, '07..	Clinton, Mo. ..	49	Effective	29
Jas. F. Corrington	1873	Sept. 5, '07...	Plasa, Ill.	67	Supernumerary	35
Wm. O. Turrentine	1896	Feb. 16, '08..	Greenfield, Mo.	33	Effective	12
Noble H. Buck ...	1870	Sept. 29, '08..	Tulsa, Okla. ..	73	Superannuated	38
Willshire R.Peters	1891	June 2, '08..	Springfield, Mo	43	Effective	16
J. B. Van Petten..	1852	Oct. 31, '08...	Cazenovia, N. Y.	81	Superannuated	42
Edw. H. Baird ...	1859	Aug. 31, '09.	Marionville Mo.	77	Superannuated	50
Geo. W. Hughey..	1850	Oct. 5, '09...	Galena, Mo. ...	77	Superannuated	59
Chas. A. Mitchell.	1896	Feb. 21, '10..	Cherokee, Okla.	49	Supernumerary	14

REV. EDWARD H. BAIRD.

Rev. Edward H. Baird was born November 8, 1831, in Madison Township, Perry County, Ohio. Died in Marionville, Mo., August 31, 1909. Aged 77 years, 9 months, 23 days.

Brother Baird was educated in the public schools and Ohio Wesleyan University.

February 25, 1864, he was united in marriage with Miss Sarah J. Bracken in Cambria County, Penn., with whom he lived happily for 40 years. Mrs. Baird preceded him home about five years ago. Seven children were born to them, six of whom are living, Mrs. Lizzie B. Winship, teacher of Geronimo, Okla.; Wm. V. of Selmon, Okla.; Dr. Jesse P. of Marionville, Mo.; Dr. Ernest H. of Webb City, Mo.; Arch M. of Dighton, Kas., and Dr. Chas. Baird.

Brother Baird was converted at an early age and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, at the age of 19 he was licensed to preach. In 1859 he heeded the voice of the Church and joined the Pittsburg Conference at its session in Pittsburg, Pa., when a class of twenty-two were admitted. One of this class is our beloved Bishop Charles W. Smith of Portland, Ore.

This thoughtful consecrated, zealous minister of the gospel who joined the ranks triumphant among the priests and kings unto God was a ceaseless toiler in His Master's vineyard, loyal to his Church.

Gladly did he give himself to the labor and trials incident to a pioneer itinerant ministry.

He served the following charges in the Pittsburg Conference: 1859, Senecaville; 1860, Edenburg; 1861, Butler; 1862, Newton; 1863-64, New Lexiton; 1865, he served as the state agent of the Ameriacn Bible Society for the States of Missouri and Arkansas. He served the following charges in the St. Louis Conference: 66, 67, Buffalo; 68 to 75, as Bible agent; 76, 77, Republic; 78 he took a Superanuated relation which he held to the time of his demise.

Brother Baird ranked well among his brethren in power and efficiency. He knew the Scriptures. He knew God and he has certainly talked with Him as a Man speaketh with his most intimate friend.

Not alone pastoral labors, but Church building, improvements, charitable work, temperance, and the building of Marionville College enlisted his earnest sympathy and support.

In the room where he spent his last hours was organized the first Methodist Episcopal Church in Marionville, Mo. Himself and two others formed the first organization.

It was in this room that the first meeting of the trustees of Marionville Collegiate Institute was held and where plans were made to start and insure its permanent growth.

With whatever regret this true son of Wesley may have laid down the duties of the active ministerial life, it certainly was with gladness that he continued to discharge all the duties of an exemplary and useful Christian life. In the months of decline he lived as in the presence of Christ. He was cheerful, sweet-spirited and confident. The gospel that he preached sustained him to the end.

When we shall be permitted to cross the threshold of the house not made with hands eternal in the heavens, we shall find him there at home with God.

Appropriate funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Marionville, Mo., at which his pastor, W. D. Sidman, presided; Rev. C. C. James, District Superintendent.

Dr. J. J. Martin and Dr. Reser each made appropriate remarks paying higher tribute to his worth. Interment took place in Odd Fellows cemetery.

REV. GEORGE W. HUGHEY, D.D.

Geo. W. Hughey was born in Crittenden County, Kentucky, January 23, 1832, where he grew to young manhood. In 1849, when 17 years of age, he participated in a slavery discussion which so aroused the pro-slavery prejudice he moved to Illinois, where the anti-slavery sentiment was tolerated. His educational advantages were so limited he had but six months school privileges. By close, continuous application to mental improvements he began his active career as a teacher when 18 years of age. Being a careful and persistent student he became a proficient scholar and was given, by the McKendree College, the degree of A. M. in 1870, and D.D. in 1875. At Eldorado, Ill., September 16, 1850, he was married to Miss Elizabeth A. Westbrook, with whom he lived fifty-nine years. To them were born four sons and seven daughters; of these three sons and three daughters are now living.

At the age of ten he had definite religious convictions and went to the altar, but was driven away by a good brother who was not in sympathy with children being invited to Christ at so early an age. At fifteen years of age he was gloriously converted. Having been reared under the Cumberland Presbyterian faith he was naturally inclined toward that denomination. He deliberately examined the doctrines and polity of the Cumberland Presbyterian and Methodist Episcopal Churches, studiously read his Bible, and prayed until he was clear to choose the Methodist Church as his church home.

In early childhood his convictions were strong that the ministry of the Gospel was his life work. He was licensed to preach in June, 1850, in his eighteenth year, by J. B. Corrington, and recommended to the Annual Conference for admission on trial. He was admitted as a single man and appointed to the Lebanon circuit as junior preacher under Elijah Corrington, preacher in charge, and J. B. Corrington, presiding elder. While the Conference that received him was in session he was married, not having counselled with his presiding elder. He went immediately to his charge, where he was told the charge could not support two married men. On hearing this he returned to his home very much discouraged. The next session of the Annual Conference discontinued him.

Being displeased with this, he resolved to turn his life to secular employment. He at once began the practice of medicine for which he had previously studied. He bought eighty acres of land which he commenced improving, having in mind to build up a good practice

and to open up a large cattle farm. In order to secure necessary funds for his enterprise, he again resorted to teaching. Immediately on his determination to devote himself to secular pursuits, he was plunged into dense spiritual darkness.

Soon after beginning his school he attended a camp meeting at the Pleasant Valley camp ground, on Saturday and Sunday. About 9 o'clock on Sunday morning the manager announced that Brother Hughey, the boy preacher, would preach in the afternoon and that all the people wanted to hear him.

To him this was a great surprise. Under a great burden and in dense darkness he struggled and prayed for seven long hours. At 4 o'clock p. m. a congregation of 3,000 or more asesmbled, the trumpet sounded, for the hour had come. Brother Hughey walked down the aisle to the pulpit not knowing what to say or do, but determined to trust God and follow the leadings of the spirit. On entering the pulpit the burden rolled away. The clouds were rifted, the darkness was dispersed and his soul was flooded with light. He was endued with power and had liberty. He preached from Isaiah 25: 6-8, with the swing of the victory. To the day of his death he claimed that the spirit, at that hour, preached, through him, the greatest sermon of his life. The next afternoon he preached on the judgment. Power came upon him and the people until the cries for mercy and the shouts of victory drowned his voice. There were 150 souls saved at this meeting.

He returned to his school after the night's service.

On the next Saturday, while he was daubing his log cabin with his own hands, for the comfort of his wife and babe, a brother approached and handed him a letter which informed him of his appointment to supply the Rolla circuit. To the call of the Spirit and the appointing power of the church he was obedient. Giving up his secular plans and leaving his cabin unfinished he went to his charge.

In 1853 he was admitted on trial into the Southern Illinois Conference, where he spent twenty-five years, serving the following charges: New Liberty, Rosiclain, Cairo Mission, Metropolis, Ashley, Walnut Hill, Sparta and Chester, Sparta, Mt. Vernon, Cairo, Cairo District, Mt. Carmel, Lebanon, Lebanon District, Belleville and Alton District.

He was transferred in 1879 to the St. Louis Conference and served Trinity, St. Louis, three years; Carondelet, St. Louis, two years; Temperance agent, one year; Carthage, three years; Grace Church, Springfield, five years; Benton Avenue, Springfield, two years.

Becoming impaired in health he asked of the Conference held at Sedalia, Mo., March, 1896, a superannuated relation, which was granted. Since this time he has served as supply, held revival meetings and lectured, equaling in task the pastorate.

Dr. Hughey lived and walked with God. His family worship was held regularly three times a day. He was a tender, considerate and affectionate husband and father. To his loved ones he clung with unyielding tenacity.

For the companion of his youth and his mature manhood he expressed the highest appreciation, publicly attributing to her the larger portion of his success in the ministry.

In the pulpit he was a tower of strength—having few equals. His sermons were monuments of careful preparation, intense thought and enduement of power. They were Biblical, experimental and philosophical. In diction he was clear, logical and forceful.

On special occasions, when interest was intense and expectation high he was equal to all expectations and often exceeded them. His orthodoxy was never questioned. In him the Methodist Episcopal Church had one of its most loyal, able and distinguished representatives. He stood for the defense of our doctrines and the protection of our church polity and life.

By this he was led into numerous public discussions, with the ablest debators of his time. He held fourteen great discussions on vital questions and several others of minor importance. In all these he proved himself equal to the task undertaken. From them the church never suffered loss or was humiliated. The service rendered the church and the cause of Christ in these discussions should be held in highest appreciation and cause the church to keep Dr. Hughey in perpetual memory.

Dr. Hughey was a busy man and yet he found time to write valuable books in which he will continue to live. Such books as "The Rule of Faith," "The Christian Sabbath," "Baptismal Remission," "Political Romanism," "Remarkable Experiences," "The Scriptural Mode of Christian Baptism," and smaller works.

While living with his daughter, Mrs. T. J. Porter, at Galena, Mo., surrounded by the inspiring scenery of fascinating hills and charming valleys, with the majestic James river flowing near by, he spent two years in the south room of the quiet, restful cottage nestling on the eastern hillside, where God eloquently speaks and lovingly smiles through the beauty and symmetry of nature, writing his last and greatest book, "The Scriptural Mode of Christian Baptism," an exhaustive work which will long live and illuminate the church and be a blessing especially to the young ministers who

shall enter our Conferences and serve the generations to come. The Southern Illinois Conference honored him twice by sending him to the General Conference. He was a member of the General Conference of 1888 and 1892 from the St. Louis Conference. In his devotion to the doctrines of the church and its polity he was positive and unyielding, for he had definite convictions. At the same time he was abundant in sympathy, for the young preacher and the oppressed, wanting all to have a fair chance. Unworthy men with tearful eyes and trembling voice sometimes by appealing to his sympathies imposed upon him and embarrassed him. If he erred it was on the side of kindness and desire to minister to the needy.

Sitting on the porch last summer and looking eastward across the gently flowing James river to the beautiful hills beyond, he said, referring to the little ones who long ago had gone up the shining way:

"I wonder if the poor little girls will come for me? . . . I wonder if they will come today?" On Sunday, September 19, he preached his last sermon at Camp Clark, an attractive summer resort one mile north of Galena. His text was 2 Tim., 3:16. "All Scripture is given by inspiration of God and is profitable for doctrine, for correction, for reproof, for instruction in righteousness." In thought he was clear and consecutive. He preached with much of his old-time power. Holding the Bible before the audience and then pressing it to his heart, he closed with: "Stick to the blessed old Bible." On Tuesday, September 21, he was smitten with paralysis from which he never recovered. Saturday, September 24, he called his children by name to his bedside and urged them to give themselves to Jesus for all else was of but little value. He said: "I hate to leave you, but I must go. I have nothing to leave but an inheritance among the sanctified."

To his wife he tenderly said: "We have lived happily together for fifty-nine years, but the parting hour has come. The separation will not be long. Be faithful." Then he said: "I have always been a Gospel preacher. I do not regret it. Tell my brethren to preach a whole Bible, a whole Christ, a whole atonement and a whole salvation. Now I am ready to go. Lord let me go washed in the blood of the Lamb. I am just waiting."

He soon became unable to communicate his thoughts in words, in which condition he remained until the end. In his suffering his faith in God never wavered. He fell asleep in Jesus Tuesday morning, October 5, 1909. On Wednesday at 2 p. m. the district superintendent and two other members of the Conference conducted the funeral in the little church at Galena, Mo.

On Friday at 2 p. m. his funeral was conducted in Grace Church, Springfield, by his superintendent and about fifteen members of the St. Louis Conference.

The services were fitting and impressive. After the services in the church a large number followed the remains to the beautiful solemn city of the dead, where his body was quietly and lovingly laid to rest to await the coming of Him who said:

"I am the resurrection and the life. He that believeth in me, though he were dead yet shall he live; and he that liveth and believeth shall never die." E. J. HUNT.

REV. CHARLES A. MITCHELL.

A life of tireless energy has finished its earthly pilgrimage.

On the morning of February 21, 1910, at his late home, Rev. Charles A. Mitchell passed to his reward.

Brother Mitchell was born in Temple, Maine, March 5, 1861, and removed with his parents to Michigan when a small boy.

He graduated in the high school of East Tawas, Mich. His family moved to Missouri, locating at Marionville when he was still in his teens. He graduated from Marionville, which was at that time the Marionville Collegiate Institute, and for a number of years he was a member of its faculty. He also taught two years in Drury College, Springfield.

Brother Mitchell was converted in early life and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church. He entered the ministry and joined the St. Louis Conference in 1896. He did not look upon his call to the ministry as an easy-going task. He put his life-blood into his work. He did not spare himself. In rain and snow he pressed the battle for souls. He believed that men were sinners and that they ought to be pure in body as well as soul.

After serving charges for four years, two years at Neosho and two years at Pierce City, he inaugurated the purity industrial movement in connection with Marionville Collegiate Institute, and for about six years he labored hard and earnestly in the cause which he had chosen as his life's work. His teaching and disciplining along the lines of purity soon made a marked change in the moral and spiritual atmosphere of the school.

When he first began this work the school was at the lowest ebb of its history, but soon the tide began to turn until now it is known all over the Southwest. He had much to do with making the school what it is today. He helped a large number of worthy

young men to an education who were too poor to pay their way through school. He took them in to his Turrentine hall "family" and furnished them in various ways with a means of paying their board and tuition.

The task of building Turrentine hall was a hard one. At that time the country was not as prosperous as it is now, and the work of raising founds to complete the building was a difficult task. Still he persisted, soliciting small amounts here and there until the building was most completed, and it is now a valuable addition to the college property and where it will stand as a monument to his memory.

After his connections with the college were severed he moved to Oklahoma, and in 1906 connected his work with the Stella Friends Academy at Cherokee, where he had through his efforts secured a valuable farm and built one large cement block dormitory, and had plans for other work which was very promising.

In 1884 he was married to Miss Maud Neff. To this union four children were born, two sons and two daughters, all of whom survive him.

The funeral services were held at Marionville, Mo., in the Methodist Church, conducted by the pastor, W. D. Sidman, assisted by Rev. W. J. Simmons. The remains were laid to rest in Odd Fellows cemetery.

MRS. LUCRETIA MILLER.

Lucretia E. Denison was born in Monroe, Wis., September 10, 1837, and died in Steelville, Mo., November 26, 1909. June 5, 1860, in Cadiz, Wis., she was united in marriage to Rev. Jacob Miller, a most worthy minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, then member of the West Wisconsin Conference and later of the St. Louis Conference, and died April 26, 1899. Since the death of her husband, sister Miller has resided with her children—a greater part of the time with her daughter, Mrs. Carrie M. Smith—where, at half past one in early morn she quietly and peacefully went to sleep, safe in the arms of Jesus. She was the mother of six children, of whom two died in infancy, and three, Wilburn E. Miller, Mrs. Maud S. Fisher and Mrs. Anna M. Ferris, after they were married and were parents. One daughter, 8 grown children, one great grandchild and two brothers survive her.

In early life she gave her heart and consecrated her life to the Lord, cheerfully choosing Christ as her friend, brother and loving Savior, and has ever lived so consistent in life, sweet in spirit, trust-

ful in affliction, tenderly, thoughtfully, lovingly fulfilling her ever relation and avocation in life so that they who knew her best, truly say: "Sister Miller was a true, pure, worthy exemplary Christian woman." Her last audible word was "Halleluiah."

The funeral was held in the Methodist Church in Steelville Saturday, November 24, at 2 p. m. The church was beautifully draped by sorrowing friends and services conducted by Rev. Davis, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and the writer, to whom it was a very affecting occasion, having formed the acquaintance and friendship of Brother and Sister Miller 46 years ago in their Wisconsin home, after which, in presence of a large company of loving and sympathizing friends and acquaintances, her body was laid to rest beside her daughter, Anna, in the Steelville cemetery. So the only remaining member of the family, Mrs. Carrie M. Smith, in her sorrowing bereavement and lonely life burden, is extended love and sympathy of all who know her. We may all rest confident that Sister Miller is included among those of whom John spoke, when he says: "I heard a voice from heaven, saying unto me, 'Write, blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, from henceforth; Sea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them.'"

W. WARD SMITH.

MRS. RACHEL S. PRALL.

Rachel Sarah Bigoney was born May 23, 1875, in Fairfield County, Ohio. At an early age she was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church. She with one sister and three brothers were left orphans early in life. She passed through quite a struggle to secure her education. When teaching in the O. A. and C. Home, she was successful in impressing upon the children the importance of a good education. Her method of control was love, with which she won the confidence of her pupils, while at the Farmers' Hall, where she taught successfully. Through the children she reached the parents and held as a priceless jewel their affection and esteem. She cultivated the children's aesthetic tastes, by planting flowers and developing their tastes along the line of the beautiful. Her life in the school room was a flowing stream that carried blessing in the music of her soul's song. That stream was destined to pass out into the larger channel of the Methodist ministry, reaching from Ohio's beautiful hills to the majestic mountains of Missouri. On August 22 she was united in marriage to the Rev. Thomas Edmund Prall of the St. Louis Conference, who was stationed at Pacific and Sullivan. Into that parsonage she came as a gracious

helpmeet, standing at his side she inspired his courage, tendered his heart, and her broad vision often illuminated problems with lucidness that was helpful. During the decade of their married life four children came as messages of cheer and hope—Burdsall, Arthur, Ira and Edith. Busy as a mother, she always found time to enter the hearts of her associates and plant flowers that are blooming today. Last October, the 11th day, little Ira was needed by the great Father and taken home. Her heart was heavy, yet that grief was being cured by the loving ministrations to others. When our Conference was in session last March word came that she was seriously ill. On the 29th of March she looked across life's billowy sea, saw the heaven of rest, heard the loving voice and answered in person the loving Father's call. Three children will comfort the father's lonely hours, while God comforts his heart. Rev. E. J. Hunt, a former district superintendent, writes concerning her: "She was always cordial and seemed to live in constant sunshine. The parsonage she presided over was a delightful place. She was one of the most patient, affectionate and intelligent mothers in her devotion to her children. To her husband she was kind and helpful. Not a word of complaint in my hearing ever escaped her lips. Everything indicated loyalty to the church and fidelity to her husband." I knew Sister Prall as a typical preacher's wife, who understood the frailties of human nature, with a loving hand extended to all who needed her sympathy. The funeral services were conducted from our church by her district superintendent, at Greenfield, where she had labored well. The remains were shipped to Ohio, where they await that "glorious dawning."

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons.*	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members.†	Benevolences.‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	...	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av. K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

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33	1901, March 20	Bolivar.....	Andrews.....	Wm. Stephens....	L. E. Gower.....	I. J. K. Lunbeck	6	3	11	3	6	3	..	20	2	3	32,338	18,815
34	1902, March 26	Butler.....	Warren.....	Wm. Stephens....	Perry E. Pierce.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	4	..	..	17	1	..	32,573	22,189
35	1903, March 25	Marshall.....	Hamilton.....	Wm. Stephens....	Perry E. Pierce.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	8	10	6	2	..	..	10	1	2	30,025	26,025
35	1904, March 23	Carthage.....	Walden.....	Wm. Stephens....	Perry E. Pierce.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	4	10	3	3	3	1	9	1	..	33,882	27,259
37	1905, March 22	Farmington....	McDowell.....	Wm. Stephens....	Wm. D. Sidman.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	5	8	2	11	2	1	14	2	2	34,350	29,940
38	1906, March 29	Joplin.....	Fitzgerald.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	10	10	11	3	..	..	12	3	2	36,432	32,567
39	1907, March 20	Clinton.....	Wilson.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	16	7	16	6	3	1	1	8	2	3	36,407	46,832
40	1908, March 18	Springfield....	Warren.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	7	11	7	11	..	5	14	1	3	37,503	34,714
41	1909, March 17	Sedalia.....	Anderson.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman.	I. J. K. Lunbeck	13	11	16	10	6	..	1	21	1	3	37,799	32,463
42	1910 March 30	El Dorado Spgs.	Lewis.....	Perry E. Pierce..	Wm. D. Sidman.	Frederick Getty..	8	11	11	10	6	1	5	16	5	3	39,711	43,272

PASTORAL RECORD

(Including 1909.)

This Record is intended to include only the appointments during membership in Conference, and not those as supplies.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99; Nevada; '00-'05, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '06-'09, St. L., Dr. Fry Memorial.

Anderson, Laban—M. E. Ch. So.; St. L. Con. M. E. Ch., 1904, Montrose; '05, Deepwater; '06, Huntingdale; '07, '08, Dresden; '09 Pilot Grove.

Ashley, John—St. L. Con. 1884-'86, Osceola, '87, Butler; '88, '89, Sedalia, Montgomery Ct.; '90, '91, Lebanon; '92, '93, Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca, '00-'02, Bloomfield; '03, Pacific; '04-'08, Sup'ry.; '09, Willow Springs.

Anderson, Geo. W.—Cen. O. Conf., 1899-'02, Lima, Epworth; Troy Conf., '03-'08, Troy, State Street; St. L. Conf., '09, St. Louis, Union.

Babbitt, H. A.—1888, '89, High Point, '90, '91, Cuba; '92, '93, Butler Ct.; '94-'97, Oak Grove; '98-'00, East Lynne; '01, Rockville; '02, '03, Smithton; '04-'07 (in part), Higginsville and Odessa; '08, '09, Sup'ry.

Baird, E. H.—Pitts, Conf., 1859, Senecaville; '60, Edinburg; '61, Butler; '62, Newton; '63, '64, New Lexington; '65, Bible Agt.; Mo. and Ark. Conf., '66, '67, Buffalo; '68-'75, Bible Agt.; '76, '77, Republic; '78-'09, Sup'ted.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'05, Austin, '96, '97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton, '02, '03, Rockville; '04, Deepwater, '05, '06, Butler Ct.; '07, Amsterdam; '08, '09, High Point.

Baker, William Frank—1904, Garden City; '05, '06, Iberia; '07, Conway; '08, '09, Springfield, Mt. Carmel.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00-'05, P. E., Farmington Dist.; '06, St. L., St. Luke; '07-'09, Wagoner Memorial.

Barker, J. A.—Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., 1901, '92, St. Louis, Bowman; '03, Carondelet; '04-'06, Butler, '07-'09, Agent State Children's Home.

Barton, H. A.—Up. Ia. Conf., 1802, '03, Owasa; '04, Elberon; '05-'07, (in part) Albion; St. L. Conf., '07, '08, K. C. Hyde Park; '09, Lebanon.

Beggs, F. S.—1859, '60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63, '64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67, '68, Cape Girardeau; '69, '70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, St. L. Central; '83, K. C. Summit St.; '84, St. L. Corondelet; '85, '86, Sup'ry. with work); '87-'91, P. E., Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93, '94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95, '96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L. Tower Grove; '99, Goode Ave.; '00-'05, Rolla; '06-'09, Smithton.

Bell, M.—1877, '78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80, '81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87, '88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93, '94, Adrian; '95-'09, Sup'ted.

Betts, Samuel E.—Kans. Conf., 1887, Paxico; '88, '89, Hope; '90, '91, Herington; '92, Perry, 93, Oakland; '94, '95, Clifton, '96-'98, K. C., Kans., Central; '99-'03, Supt. Bethany Hospital; '04, Council Grove; '05, Agent Methodist Home for Aged; '06-'08, Abilene; St. L. Conf., '09, St. L., Bowman.

Bickers, W. H.—Cong. Ch.—St. L. Conf., 1908, Flat River; '09, Bloomfield.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Genl. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-'93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'04, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association, Sup'ry.; '05-'09, Conf. Evangelist.

Boner, J. H.—1905, Sheldon; '06, '07, Alba and Neck City; '08, Carthage Ct.; '09, Hume and Foster.

Borah, J. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1894, '95, Irvington Ct.: '96, Watson Ct.; '97- '98, Patoka Ct.; '99-'01, Okawville; '02-'04, E. St. L., Century Ch.; St. L. Conf.; '05, '06, St. L. Maplewood; '07-'09, St. Luke's.

Brannon, L. L.—1900, Eldorado Sp's Ct.; '01, '02, Huntingdale; '03-'05, Green Ridge; '06, Deepwater; '07-'09, Eldorado Springs.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82, '83, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85, Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield, '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Pierce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '95, Willow Springs; '96, Farm- '97, '98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part), Pacific (in part), Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place; '03-'06, Sup'ted; '07, '08, Richland; '09, Sup'ted.

Britton, D. W.—Ill. Conf., 1895-'98, DeLand; '99-'01, Havana; '02-'06, Sup'ry.; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, Austin.

Brown, Walter E.—1904, '05, Carthage Ct.; '06, '07, K. C. Grace; '08, '09, K. C. Phoenix Pk.

Bryan, C. V.—1907-'09, Buffalo.

Bundy, G. F.—Ind. Conf. ——; St. L. Conf., '08, Bonne Terre; '09, Tipton.

Camp, F. W. P.—1907, Weaubleau; '08, Carl Junction; '09, Moundville.

Campbell, S. B.—1887-'88, Osceola; '89-'91, Nevada; '92, St. Louis, Goode Ave.; '93-'97, Maple Ave.; Mo. Conf., '98-'02, St. Joseph, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, K. C. Linwood Ave.; '05-'07, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '08, '09, D. S., K. C. Dist.

Carlos, C. R.—Ill. Conf., 1889, '90, Cisco; '91, St. Joseph; '92, '93, Grove City; '94, Raymond; '95-'97, Springfield, Kumler Ch.; '98 (in part), Greenfield; '99, '00, Anti-Saloon Work; St. Louis Conf., '00 (in part), '01, St. Louis, Trinity Ch.; '02-'07 P. E., St. L. Dist.; '08, K. C., Linwood Bvd.; '09, Sedalia, Epworth.

Carpenter, L. R.—1874, Dadeville; '75, '76, Mecklin, '77-'79, Butler Ct.; '80, '81, Austin; '02, K. C., 16th St.; '83, '84, K. C., Dundee Place; '85- '87, Sup'ry; '88-'09, Sup'ted.

Carter, J. M.—Tenn. Conf.; 1870, Galloway and Brownsville; '71, Benton and Henry; '72, Tullahoma; '73, '74, Prof. in University; '75, Dickson; '76, Long Branch; Cen. Tenn. Conf., '77, '78, Shelbyville; '79, McMinnville; '80, '81, Tullahoma; '82-'85, P. E., McMinnville Dist.; '86, Tullahoma; '87-'89 P. E., Nashville Dist.; '90, '91, Tullahoma; '92, '93, P. E., Tullahoma Dist.; '94-'99, P. E., Huntington Dist.; '00-'02, Huntington; '03, Lexington; '04, Field Worker, S. S. Un.; St. L. Conf., '05-'07, Malta Bend; '08, '09, Appleton City.

Caughlan, J. W.—Mo. Conf., 1894, Blue Ridge Ct.; '95, '96, Laredo; '97, '98, Ludlow; '99-'01, Jamesport; '02-'04, in School; '05, Maitland; '06, '07 (in part), Hannibal; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, Nevada.

Chatten, W. K.—South Kas. Conf., 1904, Crestline; '05, New Lancaster; St. L. Conf., '06-'08, Drexel; '09, Adrian.

Claypool, E. V.—1886-'89, N. W. Ind. Conf.; '90-'97, Puget Sound Conf.; '98-'04, Upper Ia. Conf.; '05, '06, Kansas Conf.; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, K. C., Arlington.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76, '77, Cambridge; '78, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa, '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L., Trinity; '86, Clinton, '87-'89, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01, '02, Pleasant Hill; '03, '05, Lee's Summit; '06-'09, Sup'ry.

Coontz, J. W.—S. W. Mo. Conf. (M. E. Ch. So.), 1898-'00, K. C., Washington St.; '01-'02, Neosho; St. L. Conf. (M. E. Ch.), '03, Holden; '04-'09, K. C., Hammond Place (Oakhurst).

Cotton, C. T.—1903, '04, Avilla; '05, '06, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '07-'09 in school.

Courtney, W. S.—1887, Schell City; '88, '89, K. C., Liberty St.; '90-'02, Summit St.; '93, Nevada; '94-'98, St. L., Bowerman; W. Wis. Conf., '99-'01, Eau Clair, First Ch.; '02-'04, New Richmond; Mo. Conf., '05, Fairport; '06, '07 (in part), New Albany; St. L. Conf., '07-'09 (in part), Osceola; '09, Drexel.

Creamer, W. M.—1873-'85, in Ohio Conf., M. P. Ch.; St. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86, '87, Salem; '88, 89, Farmington; '90, Sup'ry; '91, Fredericktown; '92-'94, Malta Bend; '95, Gr. Ridge; '96, Osceola; '97, Rockville; '98, '99, Sup'ry; '00, Linn Creek; '01 Iberia; '02, Phillipsburg; '03, Sheldon; '04, Lantha; '05-'09, Sup'ted.

Criss, C. V.—1877, '78, Lamar; '79-'80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82, '83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92, '93, P. E., Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'04, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '05, '06, Springfield, Benton Ave.; '07-'09, Butler.

Crow, D. W.—1881, '82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86, '87, Crystal City, '88-'92, '93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E., Farmington Dist.; '00-'03, De Soto; '04-'08, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '09, De Soto.

Curl, M. L.—Ill. Conf., 1868, Paxton Ct.; '69, Farmer City Ct.; '70, '71, Farmer City; '72, Arcola; '73, Champaign, University Ch.; Mo. Conf., '74-'76, Louisiana; '77, Glasgow; '78-'80, Chillicothe; '81, '82, Hannibal; '83-'86, P. E., Kirksville Dist.; '87-'89, Pres. Lewis Col.; Ark Conf., '90-'92, Pres. Little Rock University; '93, P. E., L. R. Dist.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), '98, Marionville and Pres. of Institute; '99-'01, Clinton; '02-'05, St. L., Dr. Fry Memorial; '06, '07, Executive Sec'y Methodist Deaconess Ass'n., St. L.; '08, withdrawn; readmitted, '09, (in part) Chairman Metaphysics, Marionville and Carleton Colleges; '09, Poplar Bluff.

Dixon, A. M.—Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch. So., 1900, West End; '01-'03, Du Quoin, S. Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch., '03, Mt. Vernon Ct.; St. Louis Conf., '04-'07, Fruitland; '08, Sarcoxie; '09, Golden City.

Dubois, F. E.—N. W. Ia. Conf., 1882, '83, Lehigh; '84, Palo; '85, Sup'ry; '86, West Dubuque; '87, '88, Strawberry Ct.; '89-'91, Farley; '92, '93, Dysart, '94-'96, Jesup; '97, '98, Missionary to Wyoming; '99, '00, Ireton; '01, Supt. Children's Home Society; '02,-'04, Kingsley; Ark. Conf., '05-'07, Little Rock, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '08, '09, Conf. Evangelist.

Dutton, D. C.—Up. Ia. Conf., 1901-'03, McGregor; '04, '04, Field Sec. Upper Ia. University; '06, '07, Anamosa; St. L. Conf., '08, '09, Webb City.

Elayer, E. W.—1897, Urbana; '98, '99, California; '00, '01, Mountain Grove; '02, Aurora and Mt. Vernon; '03-'06, Columbia River and Oregon Confs.; St. Louis Conf., '07, '08, Mt. Vernon; '09, Joplin, Byers Ave.

Farr, J. W.—Minn. Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., '07, Green Ridge; '08, '09, Sup'ry.

Ferguson, C. E.—1907, Joplin, Central Ave.; '08, '09 Alba and Neck City.

Ferguson, W. T.—1897, '98, Carl Junction; '99, Carthage Ct.; '00, '01, Carl Junction; '02-'05, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '06, '07, Carterville; '08, '09, Sup'ry.

Finley, J, W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70, '71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73, '74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84, '85, Sup'ry; '86, '87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91, '92; Knob Noster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Springs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Windsor and Leeton; '04-'09, Sup'ted.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93, '94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'02, Green Ridge; '03, '04, Liberal; '05, '06, Joplin, Central Ave.; '07, Oronogo, '08, Hume and Foster; '09, Carthage Ct.

Foster, H. B.—Kas. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Ch.; St. L. Conf., '92, Mountain Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94, '95, Mountain Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00-'05, P. E., Lebanon Dist.; '06, St. L., Trinity; '07-'09, Springfield, Benton Ave.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83, Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94, '95, Carterville; '96, Golden City, '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01, '02, Pierce City; '03, '04, Seneca: '05-'09, Conf., Evangelist.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83, '84, Prairie Grove; '85, '86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Avilla: '88, '89, Billings; '90, '91, Dadeville; '92, '93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99, '00, Bolivar Ct.; '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool; '03, '04, Ava; '05-'09, Sup'ted.

Gaither, W. N.— Ind. Conf., 1892, Decker; '93-'95, Glendale; '96, '97, Loogootee; '08-'00, Ellettsville; '01-'03, Cory; '09, Mitchell; '95-'98, Spencer; St. L. Conf., '09, Clinton.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85-'86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98, '99, Carterville, '00, '01, Eldorado Springs; '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07-'09, Sup'ted.

Getty, F.—Philadelphia Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '07, Carl Junction; '08, Carterville; '09, K. C., Bennington Heights.

Gideon, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1878, '79, Magazine; '80, '81, Charleston; '82, '83, Ellsworth; '84, '85, Magazine; '86-'88, Amity; '89, Hot Springs; St. L. Conf., '90-'92, Festus, '93, '94, De Soto; '95, Hartville; '96, '97, Buffalo; '98, '99, Hume and Foster; '00, '01, Golden City; '02, '03, Carl Junction; '04, '05, Carterville; '06, Oronogo; '07, Hillsboro; '08, DeSoto Ct., '09, Sligo.

Gideon, T. J.—1897, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99, '00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02-'04, Hartville; '05, Conway; '06, Buffalo; '07-'08, Bloomfield.

Gilbreath, J. C.—1907, '08, Fairplay; '09 Republic.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873, '74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78, '79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83, '84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88, '89, Pleasant Hill; '99-'09, Missionary to Wyoming.

Glens, G. A.—1886, '87, Cuba; '88, '89, Salem; '90, '91, Sarcoxie; '92, Mt. Vernon, '93, '94, Appleton City; '95, '96, Malta Bend; '97, '98, Tipton; '99-'01, Smithton; '02, '03, Belton; '04-'06, Austin Conf.; St. L. Conf., '07, '08, Adrian; '09 Sup'ry.

Gray, W. L.—1905-'07, Tuxedo Park; '08, Sligo; '09, Holden.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855, '56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58, '59, Newark; '60, '61, Princeton; '62, '63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf., '64, St. Joe; '65-'68, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '69-'72, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '73-'75, P. E., St. Louis Dist.; '76, '77, Jefferson City; '78, '79, Pleasant Hill; '79, '80, K. C., Liberty St.; '81-'83, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '84-'86, St. L., Water Tower; '87-'09, Chap. St. L. Institutions.

Halterman, C. L.—Congregational Ch., ——; M. E. Ch., St. Louis Conf., '03, Salem; '04, St. L. Carondelet; '05, Harlem Place; '06, '07 (in part), Doe Run; '08, '09, Missionary in Nevada.

Hargett, H. W.—Ohio Conf., 1891-'94, Bloomingburg, '95-'97, Malta; '98-'04. Portsmouth, Bigelow Chapel; '05-'08, Ottumwa, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '09, Carthage.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64, 65, Brighton; '66, '67, Salem; '68, Duquoin; '69-'71 Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E., Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree Col.; '86, '87, Sup'ry (with work); St. L. Conf., '88, '89, St. L. Trinity; '90, '91, St. Luke; '92, '93, Sup'ry (with work); '94 St. L., '95, Union, Ass't. Pastor; '96-'09, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73, '74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76, '77, Ironton; '78, DeSoto; '79, Schell City; '80, '81, Lebeck; '82, transf'd to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92, '93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96-'09, Sup'ted.

Harrison, C. T.—1904, '05, Oronogo; '06-'08, Neosho; '09, Missionary in Nevada.

Harvey, H. L.—W. Neb. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '03-'07, St. L. Neidringhaus Memorial; '08, Salem.

Hoos, P. R.—1905, Huntingdale; '06, '07, Sligo; '08, '09, St. L., Carondelet.

Hughey, G. W.—S. Ill., 1853-'78; St. L. Conf., '79-'81, St. L. Trinity; '82, '83, Carondelet; '84, Conf., Tem. Agt.; '85, Carondelet; '86-'88, Carthage; '89-'93, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '94, Benton Ave.; '96-09, Superanuated.

Humphrey, H. G.—1896-'01, at School; '02 K. C., Howard Memorial; '03-'05 at school; '06, '07, Independence; '08, '09, K. C., Broadway.

Hunt, E. J.—1878, '79, Walnut; '80-'82, Osceola; '83-'85, Malta Bend; '86, East Lynne; '87-'90, Holden; '91, '92, Lee's Summit; '93; K. C., Arlington; '94-'99, P. E., Carthage Dist.; '00, '01, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '02-'07, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '08, '09, D. S., Carthage Dist.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry City; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S.; '96-'00, Lamar; '01, '02, Lebanon, '03-'06, Bolivar; '07, '08, Warrensburg; '09, Mt. Vernon.

Hunt, R. A.—1907, '08, Tipton; '09, Neosho.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84, '85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnel Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in school; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf., (mid-year), St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96, '97, California; '98, Urbana; '99, '00, Licking; '01, Hartville; '02, Knobnoster; '03, '04, Huntingdale; '05, '06, Dadeville; '07-'09, Sup'ted.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97-'02, Malta Bend; '03-'04, Rich Hill; '05, transf'd to St. Johns Riv. Conf., St. Louis Conf., '06, DeSoto; '07, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '08, '09, D. S., Springfield Dist.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton, '98-'03, Butler, '04-'07, Joplin, 1st Ch.; '08, '09, D. S., Sedalia Dist.

Jones, Sam'l.—1873, '74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79, '00, Sup'ry; '01-'09, Sup'ted.

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1879, Huntsville; '79-'80, Yellville; '81, '82, Mountain Home; '83-'84, Waldron; '05, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '87-'89, P. E., Harrison and Ft. Smith Dist.; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part), St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Marshfield; '98, '99, Bolivar; '00-'03, Monett; '04-'06, Montain Grove; '07-'09; Seymour and Mansfield.

Keast, A. G.—1889, '00, Iantha; '01, '02, Humansville; '03-'06, Lockwood; '07, Missionary to Montana (in part); '07-'09, Rich Hill.

King, J. F.—1907, Cassville; '08, Billings; '09, Aurora.

Kirk, J. C.—1904-'06 (in part), Hume; '06, '07, Sarcoxie; '08, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '09 Windsor.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84, '85, Cassville; '86, '87, Mt. Vernon; '88, '89 Urbana; '90, '91, Strafford; '92-'09, Sup'ted.

Koeth, E. D. C.—1896, Graniteville; '97, '98, Bonne Terre; '99-'01, Tipton; '02, Liberal; '03-'05, Doe Run; '06-'09, Sup'ry.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-'92, Farina; '93, '94, Pinckneyville; '95-'98, Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Ave.; '02, '03, Neosho, '04, DeSoto; '05-'07, St. L., Carondolet; '08, '09, Harlem Place.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00, '01, Mt. Vernon; '02, '03, Missionary to Montana; '04, Sup'ry; '05, Springfield, Daily Ch.; '06-'08, Marionville, '09 Conf. Evangelist.

Leonard, H. C.—1902, St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; '03, '04, Harlem Place; '05, '06 (in part), DeSoto, '07-'09, St. L., Goode Ave.

Lichliter, M. H.—Pittsburg Conf., 1900, Pitcairn, '01, '02, South Fork; '03, '04, Verona; '05-'07, Olean, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '08, '09, St. L., Maple Ave.

Lint, R. H.—Evangelical Ass'n. ——; St. L. Conf., 1908, Golden City; '09, K. C., Mt. Washington.

Livingstone, A. M.—S. W. Kans. Conf., 1897, Coldwater; '97-'99, Latham; '00, '01, at school; '02, '03, Argonia; St. L. Conf., '04-'06, Greenfield; '07, Monett; '08, '09, West Plains.

Lokey, J.—Ark. Conf., 1879, '80, Clear Cr.; '81-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Bates-Conf., '90, '91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93, '94, Purdy; '95-'97, Mt. ville; '85, Harrison; '86-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Kans.; St. L. Vernon; '98, '99, Purdy; '00, Billings; '01-'07, Boaz; '08, Clever, '09, Sup'ted.

Luccock, N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1874, '75, Tippecanoe, O.; '76, Addison, Pa.; '77, '78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-'84, Pittsburg; Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Allegheny Col.; '88-'91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92-'96, Pittsburg. Smithfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897, '08, St. Louis, Union Ch.; '09 K. C., Hyde Park.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870, '71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72, '73, K. C., 16th St.; '74, '75, Rolla; '76-'78, Greenfield; '78, '79, Carthage; '80, '81, Lebanon; '82-,85, P. E., Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-'91, Rolla, 92, Nevada; '93-'95, Holden; '96-'01, Lee's Summit; '02-'04, K. C., Phoenix Park; '05, Cor. Sec. of Evan. Ch. Ext. Society, Kan. Cy., Mo.; '06-'08, K. C., Mt. Washington; '09 Sup'ted.

Mais, H. G.—1895, '06, St. L., Trinity; '97-'02, Carondelet; '03-'05, Lebanon; '06, '07, P. E., Carthage Dist.; '08, '09, Independence.

Martin, J. J.—1878, 79, Seneca; '80, '81, Oronogo; '82, '83, Avilla; '84, '85, Golden City; '86-'89, Marionville; '90, '91, Mt. Vernon; '92-'94, Joplin; '95, '96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden; '03-'05, Independence; '06-'09, Lamar.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Doe Run; '99, '00, Ironton; '01, '02, Fruitland; '03-'05, Farmington; '06, '07, P. E., Farmington Dist.; '08, '09, D. S., Farmington Dist.

Miller, A. H.—Pittsburg, Conf., 1873, '74, Circuit; '75-'80, Pittsburg, Thirty-third St.; '81-'83, Liberty St.; '84-'86, Fifth Ave.; '87-'90, Beaver Falls; St. L. Conf., '91-'97 (in part), St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; '97 (in part) '98, Shrewsbury; '99-'04, Sup'ry; '05-'09, Sup'ted.

Miller, E. F.—1903, '04, Oak Grove; '05-'09, at School.

Mitchell, C. A.—1896, '97, Neosho; '98, '99, Pierce City; '00-'05 (in part), Fin. Agt. Marionville Col. Institute; '07-'09, Sup'ry.

Mitchell, H. A.—1900, '01, Lincoln and Warsaw; '02-'06, Eldorado Spgs.; '07, '08, Lebanon; '09, Mountain Grove.

Moore, F. O.—1904, '05, Centerview, '06, '07, East Lynn; '08, '09, Belton.

Moore, J. N.—1874, Lebanon Ct.; '75, '76, Cuba; '77, '79, Discontiued; '80, '81, Richland; '82, Oronogo; '83, '84, Carterville and Webb City; Pierce City; N. W. Kans. Conf., '88, Ellis; '89, '90, Jewell City; Ark Conf., '91-'03, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part), Prof. L. R. Un.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '95-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '00, City Missions; '01-'03, Hammond Place; '04, Amsterdam; '05, withdrawn; readmitted, '07-'09, Joplin Epworth.

McCulloch, A. J.—M. E. Ch., S., W. Tex. Conf., 1898, Junction City; '99, '00, Sherwood; '01, Rocksprings; M. E. Ch., Col. Conf., '02, Manzanola; '03, Castle Rock; '04-'06, Kersey; '07, '08, Wray; St. L. Conf., '09, Malta Bend.

Needham, J. W.—1890, '91, Winona; '92, '93, at School; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield; '02, '03, Osceola; '04-'06, Monett; '07, '08, Mountain Grove; '09 Marshfield.

Neff, F.—1901, '02, Bolivar; '03-'06 (in part), Clinton; '06-'07, associate, K. C., Independence Ave.; '08, '09, Joplin, First Ch.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S., 1897, '98, Conway; '99, '00, Sarcoxie; '01, '02, Butler Ct.; '03, Austin; '04, Drexel; '05-'08, Oak Grove; '09 Eldon.

Odom, J. F.—1906, '07, K. C., Phoenix Park; '08, K. C. Missions; '09, Dist. Evan., K. C. Dist.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75, '76, Warsaw; '77, '78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80-'82, Butler Ct.; '83, '84, Austin and Pl. Val.; '85, '86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92, '93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; '99-'09, Sup'ted.

Olmstead, E. B.—Wy. Conf., 1882, Oneonta Plains; '83, '84, Laurens and Oneonta Plains; '85-'87, Great Bend, Pa.; '88, '89, Sayre; '90-'93, Norwich, Broad St.; '94-'98, Birmingham, Tabernacle Ch.; Gen. Conf., '99-'03, Rochester, Asbury; Holston Conf., '04-'08, Knoxville, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., 09, K. C., Grand Ave.

Osborne, H. R.—Mo. Conf., 1892, Osborn; '93, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; '94, '95, at School; Iowa Conf., '96, Nichols; '97, '98, Sweetland; Cen. O. Conf., '99, '00, Timberville; '01, '02, Grand Rapids; Gulf Conf., '03, '04, Port Arthur; St. L. Conf., '05, Marshall; '06, Sup'ry; Alabama Conf., '07, '08, Birmingham, Simpson; St. L. Conf., '09, St. Louis, Windsor Memorial.

Pare, W. T.—1886, '87, Hermitage; '88, '89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'03, Newberg and Dixon; '04, '05 Sligo; '06, Pacific; '07, '08, Pierce City and Purdy; '09, Humansville.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1859, '60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61, '62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; S. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67, '68, K. C., Grand Ave.; '69-'71, St. L., Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73, '74, Warrensburg; '75, '76, Carthage; '77, '80, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '81, '82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85, Lee's Summit; '86-'90, Sup'ry; '91, '92, Lowry City; '93-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'09, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00-'03, Joplin, Byers Ave.: '04-'07, Appleton City; '08, Sedalia, Epworth; '09, Warrensburg.

Pine, J.—1879-'81, Cape Girardeau; '82, '83, Rolla; '84, Bolivar; '85, Knob Noster; '86, '87, Lincoln; '88-'90, Carterville; '91, St. L., Jennings; '92-'95, Sarcoxie; '96, '97, Joplin, 2d Ch.; '98, '99, Mountain Grove; '00, transf'd to Okla. Conf.; St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), '07, Republic; '08, '09, Supt. Turrentine Hall.

Phillips, J. I.—Friends Church, ——; M. E. Ch., St. L. Conf., '09, Lee's Summit.

Porter, J. S.—1873, '74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownville; '77-'79, Malta Bend; '80, '81, Knob Noster; '82, '83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87, '88, East Lynne; '89, Knob Noster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'09, Sup'ted.

Porter, J. H.—1896, Mountain View, '97, Potterville; '98, Appleton City Ct.; '99, '00, Lowry City; '01, '02, Eldorado Spgs. Ct.; '03-'07, Sup'ry; '09, Sup'ted.

Prail, T. E.—1897-'99, Sullivan; '00, '01 (in part), Old Orchard; '01-'03, Pilot Grove; mid-year to Montrose; '04, '05, Schell City; '06, '07, Jasper; '08, '09 (in part), Greenfield; '09, Bolivar.

Price, W. D.—Des Moines Conf., 1902-'04, Mingo; '05, Council Bluffs, Epworth; N. Dak. Conf., '06, '07, Willow City; St. Louis Conf., '08, '09, Richland.

Pyles, W. T.—S. W. Mo. Conf., M. E. Ch. S., 1883, Vienna; '84, Altoona; '85, Exeter; S. L. Conf., M. E. Ch., '86-'88, Knob Noster; '89, '90, Smithton and Pilot G.; '91, Malta Bend; '92, '93, Buffalo; S. Kan. Conf., '94, Cedarville; St. L. Conf., '95, Golden City; '96-'97, Carterville; '98, Butler Ct.; '99, '00, Austin; '01, '02, Rich Hill; '03-'05, Marionville, '06-'09, Sup'ry.

Requa, W. L.—1902, '03, Fairplay and S.; '04, Mt. Vernon; '05, '06, Belton; '07, '08, Avilla, '09, Jasper.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93, '94, at School; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at School; '97, K. C., Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '99-09, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf., to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97, '98, Pleasant Hill; '99, '00, Higginsville; '01-09, Sup'ted.

Robbins, G. A.—Mo. Conf., 1888-90, Galt; '91, '92, Jamesport; '93, '94, Mendon; '05-'99, Macon; '00-'02, Hamilton; '03-'05, Brookfield; '06-'08, Maryville; St. Louis Conf., '09, Sedalia, First Church.

Sapp, E. H.—1899-'02, Webb City; '03, '04, Butler Ct.; '05-'07, Liberal; '08, '09, Oronogo.

Senneff, Clinton—1904, '05, Rockville; '06, '07, Schell City; '08, K. C., Grace; '09 (in part), Marshall; '09, Fruitland.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899, '00, Hartville; '00 (in part), '01, California; '02-'05, Richland; '06-'09, Rolla.

Sidman, W. D.—1895-'97, Stockton; '98-'99, Republic; '00-'03, Greenfield, '04-'06 (in part), Osceola; '07, '08, Poplar Bluff; '09, Marionville.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876, '77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79, '80, Russellville, '81-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85, '86, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville, '88-'90, Greenfield; '91, '92, West Plains; '93-'98, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '99-'02, Marionville; '03, Carterville; '04, Neosho; '05, '06 (in part), Sarcoxie; '07, '08, Lockwood; '09, Alba and Neck City.

Simmons, D. T.—1892, '93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-'01, Fairplay; '02-'04, Marhsfield; '05, '06, Eldon; '07-'09 (in part), Bolivar; '09, Osceola.

Simpson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97-'00, Osceola; '01, '02, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '03-'06, St. L., Bowman Ch.; '07, '09,, K. C., Oakley.

Slusher, J. W.—Ark. Conf., 1887, Yellville; '88, Greenbrier; '89, Wild Cherry; '90, Oxford; '91, L. Rock Ct.; '92, L. Rock; North Side; '93-'97, Atkins; '98-'00 (in part), Almyria; Okla. Conf., '00-'02, Lehigh and C.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, Conway; '05, '06, Seymour; '07-'09; Hartville.

Smith, J.—Mo. Conf., 1884-'88; St. Louis Conf., '98-'90; Bengal, Burma, Conf., P. E. Burma Dist., '91-'01; Burma Mission Conf., '01-'03, P. E. Burma Dist., '04, ——; '05, Sec. Indian Missionary Jubilee; St. L. Conf., '06-'09, Instructor in Missions, Baker University.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '98, '90, Hartville; '91-'93, Republic; '94, Schell City; '95-'96, Montrose; '97-'98, Green Ridge; '99, '00, Lamonte; '01, Windsor and Leeton; '02-'06; Sup'ry; '07-'09, Sup'ted.

Smith, E. C.—Kans. Conf., 1892, Robinson; '93, Muscatah and Effingham; '94-'08, Seneca; '99-'01, Leavenworth, First Ch.; N. Neb. Conf., '02-'05, Omaha, First Ch.; Genesee Conf., '06-'08, Buffalo, Riverside; St. L. Conf., '09, K. C., Linwood Blvd.

Smith, W. G.—Kan. Conf., 1904, Tecumseh; '05, Topeka, Euclid Ave.; '06, at school; St. Louis Conf., '07 Lee's Summit; '08, '09, Kansas City, Maywood.

Squier, E. A.—So. Ill. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., 1900, West Plains; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Webster Grove; '04-'08, Sup'ry; '09, Sup'ted.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67-'69, Marshall; '70, '71, Independence; '72, '73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77, '78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E., Sedalia Dist.: '87, '88, Smithton; '89-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97-'98, Drexel; '99-'02, Odessa; '03-'09, Sup'ted.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kans. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84-'86, Galesburg; '87-'90, Virgil; '91, '92, Americus; '93-'96, Waverly; '97-'99, Galena; '00-'02 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02, '03, Nevada; '04, '05, Lamar; '06, '07, West Plains; '08, Monett.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65, '66, Manor Hill; '67, '68, Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69, '70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield; '75-'77, S. L. Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81, '82, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '83-'85, Carthage; '86, K. C., Summit St.; '87-'92, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '93-'98, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '99, '00, K. C., Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Ave.; '02, Clinton; '03-'09, Kansas City, Summit St.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kan. Conf., 1877, '78, Oxford; '79-'81, in School; '82, '83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87, '88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E., Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, First Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part), '02, Carthage; '03-'05, Kansas City, Howard Mem., '06-09, Springfield Grace.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81, '82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'89,

Ideria; '90, Linn Cr.; '91-'00, Sup'ry; '01-09, Sup'ted.

Stille, J. C.—1905, Alberta; '06-'08, Knob Noster; '09, Odessa and Higgins-

Suter, O. V.—1905-'07, Nashville; '08, Butler Ct.; '09 Avilla.

Sweetland, L. H.—1907, '08 (in part), Moundville, 08, '09, Doe Run.

Templeton, R. B.—Blue Ridge Conf., 1892, St. L. Conf.; '05, Rich Hill; '06-'08, Holden; '09 St. L., Webster Grove.

Thackrey, J. E.—N. W. Neb. Conf., 1894, Crawford; '95-'98 (in part), at School; Kans. Conf., 1898-'01 (in part), Chapman; St. L. Conf., '01 (in part)- '05, Kansas City, Grace Ch.; '06, '07, Maywood; '08, '09 St. L., Maplewood.

Thomas, G. B.—1904, '05, Poplar Bluff; '06-'09, Pres. Carleton College.

Thompson, Fayette L.—Mich. Conf., 1885, Hanover; '86, '87, Big Rapids; '88-'90, Manister; '01, abroad; '92-'94, Betoskey; '95-98, Lansing, Central; '99, '00, Jackson, First; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03, Davenport, St. John's; N. Minn. Conf., '04-'06, ——; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, St. L., Lindell Ave.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'03, Appleton City; '04, '05, Pleasant Hill; '06-'09, Farmington.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70, '71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72, '73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77-78, Mecklin; '79, '80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82, '83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86, '87, Conway; '88, '89, Dadeville; '90, '91, Galena; '92, '93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'09, Sup'ted.

Tippin, C. F.—1896, '97, Newberg and Dixon; '98-'00, Seymour; '01-'04, Eldon; '05-'07, Marshfield; '08, '09, Conway.

Toland, H. A.—1885, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87, '88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90, '09, Sup'ted.

Tolbart, W. O.—1907, '08, Mt. View; '09, Pierce City.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82, '83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-'89, St. L. Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91, '92, Holden; '93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96, '97, Kans. City, Howard Mem.; '98-'00, (29th St.,) Grace Ch.; '01-'05, Bennington Heights; '06-'07, P. E. Lebanon Dist.; '08, '09, D. S. Lebanon Dist.

Wakefield, R.—1903-'06, St. L. Tower Grove, (Wagoner Mem.) '07-'09, Trinity.

Welch, John—Iowa Conf., Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville, Mo., and Ark. Conf., 1866, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68 Linn Creek; St. L. Conf., '69, Washington; '70, '71, Linn Creek; '72, '73, Versailles; Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80-09, Sup'ted.

Wharton, C. E.—1906, Green Ridge, '07, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '08, Newberg and Dixon, '09, Newberg.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88, Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93, '94, Carterville; '95-'98, Joplin; '99-'04, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '05-'07, K. C. Linwood Blvd.; '08, '09, D. S., St. L. Dist.

Yeager, W. F.—1880-'02, Cassville; '83, '84, Dadeville; '85-'86, Buffalo; '97-'88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90, '91, Fairplay; '92, '93, Dadeville; '94-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '09, '00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena; '02, Marionville Ct.; '03-'09, Sup'ted.

MISCELLANEOUS

EXAMINERS AND THEIR WORK FOR 1909 TO 1912.

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ASSIGNMENTS.

Subject for Essays:—

Second Year—The Element of Inspiration in the Holy Scriptures.

Fourth Year—The Origin and Place of the Deaconate in the Early Christian Church.

Texts for Sermons—Admission: John 3:16. First Year: Ephesians 2:8. Third Year: 2 Tim. 3:5.

E. V. Claypool:—Analogy of Religion.

H. G. Mais:—Divine Library of the Old Testament, and the ancestry of our English Bible.

T. P. Shaffer:—Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief.

J. W. Needham:—Manual of Bible History, and Manual of Christian Doctrine.

Naphtali Luccock:—History of the Christian Church, Vols. I and II.

L. G. Reser:—System of Christian Doctrine.

D. W. Crow:—Christian Perfection, and Candidates for Local Deacon's Orders.

H. G. Humphrey:—English Branches, and The Governing Conference in Methodism.

J. M. Carter:—Studies in Ethical Principles.

J. W. Stewart:—Lectures on Homiletics, and Sermons of the First Year.

M. H. Lichliter:—Lessons in Logic, and Essays of the Second Year.

Ralph Wakefield:—Outlines of Universal History.

H. B. Foster:—Student's American History, and Candidates for Local Elder's Orders.

C. V. Criss:—Hermenuetics, and Sermons of the Third Year.

Frank Neff:—Outlines of Descriptive Psychology.

L. M. Thompson:—Short History of the English People.

A. D. Ball:—Discipline of 1908, and Wesley and his Century.

J. J. Martin:—Essays of the Fourth Year, and Sermons for Admission.

N. B. At the earliest possible moment let each Examiner send to the Chairman the needed number of sets of questions for the studies assigned him.

Students will apply to the Chairman for questions, and only on the studies assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months. Let all claims for College credits be presented at once to the Chairman. An authorized certificate must accompany such claims.

RULES OF EXAMINING BOARD.

1. Examinations and Examiners.

1st. All examinations on the Conference course must be taken in the months of June, September, December and February, as per plan published in the Conference minutes. Page opposite.

2nd. All examinations must be taken before the Board member in charge of the study, or an appointee of the Chairman, who must be a member of a Conference, and such sub-examiner must authenticate the examination and transmit all questions and answers to the said Board Examiner. See Discipline, 1908, Appendix par. 65, sec. 5.

3rd. All papers must emanate from the Chairman, but the name of the examiner in each case will be made known to the student. Within 60 days from adjournment of the Conference each examiner will deposit with the Chairman a suitable number of sets of questions on each of the studies he has charge of. The minimum number of questions on one study being ten and the maximum twenty.

4th. No examination will be granted at the seat of Conference except in cases of the most extreme necessity, and no re-examination shall be granted. A candidate for admission on trial will be granted examinations at any time, on the request of his Presiding Elder, but the earliest date is desirable.

5th. Conference Examiners will report to the Registrar at the end of each schedule term as to the grades they have given.

11. Students.

1st. All candidates for examination who are present at the session of the Conference shall some time during the session be convened before the Board for mutual consultation.

2nd. In no case shall two or more examination papers be bound together, but each must be made separate; on paper of uniform size designated by the Board, viz: "letter" size. All must be neatly written in ink, or typewritten, on one side only, and being properly dated, paged, fastened together and signed.

3rd. No undergraduate shall be advanced from the class of the first year, or of the third year who has failed in any of the requirements of said year, except on the recommendation of two-thirds of the Board present and voting. In case of the continuance of any undergraduates in the same class or year, or their advance, they shall be permanently credited with the grades of the studies in which they passed.

4th. All students must certify in writing that they have "read the books carefully."

5th. Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months.

6th. No grades will be furnished students before reporting thereon in Conference.

Credits and Fees.

1st. In view of the expense on the part of the Chairman and others, in postage, printing, etc., it is required that a fee of fifty

cents be paid in advance to the Treasurer by each student annually while in the course. No papers will be sent without compliance with this rule.

2nd. Credits will be given by the Board through the Chairman in harmony with the provisions of the Discipline (1908) Appendix par. 64. Notice must be given the Chairman at the opening of the Conference year by those who intend to make claims for credits.

IV. Itinerant Club.

1st. The Board shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three, the Chairman and Registrar being members ex-officio, who shall have charge of the program of the "Itinerant Club," such program to be published not later than one month before the meeting of the Annual Conference. The committee for the year 1910-11 consists of Thos. P. Shaffer, L. M. Thompson and L. G. Reser.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDER-GRADUATES. 1909-12.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the Studies of the four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference for Under-Graduates:—

MONTHS	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May June	1. Divine Library of the Old Testament. To Be Read: 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I.—Sermons 1-35. 2. Methodist Review.	1. The Ancestry of our English Bible. To Be Read: 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I.—Sermons 34-58. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Biblical Hermeneutics. 2. The Governing Conference in Methodism. To Be Read: 1. History of Methodism, Vol. 2. The Christian Faith, pp. 1-253. 3. Ecclesiastical Architecture. 4. Methodist Review.	1. Grounds of Theistic and Christian Relief. 2. Outlines of Universal History, Part III. To Be Read: 1. The Christian Faith, pp. 257-531. 2. Social Aspects of Religious Institutions. 4. Methodist Review.
July August September	1. Lectures on Homiletics. To Be Read: 1. A Compendious History of American Methodism. 2. The Heart of Asbury's Journal 3. Methodist Review.	1. Lessons in Logic. 1. History of Methodism, Vol. I. 2. The Pastor and Modern Missions. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Outlines of Universal History, Parts I and II. To Be Read: 1. History of Western Europe. 2. Christianity and the Social Crisis. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. II. To Be Read: 1. History of Methodism, Vol. III. 2. Philosophy of Christian Religion. 3. Methodist Review.
October November December	1. System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 1-322. To Be Read: 1. Digest of Methodist Law. 2. Extemporaneous Oratory. 3. How to be a Pastor. 4. Methodist Review.	1. System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 325-635. To Be Read: 1. English and American Literature. 2. History and Exposition of the 25 Articles of Religion of the Methodist Episcopal Church. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. I. To Be Read: 1. The Bible: : Its Origin and Nature. 2. Hymn Treasures. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Butler's Analogy. To Be Read: 1. Sociology.—C. D. Wright. 2. The Land of Israel. 3. Methodist Review.
January February March	1. Student's American History. 2. Written Sermon. To Be Read: 1. The Social Message of the Modern Pulpit. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Short History of the English People. 2. Essay. To Be Read: 1. The Church and the Social Problem. 2. How to conduct a Sunday School. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Psychology. 2. Written Sermon. To Be Read: 1. Psychological Principles of Education. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Studies in Ethical Principles. 2. Essay. To Be Read: 1. The Study of the Child. 2. Pentateuch.—Bissell. R. Methodist Review.

STATISTICS

CONFERENCE CLAIMANT'S DIRECTORY.

List of Superannuates who have relinquished their claim:

M. Bell, Golden City, Mo.; I. M. Galbraith, Eldorado Springs, Mo.; Leander Hallock, St. Louis, Mo.; I. J. K. Lunbeck, Kansas City, Mo.; A. H. Miller, Mrs. L. M. Peters, Harvey Smith, H. A. Toland.

NAME	POST OFFICE		Annuity	Spec.	Tot.
Mrs. A. Barber	Moran, Kan.	18	$ 72	$ 20	$ 92
Mrs. W. M. Beatty	San Diego, Cal.	13	52	63	115
Mrs. Anna Brough	Morton Park, Ill 5324 W. 24 S.	16	64	89	153
J. B. Brewington	San Diego, Cal. 2353 D. St.	22	175	..	175
L. R. Carpenter	Baldwin, Kan.	11	87	...	87
Mrs. A. J. Clifford	Kan. City, Kas., 1317 N. 7th	11	44	50	94
Mrs. H. R. Camden	Colo. Spgs., Colo., 1427 Wash av.	22	88	...	88
Mrs. W. M. Creamer	Fredonia, Kan.	16	64	25	89
Mrs. Sadie Daniels	Warsaw, Mo.	17	68	62	130
Mrs. M. M. Durham	Lamar, Mo.	13	52	118	170
J. W. Finley	Kan. City, Kan., 942 Sandusky	31	246	.....	246
C. D. Fry	Cabool, Mo.	29	230	...	230
Mrs. E. Garner	Dennison, Tex., 1622 W. Walker	16	64	..	64
G. H. Gideon		10	238	..	238
Joheph Harris	Los Angeles, Cal., 1585 Girard	30	238	..	238
J. S. Harris	St. George, Ga.	25	199	...	199
Mrs. J. J. Henlein	Washington, D. C. 1438 Newton	25	99	...	99
Mrs. G. W. Hughey	Galena, Mo.	41	163	...	163
J. H. Hurley	Epworth, Ga.	26	207	...	207
Mrs. M. A. Harris	Centerview, Mo., R.F.D. 38	10	88	...	88
Mrs. M. B. January	Dixon, Mo.	24	95	35	130
Dr. S. Jones	Clinton, Mo.	6	48	80	128
Mrs. Harriett Jump	Kan. City, Mo., 721 Highland	25	99	80	179
T. H. Knease	Seymour, Mo.	18	143	100	243
Mrs. C. J. Little	Plainfield, Ind.	3	12	40	52
Mrs. R. M. Morgan	West Plains, Mo.	9	36	...	36
Mrs. Jane Morris	Springfield, Mo.	9	32	...	32
Mrs. G. P. Miller	Kan. City, Mo., 710 Olive	..	...	...	11
Mrs. A. J. Moffatt	Washburn, Mo.	27	107	16	123
Frank Oechsli	Baldwin, Kan.	22	175	...	175
J. S. Porter	Knob Noster, Mo.	20	159	70	229
Mrs. L. A. Porter	Rich Hill, Mo.	6	24	30	54
D. C. Ridgeway	Fort Worth, Tex.	36	286	...	286
F. M. Stickney	Eldon, Mo.	17	135	...	135
E. A. Squires	Atlanta, Ill.	..	302	...	302
Wm. Stephens	Belton, Mo.	35	278	95	373
W. J. Simmons	Marionville, Mo.	30	254	...	254
Mrs. M. E. Galloway	Smithton, Mo.	22	87	93	180
Mrs. K. A. Turrentine	Marionville, Mo.	12	48	60	108
Henry Threlfall	Galena, Mo.	24	190	...	190
Mrs. J. B. Van Petten	Cazenville, N. Y.	34	135	...	135
Mrs. S. C. Wood	Los Angeles, Cal., R. F. D. 2	16	64	15	79
Mrs. C. B. Walker	Marionville, Mo.	14	56	...	56
John Welch	Park City, Mont, care C. W. Phillips.	17	135	59	194
W. F. Yeager	Marionville, Mo.	21	167	...	167
			$5673	$1245	$6918

THE TREASURER'S AUDITED REPORT.

Funds handled in the session of 1909.

DR.

To Total Benevolent Collections	$56,881.00	
Less the Amount by Vouchers	35,117.00	
Amount of Cash from Benevolences	$21,764.00	
Cash for Conference Claimants:—		
From Balance carried over	$ 4.00	
From Collections	3,691.00	
From Book Concern Dividend	1,572.00	
From Chartered Fund	22.00	
From Conference Permanent Fund	208.00	
		$ 5,497.00
Cash from Fractions		5.24
		$27,266.24

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Paid Treasurer Foreign Missions	$ 7,955.00
Paid Treasurer Home Missions	7,374.00
Paid Cor. Secretary Board of Education	831.00
Paid Cor. Secretary Board of Sunday Schools	442.00
Paid Treasurer Board of Conference Claimants	43.00
Paid Treasurer Freedman's Aid Society	1,363.00
Paid Agent American Bible Society	202.00
Paid Conference Secretary Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	10.00
Paid Conference Treasurer Woman's Home Missionary Society	13.00
Paid Treasurer Marionville College (per L. G. Reser, President)	910.00
Paid Treasurer Carleton College	973.00
Paid Jennings & Graham Collection for Tracts	1.00
Paid Treasurer Gen'l. Conference Expense Funds	124.00
Paid Assistant Treasurer Central Office Epworth League Expenses	125.00

Paid Jennings & Graham for Episcopal Fund....	1,398.00	
Paid Treasurer Stewards for Claimants St. Louis Conference	5,313.00	
Paid Treasurer Stewards, 5 per cent Fund for Board Conference Claimants.....	184.00	
Paid to Conference Permanent Fund from Fractions	5.00	
Paid Postage Expenses of Treasury.....	.24	
(See Vouchers accompanying(.....		$27,266.24

Respectfully Submitted.

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

We Certify: That we have examined the Vouchers submitted by the Treasurer and find Correct.

H. G. HUMPHREY.

A. R. OSBORNE, Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT FUND.

Amount of Principal reported last year.....$	8,715.11	
Added during the year all Sources.....	743.48	
Present Amount Principal.....		$9,458.59
Amount of Investments reported last year.....$	8,395.51	
Added during the year.....	523.61	
Present Amount of Investments.....		$8,919.12
Present Amount of Cash on Hand.....		539.47
		$9,458.59
Total receipts from Interest since last Report....$	341.36	
Expended for Postage and Letter Heads	2.65	
Net Income .....$	338.71	
Paid to Conference Stewards.....	338.00	
Balance Cash Carried Over..... .....$		.71

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

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N. M. JONES, Treasurer

Write ior particulars to Henry P. Magill, Secretary and Manager, 184 LaSalle Street, Chicago, Ill.

STATISTICS NO 1.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Alba and Neck City	6	128	..	..	...	3	2	21	150	1	40	1	25	2	3000	1	1500	.....	50	550
Anderson	6	139	..	1	...	7	2	19	100	..	....	..	....	2	3000	..	.....	.....	90	.....
Avilla	2	206	1	2	4	...	1	16	125	1	25	..	....	2	3800	1	400	120	40	.....
Butler	12	226	..	3	...	4	1	24	203	1	45	1	42	1	12000	1	1000	175	.....	.....
Butler Circuit	17	248	..	..	1	17	1	15	100	1	40	..	...	3½	4500	1	1200	65	.....	.....
Carl Junction	4	159	1	2	...	3	3	28	320	1	40	1	50	3	3500	1	700	.....	125	100
Carterville	15	153	..	2	2	6	1	22	246	1	26	1	26	1	4000	1	1000	132	.....	.....
Carthage	17	910	2	15	3	51	1	57	756	1	223	1	80	1	29000	1	9000	3000	.....	.....
Carthage Circuit	...	246	..	..	1	39	5	43	275	3	85	..	...	3	5000	1	1500	75	3	.....
Hume and Foster	8	302	..	3	8	49	4	45	355	3	55	1	10	3	5000	1	1000	100	.....	.....
Iantha	16	178	..	..	6	5	4	48	397	1	20	..	...	4	5500	1	600	184	.....	.....
Jasper	3	234	..	1	1	12	2	33	254	1	60	1	30	1	3000	1	1500	90	.....	.....
Joplin Byers Ave.	8	458	2	2	12	98	1	27	425	1	127	1	92	1	10000	1	2500	9000	100	300
Central Ave.	15	151	1	1	2	22	1	27	200	1	57	1	50	1	3000	..	.....	300	.....	120
Chitwood	...	36	..	..	...	...	1	12	100	..	....	..	....	1	800	..	.....	100	.....	.....
Epworth	31	115	1	1	...	12	1	12	185	1	45	1	50	1	6000	..	.....	4500	.....	1500
First Church	35	575	2	3	9	111	1	34	491	1	115	1	50	1	52000	1	3000	100	.....	20000
Lamar	...	312	..	4	5	11	1	28	300	1	44	1	50	1	10000	1	1000	50	.....	.....
Liberal	5	181	..	1	...	24	2	28	258	1	40	1	20	2	2600	1	1000	30	.....	.....
Moundville	2	150	..	1	...	2	1	18	132	1	21	1	20	2	1700	1	800	.....	.....	239
Mt. Moriah	..	84	..	2	...	...	1	16	100	1	33	..	...	1	2400	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nashville	20	268	1	4	5	53	2	27	165	1	90	..	...	2	3500	1	1000	25	34	.....
Neosho	8	210	2	3	14	31	1	20	176	1	40	1	35	1	6000	..	.....	3385	.....	1680
Nevada	5	1	2	1	14	1	1	21	263	1	30	1	21	1	6500	1	1500	75	.....	.....
Oronobo	1	68	..	1	1	5	2	22	250	1	34	..	...	2	3000	1	500	350	.....	450
Rich Hill	11	181	1	3	2	29	1	17	160	1	22	1	20	1	7500	1	1200	130	50	175
Sarcoxie	2	189	..	1	1	...	2	23	255	..	....	..	...	2	4200	1	850	30	.....	.....
Seneca	...	105	..	..	10	7	2	14	120	2	57	..	...	2	4500	1	800	.....	.....	.....
Sheldon	6	72	..	..	...	...	2	20	100	1	20	2	50	2	3000	1	450	50	.....	.....
Spurgeon	...	88	..	..	...	...	3	14	120	2	40	..	721	3	2500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Webb City	30	519	..	4	20	100	4	50	725	2	100	..	...	4	15000	1	6000	9500	.....	6000
	305	7242	14	62	108	715	57	801	7806	35	1574	19	721	57½	225500	24	40000	31566	492	33114

STATISTICS NO. 3.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Alba and Neck City	W. J. Simmons	600	100	700	575	100	675	25	28	25	63	57	9	8	765	50	120	170
Anderson	(J. W. Frame)	* 420	....	420	174	....	174	246	16	7	38	17	5	2	200	45	40	85
Avilla	O. V. Suter	550	50	600	550	50	600	....	24	16	54	54	8	8	678	50	40	90
Butler	C. V. Criss	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	....	44	30	99	99	14	14	1243	254	203	457
Butler Ct.	(L. F. Gilbreath)	500	100	600	500	100	600	....	24	20	54	54	8	7	681	69	24	93
Carl Junction	.....	325	50	375	167	50	217	158	20	3	34	17	6	1	238	12	100	112
Carterville	(R. W. Moore)	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	28	6	63	63	9	4	773	162	77	239
Carthage	H. W. Hargett	2000	400	2400	2000	400	2400	....	96	100	216	240	30	30	2770	1800	460	2260
Carthage Ct.	Geo. M. Foster	* 600	50	650	600	50	650	....	28	28	59	59	9	9	746	70	134	204
Hume and Foster	John H. Boner	700	50	750	700	50	750	....	30	30	68	68	9	9	857	125	118	243
Iantha	W. W. Hendrickson	440	60	500	444	60	504	....	18	12	45	45	5	3	564	150	130	280
Jasper	Wm. L. Requa	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	28	28	63	63	9	9	800	120	100	220
Joplin—Byers Avenue	E. W. Elayer	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	....	56	56	126	126	18	18	1600	400	220	620
Central Avenue	Ray C. Walker	800	....	800	800	....	800	....	32	32	72	72	10	10	914	110	90	200
Chitwood	J. P. Walker	*	....	....	100	....	100	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	100	30	20	50
Epworth	(T. B. Lawrence)	* 510	....	510	510	....	510	....	20	..	46	29	5	....	539	75	60	135
First Church	Frank Neff	2000	300	2300	2000	300	2300	....	92	92	207	207	29	29	2628	1060	250	1310
Lamar	F. P. Leckliter	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	40	40	90	90	13	12	1142	265	150	415
Liberal	(W. O. Thompson)	635	52	687	610	52	662	25	25	25	62	60	8	8	755	100	90	190
Moundville	F. W. P. Camp	500	60	560	500	60	560	....	24	22	50	50	8	7	639	67	52	119
Mt. Moriah	(W. H. Dalton)	250	....	250	250	....	250	....	10	10	23	23	3	3	286	30	52	82
Nashville	(Elmer L. Hobbs)	455	45	500	421	45	466	34	20	18	45	45	6	6	535	60	65	125
Neosho	Robt. A. Hunt	875	....	875	875	....	875	....	32	32	79	80	10	10	997	100	95	195
Nevada	J. W. Caughlon	1200	150	1350	1200	150	1350	....	56	54	122	121	17	17	1542	330	120	450
Oronogo	E. H. Sapp	800	....	800	765	....	765	35	34	33	77	73	10	9	880	80	70	150
Rich Hill	A. G. Keast	650	100	750	650	100	750	....	28	28	68	68	9	9	855	200	100	300
Sarcoxie	(H. B. Rhodes)	600	60	660	600	60	660	....	28	28	59	59	9	9	756	150	113	263
Seneca	(G. A. Dietrich)	* 400	60	460	400	60	460	....	18	14	41	41	6	6	521	....	57	57
Sheldon	(E. E. Dagby)	550	45	595	508	45	553	42	22	8	54	49	7	5	615	150	135	285
Spurgeon	(J. W. Moore)	* 340	....	340	70	....	70	270	16	..	32	....	5	....	70	....	45	45
Webb City	D. C. Dutton	1540	360	1900	1640	360	2000	....	68	68	171	171	21	21	2260	350	337	687
	C. G. Davis	....	....	....	430	....	430	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	430	....	....	....
		22540	2692	25232	22339	2692	25031	835	1005	865	2280	2200	314	288	28379	6464	3667	10131

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																					Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants						Woman's Home Missionary Society											
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																									
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Alba and Neck City	16	3		16	3				12					2					52	4			5	9			61
Anderson	3			3										1					7	1				1			8
Avilla	10			10					2		2			2					26	10				10			36
Butler	45	25		45	24		2		4	4				10	2	37			198	12		2		14			212
Butler Ct.	20	8		20	7					2				6	2				65	22	2	2		26		2	93
Carl Junction		4			5														9							3	12
Carterville	15			15						4				6	2	39			81	10				10			91
Carthage	337	63		337	63				34	10	25	20		68	10	519	7		1493	100		7	142	249			1742
Carthage Ct.	19	9		13	9										1				52		5			5		1	58
Hume and Foster	40	6		40	6				13	11				8	1				167	12	1	2	15	30		1	198
Iantha	33	2		33	2		1		10	4			5	6	1				97	15				15		1	113
Jasper	39	25		64			2		7	13				13	2				165	30		2	19	51		2	218
Joplin—Byers Avenue	43	62		43	62		3		11	20				21	3				268	60		2		63		5	336
Central Avenue	25	25	15	25	25				5	3				10	2	2			137	39	5	2	6	52		9	198
Chitwood																											
Epworth	15																		15								15
First Church	150	50	6	150	50		5		10	10		2		30	2	257			722	100		6	81	187		5	914
Lamar	30	6		30	6				3		4					41			116	34		2	7	43		2	161
Liberal	23			23										5	2				57	20				20		2	79
Moundville	7	2		9	2		3		5	4				6	1				39			2		2		3	44
Mt. Moriah	20			7												42			69	11				11			80
Nashville	27	10		27	10				12	6				7	2				101			2	2	4			105
Neosho	22	16		22	16				5	8				10			8		107	40		2	8	50		2	159
Nevada	70	20		40	20				5	1				10	1	29			196	9		3	82	94		1	291
Oronogo		10			10				3		1			3					27	10			5	15		3	45
Rich Hill	30	15		30	15		2		6	2	5			8		28			141	20			53	73		1	215
Sarcoxie	30			20			2			2				4	1				59	26				26			85
Seneca	14	3		14	3		12		3	2				2	1				54			2		2			56
Sheldon	20	9		20	7				5		1			3	1				66								66
Spurgeon					5														5								5
Webb City	50	20		33	10				10	2	5			15	1				146	42		3		45		2	193
	1153	393	21	1089	360		32		165	109	43	22	5	256	38	1036	15		4737	627	12	42	425	1107		45	5889

STATISTBCS NO. 1.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Bloomfield	3	100	..	..	...	...	3	15	120	..	....	..	...	3	6800	1	900	.....	410	.....
Bloomfield Circuit	51	139	1	3	7	34	4	19	175	..	....	..	...	4	4000	..	.....	29	.....	.....
Bismarck	4	160	2	..	...	20	3	26	150	..	....	..	...	5	5500	..	.....	475	.....	.....
Bonne Terre	17	85	..	1	9	7	1	10	110	1	31	1	30	1	2000	1	1500	30	.....	60
Chupin	...	120	..	..	...	...	3	15	125	..	....	..	...	5	3000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
De Soto	14	182	1	1	9	22	1	14	167	1	47	1	59	1	4500	1	1500	338	55	600
De Soto Circuit	...	78	..	..	...	...	2	10	120	..	....	..	...	2	2000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Doe Run	8	133	1	1	18	1	1	21	410	1	42	1	40	1	7500	..	.....	251	.....	.....
Dudley	10	155	1	..	...	23	4	25	160	..	....	..	...	3	2400	1	600	60	.....	.....
Farmington	15	326	5	4	4	16	1	22	328	1	66	1	47	1	13000	1	2500	208	200	460
Farmington Circuit	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	..	...	..	....	..	...	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flat River	...	108	..	..	...	4	1	8	85	..	....	..	...	1	2500	1	1200	.....	.....	850
Fruitland	17	185	1	1	...	...	2	30	214	1	32	1	30	4	5500	1	800	150	.....	.....
Irondale and Graniteville	...	200	1	4	6	14	2	9	90	..	....	..	...	2	2000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ironton	12	88	..	..	...	...	1	10	65	1	30	..	...	1	1500	1	800	.....	.....	.....
Lutesville	...	270	..	2	...	20	2	12	100	..	....	..	...	5	5000	1	800	.....	.....	.....
Mt. View	4	110	..	2	...	1	4	36	200	3	75	1	40	4	4000	..	.....	30	250	.....
Palmer	40	175	4	..	3	10	4	11	150	..	....	..	...	5	4000	1	300	100	.....	.....
Patton	5	228	1	8	3	...	4	25	185	..	....	..	...	4	3000	1	300	50	.....	.....
Poplar Bluff	14	96	2	..	...	1	1	16	125	1	32	..	...	1	14000	..	.....	.....	2294	2349
Poplar Bluff Circuit	...	15	..	..	...	...	..	..	...	..	....	..	...	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Puxico	...	136	..	4	7	25	1	14	140	..	....	..	...	1	1000	1	700	.....	.....	.....
Perryville	...	86	..	2	22	14	4	...	85	..	....	..	...	4	3000	1	200	.....	90	.....
Robertsville	2	70	1	2	...	1	2	12	60	..	....	..	...	2½	2000	..	.....	25	.....	.....
West Plains	15	222	2	2	1	36	1	20	300	1	40	1	25	1	5000	1	2500	96	.....	.....
West Plains Circuit	...	80	..	2	...	...	3	17	200	..	....	..	...	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Willow Springs	5	113	..	..	1	1	1	17	200	1	40	..	...	1	3500	1	1000	50	50	175
Winona	1	80	..	..	...	...	2	12	100	..	....	..	...	3	3700	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	237	3740	23	39	90	250	58	426	4164	12	435	7	271	65½	110400	15	15600	1892	3349	4494

STATISTICS NO. 3.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Bloomfield	W. H. Bickers	* 700	100	800	800	....	800	....	32	3	80	71	8	1	875	....	....	....
Bloomfield Ct.	(A. W. Hill)	* 425	....	425	268	40	308	117	16	2	50	40	4	1	361	20	30	50
Bismarck	(L. M. Kelley)	200	....	200	164	....	164	36	7	2	40	38	2	1	205	20	32	52
Bonne Terre	(J. J. Pruitt)	* 500	120	620	450	120	570	50	24	7	60	50	6	3	630	40	48	88
Chapin	(E. S. Dean)	200	....	200	150	....	150	50	8	..	40	40	2	....	190	....	....	....
Do Soto	D. W. Crow	800	100	900	660	100	760	140	36	20	90	90	9	10	880	148	57	205
De Soto Ct.	(R. H. Shute)	175	....	175	175	....	175	....	7	1	30	30	2	1	207	....	....	....
Doe Run	L. H. Sweetland	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	40	40	100	100	10	10	1150	125	186	311
Dudley	(S. P. Majors)	* 400	60	460	400	60	460	....	16	4	50	50	2	2	516	20	32	52
Farmington	L. M. Thompson	1200	120	1320	1200	120	1320	....	52	52	125	125	13	12	1509	261	228	489
Farmington Ct.	(V. O. Sample)	100	....	100	25	....	25	75	4	..	10	2	1	....	27	....	....	....
Flat River	J. A. McFarland	* 600	100	700	400	100	500	200	28	..	70	50	7	....	550	....	....	....
Fruitland	Clinton Senniff	800	100	900	800	100	400	....	36	9	80	86	9	2	997	150	60	210
Irondale and Graniteville	(M. S. Bumpus)	450	....	450	414	....	414	36	16	2	50	50	4	1	467	35	25	60
Ironton	E. L. Spiller	400	100	500	385	....	385	115	20	..	50	35	5	....	420	....	....	....
Lutesville	(D. E. Barrett)	* 500	100	600	325	60	385	215	24	2	60	60	6	1	448	40	25	65
Mt. View	Carl Stevenson	* 445	....	445	365	....	365	80	16	7	50	50	4	3	425	60	80	140
Palmer	(D. P. Cole)	460	30	490	210	30	240	250	16	2	50	50	4	1	293	30	40	70
Patton	(John H. Settle)	310	30	340	310	30	340	....	12	3	45	45	3	2	390	40	30	70
Poplar Bluff	M. L. Curl	* 830	....	830	275	....	275	555	32	4	100	79	8	....	358	75	55	130
Poplar Bluff Ct.	(G. W. Davis)	100	....	100	25	....	25	75	4	..	10	3	1	....	28	....	....	....
Puxico	(A. H. Barnes)	* 340	100	440	340	100	445	....	16	10	50	50	4	5	505	58	44	102
Perryville	J. E. Stickney	* 500	100	600	210	75	285	315	24	3	50	32	6	....	320	....	....	....
Robertsville	(Wm. P. Johns)	250	....	250	200	....	200	50	8	2	40	40	2	1	243	40	20	60
West Plains	A. M. Livingston	1000	120	1120	1000	120	1120	....	44	30	115	115	11	10	1275	172	100	272
West Plains Ct.	(C. W. Jennings)	200	....	200	55	....	55	145	8	2	30	17	2	2	76	....	7	7
Willow Springs	Jos. Scarborough	* 600	120	720	600	120	720	....	28	5	60	60	7	4	789	61	100	161
Winona	(J. M. Willard)	* 310	....	310	310	....	310	....	12	1	50	50	3	1	362	....	....	....
		13695	1500	15195	11416	1275	12691	2504	586	213	1635	1508	135	74	14486	1395	1199	2594

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

STATISTICS NO. 4.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																			Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants						Woman's Home Missionary Society									
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																							
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Bloomfield																				50				50			50
Bloomfield Ct.	5			5															10	1				1			11
Bismarck	6			8															14	3				3			17
Bonne Terre	2	2		2	2														8								8
Chapin																											
De Soto	20	5		20	5		5		4	3		5		5	2	50	2		126	20	5			25		3	154
De Soto Ct.																											
Doe Run	50	25		45	25	5				10	8	10		14					192	45		3		48		3	243
Dudley	6			6															12	2				2			14
Farmington	53	41	40	53	40						22	12		30	2	21			314	55		4	861	920		3	1237
Farmington Ct.																											
Flat River																											
Fruitland		16			16			12				1		2	1				48	6		1	13	20		1	69
Irondale and Graniteville	1			2											1		1		5	3				3			8
Ironton																											
Lutesville	2			4										1					7								7
Mt. View	10	10		10	10				3	2		2		3	2				52	4		1		5		2	59
Palmer	2			4															6	1				1			7
Patton	3	2		2	4														11	6				6			17
Poplar Bluff	5	5		5	5														20	4				4			24
Poplar Bluff Ct.																											
Puxico	4	8		4	8			1											25	10				10			35
Perryville	3			3															8								6
Robertsville	4			4															8	5				5			13
West Plains	50	18	20	50	18				5	5				7	2	16	29	21	241	51		3	16	70		2	313
West Plains Ct.				3															3								3
Willow Springs	2	12		2	12				2		1		2	1					34	2			8	10		2	46
Winona	5			5															10								10
	233	144	60	237	145	5	5	13	14	20	31	30	2	63	10	87	32	21	1152	268	5	12	898	1183		16	2351

STATISTICS NO. 1.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Adrian	...	180	..	..	...	13	2	34	275	1	32	1	46	2	8500	1	1600	325	155	700
Amsterdam	4	67	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2400		.....	.....	.....	.....
Austin	5	262	..	3	2	53	2	29	221	2	94	..	...	2	3200	1	700	312	.....	.....
Belton	2	136	..	1	...	4	2	15	85	..	..	..	...	2	2900	1	1000	445	.....	.....
Centerview	...	150	..	..	...	...	2	20	140	2	44	..	...	2	3000	1	600	600	.....	.....
Drexel	24	200	..	..	...	...	3	26	215	1	40	..	...	4	5500	1	1600	1600	.....	1600
East Lynne	...	109	..	1	...	5	2	21	175	1	20	..	...	2	4000	1	800	.....	.....	.....
Garden City	2	175	..	1	4	40	2	24	170	2	45	1	20	3	7500	..	.....	100	700	400
Holden	3	143	..	..	...	...	1	16	110	..	..	..	...	1	6500	1	2000	.....	.....	.....
Independence Centennial	3	60	..	2	2	8	1	10	90	..	..	..	...	1	1200	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Watson Memorial	23	216	1	3	1	8	1	22	232	1	40	1	35	1	25000	1	3500	24	1252	2100
Kansas City, Arlington	1	300	..	3	6	5	1	34	317	1	70	1	17	1	18000	1	5500	1214	.....	11500
Beaumont	...	48	..	..	1	8	1	14	80	1	25	1	40	1	1250	..	.....	20	46	.....
Bennington Heights	13	126	..	1	...	2	1	22	160	..	..	1	50	1	6000	1	1800	.....	250	535
Broadway	4	62	..	..	7	...	1	15	100	..	..	..	...	1	15000	..	.....	.....	7500	1000
Grace	15	187	..	..	5	3	1	26	210	1	46	1	25	1	12000	..	.....	150	750	1750
Grand Ave.	15	655	1	8	9	11	1	29	250	1	125	..	...	....	350000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Howard Mem.	32	543	1	4	...	2	1	33	460	1	92	..	...	1	60000	1	5000	463	4189	15101
Hyde Park	3	122	..	..	1	3	1	12	80	1	30	..	...	1	20000	1	5000	10000	.....	7000
Independence Ave.	93	1263	..	26	17	51	1	67	820	1	220	1	132	1	125000	1	10000	850	.....	9000
Linwood Blvd.	30	710	1	9	8	7	1	55	500	1	100	1	50	1	35000	..	.....	700	6000	2000
Maywood	7	42	..	1	5	...	1	14	125	..	..	..	...	1	2300	1	2200	25	275	1500
Mission	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Washington	...	107	..	2	1	23	1	17	184	1	62	..	...	1	3500	1	2500	650	10	1450
Oakhurst	26	427	..	2	10	12	2	37	498	1	67	1	54	1	25000	..	.....	46	2751	.....
Oakley	27	613	1	2	8	12	1	46	605	1	124	..	...	1	35000	..	.....	200	1050	10100
Phoenix Park	...	240	1	1	17	8	1	35	350	1	47	1	20	1	9000	..	.....	75	1000	4677
Summit St.	3	208	1	1	6	6	1	32	290	1	40	1	20	1	6000	..	.....	50	.....	.....
Kingsville	16	185	..	2	5	26	2	19	95	1	30	..	...	2½	1600	..	.....	500	.....	.....
Lee's Summit	2	155	..	..	...	...	3	20	130	..	..	..	...	1	2500	1	1400	.....	.....	.....
Oak Grove	2	229	..	..	...	...	2	16	90	..	..	..	...	3	6500	1	1500	250	.....	.....
Pleasant Hill	12	125	..	1	...	14	1	11	69	1	27	1	15	1	6000	1	2000	20	.....	.....
Pleasant Hill	367	8045	7	74	115	324	43	771	7126	25	1420	13	524	44½	809350	18	48700	18619	25928	70413

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT — Claims — Salary	House Rent	Total	Receipts — Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Support of Conference Claimants — Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Support of District Supts. — Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Support of Bishops — Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES — Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Adrian	W. K. Chatten	750	60	810	750	60	810	....	32	32	73	67	11	10	919	180	220	400
Amsterdam	W. S. Courtney	* 400	....	400	....	....	....	....	16	..	36	....	5	....	....	....	....	....
Austin	D. W. Britton	800	....	800	800	21	821	....	32	24	72	80	11	11	936	125	75	200
Belton	F. O. Moore	* 575	120	695	559	120	679	16	28	28	63	62	9	9	778	60	32	92
Centerview	.....	* 600	60	660	450	....	450	210	26	18	59	44	9	6	518	84	50	134
Drexel	W. S. Courtney	620	....	620	487	....	487	133	27	10	61	41	9	6	544	130	90	220
East Lynne	Jesse Carney	* 410	60	470	360	60	420	50	19	14	42	36	6	4	474	32	52	84
Garden City	C. V. Bigler	* 490	....	490	471	....	471	19	19	18	44	....	7	6	495	70	80	150
Holden	W. L. Gray	750	100	850	....	....	....	....	34	..	76	....	12	....	....	....	....	....
Independence, Centennial	H. G. Mais	200	....	200	200	....	200	....	8	8	18	18	3	3	229	....	24	24
Watson Memorial	H. G. Mais	1000	200	1200	1000	240	1240	....	50	50	112	112	17	17	1419	235	109	344
Kan. City—Arlington	E. V. Claypool	1650	....	1650	1450	200	1650	....	66	10	148	128	22	5	1793	415	190	605
Beaumont	R. H. Lint	* 150	....	150	150	....	150	....	6	6	13	13	2	2	171	36	44	80
Bennington Heights	Frederick Getty	820	180	1000	450	180	630	370	40	15	90	30	13	7	682	56	48	104
Broadway	H. G. Humphrey	1200	....	1200	1200	....	1200	....	48	48	108	108	16	16	1372	300	60	360
Grace	J. R. Postlethwait	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	40	30	90	90	13	10	1130	300	150	450
Grand Avenue	E. B. Olmstead	3600	....	3600	3600	....	3600	....	144	144	324	357	49	49	4150	4500	364	4864
Howard Memorial	W. F. Sheridan	3900	400	4300	4120	....	4120	180	172	175	387	371	57	50	4716	2233	240	2473
Hyde Park	Naphtali Luccock	1800	900	2700	1800	900	2700	..	72	72	162	162	25	25	2959	1000	75	1075
Independence Avenue	L. A. Banks	5000	600	5600	5000	600	5600	....	204	204	459	459	69	69	6332	5300	650	5950
Linwood Blvd.	E. C. Smith	3000	....	3000	3000	....	3000	....	120	120	270	270	41	40	3430	1500	500	2000
Maywood	W. G. Smith	550	150	700	550	150	700	....	28	5	63	63	9	3	771	45	130	175
Missions	T. H. Otwell	x....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mt. Washington	R. H. Lint	x 500	....	500	500	150	650	....	25	20	45	45	7	7	722	78	126	204
Oakhurst	J. W. Coontz	1600	....	1600	1625	....	1625	....	64	64	144	144	23	23	1856	510	175	685
Oakley	F. W. Simpson	1800	....	1800	1800	....	1800	....	72	63	162	168	25	15	2046	710	485	1195
Phoenix Park	W. E. Brown	1000	....	1000	1019	....	1019	....	40	40	90	90	14	14	1163	270	266	536
Smmit Street	O. M. Stewart	1100	....	1100	1100	....	1100	....	44	44	99	100	15	15	1259	200	125	325
Kingsville	Rowland Hill	* 500	....	500	500	....	500	....	20	20	45	45	7	7	572	50	50	100
Lee's Summit	J. J. Phillips	850	120	970	850	120	970	....	39	39	87	87	13	12	1108	116	79	195
Oak Grove	A. F. Johnson	304	....	304	304	....	304	....	12	12	34	36	4	4	356	....	....	....
Pleasant Hill	.....	..600	120	720	390	120	510	210	29	5	65	35	9	2	552	120	54	174
		37519	3070	40589	35485	2921	38406	1188	1564	1338	3507	3261	532	447	43452	18655	4543	23198

x Aided by City Church Extension Society.

STATISTICS NO. 4.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																				Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants					Woman's Home Missionary Society											
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																								
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Adrian	....	15	....	15	....	....	....	..	5	1	..	..	..	3	1	12	....	....	52	10	..	1	.....	11	..	..	63
Amsterdam	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	..	..	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	..	....
Austin	71	9	10	72	8	....	....	..	9	10	..	..	..	15	5	....	....	....	215	25	..	2	135	162	..	6	383
Belton	19	11	15	19	11	....	1	..	3	10	..	..	..	16	1	....	....	....	106	29	..	2	14	45	..	..	151
Centerview	4	....	....	4	....	....	10	..	5	....	..	5	..	1	1	....	....	....	25	....	..	..	.....	....	..	..	25
Drexel	10	4	....	13	....	..	2	..	4	2	..	2	..	5	2	....	....	....	44	5	..	1	.....	6	..	1	51
East Lynne	11	7	....	12	6	....	x1	..	4	3	..	..	..	3	1	....	....	....	48	10	..	1	9	20	..	..	68
Garden City	12	....	....	12	..	....	2	..	....	....	..	..	..	1	....	....	....	....	27	....	..	..	.....	....	..	..	27
Holden	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	..	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	..	....
Independence — Centenial	6	3	....	6	3	....	1	..	3	2	..	..	..	2	1	....	....	....	27	4	..	1	.....	5	..	..	32
Watson Memorial	36	22	....	33	22	..	2	..	5	17	..	2	..	10	10	64	....	....	223	28	4	3	20	55	5	2	285
Kansas City—Arlington	20	24	....	20	24	....	....	..	3	....	..	..	..	4	....	115	113	....	323	5	..	..	.....	5	..	..	328
Beaumont	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	..	1	3	..	..	..	2	1	....	....	....	27	7	..	1	.....	8	..	1	36
Bennington Heights	5	10	....	5	10	....	....	..	2	....	..	..	..	2	....	....	....	....	35	5	..	1	25	31	..	1	67
Broadway	75	..	....	50	....	....	5	..	5	5	..	5	..	8	10	....	....	....	163	5	..	2	.....	7	..	1	171
Grace	18	25	5	....	25	....	1	1	5	17	..	..	..	11	1	20	23	22	174	....	..	3	25	28	..	2	104
Grand Ave.	240	76	15	225	76	....	....	..	18	10	..	5	5	60	10	1446	241	69	2496	15	..	6	2215	2236	..	..	4732
Howard Memorial	288	62	....	200	62	....	....	..	25	....	35	..	..	70	7	145	121	50	1065	104	..	12	348	464	..	..	1529
Hyde Park	40	10	....	40	10	....	....	..	10	15	5	10	15	10	5	....	....	....	170	50	..	5	200	255	5	..	430
Independence Avenue	750	150	229	760	150	....	27	..	100	60	9	..	..	151	30	1291	704	....	4411	200	..	12	1000	1212	..	..	5623
Linwood Blvd.	245	105	15	245	105	....	....	..	45	....	10	..	..	107	5	499	413	....	1794	42	..	8	381	431	..	..	2225
Maywood	6	6	3	6	6	....	....	..	4	1	..	..	..	1	....	....	....	....	33	....	..	1	.....	1	..	..	34
Mission	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....	....	..	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	..	....
Mt. Washington	16	5	....	16	5	....	....	..	2	8	5	..	..	4	1	....	....	....	57	25	..	1	.....	26	..	..	83
Oakhurst	....	31	....	31	....	35	....	..	....	....	..	..	..	17	3	142	68	....	327	....	..	7	.....	7	..	..	334
Oakley	133	57	110	123	57	....	....	..	5	....	..	..	..	25	8	90	58	....	671	36	10	3	190	239	3	..	913
Phoenix Park	22	9	....	22	9	....	....	..	3	15	..	..	..	5	1	57	....	....	143	25	..	3	29	53	..	..	196
Summit Street	36	20	....	35	20	....	3	..	5	2	8	1	1	4	1	93	33	....	262	8	..	1	37	46	..	4	312
Kingsville	24	2	....	25	....	....	1	..	3	8	..	..	..	3	1	....	....	....	67	14	..	1	.....	15	..	2	84
Lee's Summit	29	12	....	....	....	....	....	..	5	4	..	5	4	5	1	28	....	....	93	22	..	1	28	51	3	2	149
Oak Grove	....	....	12	....	....	12	x1	..	1	....	..	..	..	....	1	....	....	....	27	5	..	1	.....	6	3	..	36
Pleasant Hill	9	....	....	9	....	....	....	..	....	1	..	..	..	....	1	10	....	....	30	....	..	2	.....	2	..	..	32
	2135	675	414	2008	609	47	57	1	281	194	72	38	25	545	107	4012	1774	141	13135	679	14	82	4652	5427	19	22	18523

STATISTICS NO. 1.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Ava	5	129	2	1	...	...	1	15	200	..	....	..	...	3	4300	1	700	100	.....	.....
Buffalo	8	92	1	1	3	1	1	11	74	1	35	..	...	1	5000	1	1000	375	.....	.....
Buffalo Circuit	...	107	1	..	...	...	3	...	150	..	....	..	...	3	2400	1	400	.....	.....	.....
Conway	6	233	1	1	...	7	4	34	180	1	28	..	...	5	3200	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
Dixon	13	164	1	1	3	1	1	9	75	1	30	..	...	2	2760	..	.....	560	.....	.....
Eldon	...	130	1	3	2	5	1	14	142	..	....	..	...	1	2000	1	1000	100	.....	.....
Gainesville	12	141	3	3	...	1	2	12	106	..	....	..	...	3	2300	1	300	.....	.....	.....
Hartville	3	236	3	3	...	56	1	11	70	..	....	..	...	4	6000	1	1000	25	.....	.....
High Point	4	128	..	3	...	1	1	8	26	..	....	..	...	1½	3040	..	.....	205	.....	.....
Houston and Cabool	3	129	..	4	4	8	2	20	100	..	....	..	...	2	2500	2	1000	40	.....	.....
Iberia	26	243	2	..	...	...	5	25	240	..	....	..	...	5½	6200	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lebanon	...	248	1	4	6	8	1	14	150	1	31	1	25	1	10000	1	1800	4900	.....	.....
Lebanon Circuit	...	47	..	..	...	11	..	...	...	..	....	..	...	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lecoma	4	86	..	..	...	...	2	20	124	..	....	..	...	2	1400	..	.....	25	.....	.....
Licking	41	192	2	3	5	22	4	33	246	3	103	1	95	3	4000	1	500	305	.....	.....
Linn Creek	2	147	2	1	2	18	3	18	180	..	....	..	...	4	5700	1	800	108	90	100
Marshfield	3	183	..	2	...	12	1	20	205	1	30	1	50	1	5000	1	1200	200	650	.....
Mountain Grove	23	250	1	6	1	43	1	20	264	1	62	1	55	1	4000	1	1000	250	.....	.....
Mountain Grove Circuit	12	96	4	1	...	1	..	...	...	2	40	..	...	3¼	2950	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newbury	2	59	..	..	5	3	1	12	113	1	20	1	42	1	2500	1	1200	500	.....	.....
Orla	23	152	2	10	4	15	1	10	64	..	....	..	...	4	2400	..	.....	62	.....	.....
Phillipsburg	1	203	1	2	...	9	2	14	86	1	29	..	...	4	3000	1	600	24	.....	.....
Plato	...	49	2	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	....	..	...	2	1200	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Richland	10	163	1	2	12	40	1	15	160	1	52	1	20	1	2500	1	800	.....	.....	.....
Rolla	14	165	1	5	...	1	1	20	250	1	140	1	31	1	9000	1	1350	400	.....	.....
Seymour and Mansfield	7	200	1	2	1	10	2	26	218	1	36	..	...	2	4000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
Upshaw	3	88	6	..	...	...	3	18	160	1	25	..	...	4	4400	..	.....	75	.....	.....
Urbana	...	250	3	1	...	24	1	10	75	..	....	..	...	4	2500	1	800	150	.....	.....
Vichy	5	96	1	..	6	2	2	10	120	1	15	..	...	2	2500	1	500	212	.....	.....
	230	4406	43	59	64	299	48	419	3778	18	676	7	3 8	71	106750	21	17956	3616	740	100

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LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Ava	H. F. Miller	* 525	75	600	411	75	486	114	24	5	72	30	6	1	522	40	38	78
Buffalo	C. V. Bryan	* 475	50	525	448	50	498	27	21	10	63	54	6	5	567	65	35	100
Buffalo Ct.	(O. F. Eld)	300	....	300	168	....	168	132	12	..	36	19	2		2189	5	18	223
Conway	C. F. Tippin	625	50	675	594	50	644	31	27	27	81	81	8	8	760	40	55	95
Dixon	Peter Davies	* 500	....	500	470	....	470	30	20	13	60	55	6	....	538	....	....	....
Eldon	B. E. Niblack	600	50	650	600	50	650	....	26	24	78	78	8	8	760	100	48	148
Gainesville	(Warren Post)	* 290	30	320	100	30	130	190	12	2	38	24	2	1	157	35	22	57
Hartville	J. W. Slusher	* 515	60	575	475	60	535	40	23	15	69	57	6	5	612	50	25	75
High Point	W. F. Baker	* 400	....	400	400	....	400	....	16	16	48	48	5	3	467	50	10	60
Houston and Cabool	G. A. Moss	* 380	60	440	380	60	440	....	17	17	53	51	5	5	513	50	73	123
Iberia	(G. W. Robertson)	* 500	....	500	408	....	408	92	20	2	60	38	6	2	450	100	56	156
Lebanon	H. A. Barton	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	40	40	120	110	12	12	1162	112	88	200
Lebanon Ct.	(M. M. McCartney)	43	....	43	43	....	43	....	....	..	....	4	....	....	47	....	....	....
Lecoma	(S. H. Yeater)	180	....	180	180	....	180	....	2	..	22	18	2	2	200	25	27	52
Licking	Edward Bridwell	* 485	60	545	485	60	545	....	22	12	66	66	6	6	629	98	52	150
Linn Creek	J. W. Null	* 400	.. 75	475	385	75	460	15	19	4	57	43	5	4	511	....	....	....
Marshfield	J. W. Needham	650	50	700	650	50	700	....	28	28	77	77	8	8	813	100	195	295
Mountain Grove	H. A. Mitchell	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	32	30	96	96	10	9	935	80	120	209
Mountain Grove Ct.	(D. D. Killam)	* 220	....	220	127	....	127	93	8	..	26	22	2	....	149	....	....	....
Newburg	C. E. Wharton	600	100	700	600	100	700	....	28	28	84	84	8	8	820	75	75	150
Orla	(W. McClanehan)	165	....	165	135	....	135	30	4	2	22	22	2	1	160	30	10	40
Phillipsburg	T. J. Gideon	* 350	60	410	264	60	324	86	16	..	49	34	4	2	360	25	25	50
Plato	(W. Baker)	35	....	35	26	....	26	9	1	..	4	4	1	....	30	25	15	40
Richland	W. D. Price	600	75	675	600	75	675	....	27	27	78	81	8	8	791	125	53	178
Rolla	T. P. Shaffer	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	40	40	120	120	12	12	1172	105	125	230
Seymour and Mansfield	B. D. Jones	* 600	50	650	600	50	650	....	26	22	78	78	7	7	757	50	110	160
Upshaw	(J. T. Black)	* 250	....	250	100	....	100	150	10	..	30	16	2	....	116	40	24	64
Urbana	M. L. Womack	450	50	500	410	50	460	40	20	1	60	54	6	6	521	25	75	100
Vichy	Julius Wegener	* 450	30	480	475	30	505	....	18	4	58	43	4	2	554	50	30	80
		13088	1225	14313	12034	1225	13259	1079	559	369	1705	1507	159	127	15262	1509	1384	2893

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LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																														Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS																																					
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension			Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants							Woman's Home Missionary Society																	
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Ava	3			3					1										7								7
Buffalo	5			10		10			2										27								27
Buffalo Ct.	4			4															8								8
Conway	40			40			4		4	2				4	1	3	2		102	11		2		13			115
Dixon	21			21			4			1					1		15		63	10	2			12			75
Eldon	20			10						1				3	1				35	6				6			41
Gainesville									1																		
Hartville	10			10										5					25	5				5			30
High Point	7			14			2			1		2		2					29	3		1		4			33
Houston and Cabool	15			15			2		1	1				2	1				36			1		1			37
Iberia	1			1															2								2
Lebanon	25			25			2		6	5				8		2			73	10		3	14	27			100
Lebanon Ct																											
Lecoma	10			10					2	1		2							25			2					25
Licking	20			20			2		8	1		11		2					64	25				27		5	96
Linn Creek				2															2			2	24				2
Marshfield	35	15		35	15		5		2	2				5	1	40			155	32		2	28	58		2	215
Mountain Grove	45			45					5	2				3	1				101	30				60			161
Mountain Grove Ct.	1			1															2								2
Newbury	5			6					3	1				2	1				18			2		2			20
Orla	2			2										1		1	1		7								7
Phillipsburg	7			7			1					3							18							1	19
Plato																											
Richland	30		150	180					4	1				2					59	4		2		6			65
Rolla	33	7		32	8		2		7	1				3		19			112	15		2		17		5	134
Seymour and Mansfield	35	10		35	10		4		3	2	2			4					105	10			9	19		1	125
Upshaw																											
Urbana	4			4			1												9								9
Vichy	3			10					2										15								15
	381	32	150	435	33	10	29		51	22	2	18		46	7	65	18		1099	161	2	19	75	257		14	1370

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ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

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	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Cuba	12	105	1	1	2	13	2	15	145	..	....	1	50	3	3000	1	500	15	.....	.....
Pacific	10	45	1	..	5	8	2	16	125	1	26	1	30	2	3700	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Louis, Bowman	53	328	1	1	30	16	1	42	615	1	90	..	...	1	30000	..	.....	150	760	11200
Calvary	5	31	..	..	8	1	1	6	40	..	....	..	...	1	2000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carondelet	27	244	1	4	28	5	1	26	239	1	45	1	20	1	15000	..	.....	50	.....	.....
Chouteau Place	11	217	..	2	5	...	1	16	104	1	55	1	25	1	23000	..	.....	18000	.....	10000
Dr. Fry Memorial	11	238	1	1	7	4	1	22	284	1	51	1	42	1	27000	1	4500	70	.....	7000
Hagerty Memorial	...	84	1	..	3	3	1	16	110	1	40	1	20	1	12000	..	.....	8000	75	4000
Harlem Place	9	79	..	..	1	...	1	25	150	1	45	..	...	1	3800	1	3300	100	.....	1500
Jennings and Walnut Park	...	66	..	2	7	2	2	25	170	2	47	..	...	2	2650	..	.....	.....	.....	50
Lindell Ave.	6	367	1	5	5	4	1	27	195	..	....	..	...	1	135000	1	15000	500	.....	.....
Maple Ave.	4	517	2	4	4	6	1	38	292	1	77	..	...	1	75000	1	11000	3134	.....	15000
Maplewood	1	132	..	3	7	1	1	21	190	1	40	1	10	1	7500	..	.....	50	140	1360
St. Lukes	...	159	..	..	3	...	1	20	220	1	50	..	...	1	9000	1	8000	100	.....	7000
Shrewsburg	...	16	1	..	...	2	1	7	60	1	22	1	12	1	2000	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trinity	51	306	..	3	33	9	1	26	270	1	90	1	55	1	25000	..	.....	279	.....	.....
Union	53	642	3	13	11	6	1	47	612	1	105	1	50	1	77000	1	12000	45223	.....	.....
Wagoner Mem.	8	300	3	1	13	6	1	31	400	1	75	1	50	1	40000	..	.....	60	540	8000
Winsor Mem.	5	42	..	..	5	4	1	14	121	1	12	1	39	1	12000	1	3500	946	.....	6950
Salem	4	60	..	..	...	...	1	6	40	..	....	..	...	2	2000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
Sullivan	42	104	..	..	1	18	1	10	96	1	22	1	42	1	1500	..	.....	40	.....	200
Sligo	7	65	1	..	...	10	2	15	145	1	20	1	20	...	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
	319	4147	17	40	178	118	26	471	4625	19	912	14	465	26	542350	9	58800	76717	1515	72260

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		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total		Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Cuba	(W. Ward Smith)	* 400	72	472	400	72	472	....	18	16	47	47	6	6	241	60	90	150
Pacific	(W. T. Walker)	* 360	....	360	360	....	360	....	14	14	36	36	4	4	414	125	35	160
St. Louis—Bowman	S. E. Betts	500	50	550	560	50	550	....	13	64	160	160	20	20	1844	1603	226	1829
Calvary	(Raymond S. Rees)	x 150	....	150	150	....	150	....	5	6	15	15	2	2	173	30	20	50
Caronlelet	Peter R. Hoos	1000	....	1000	1050	....	1050	....	40	40	100	100	12	12	1202	400	288	688
Chouteau Place	H. C. Leonard	1000	....	1000	1000	....	1000	....	40	40	100	100	12	13	1153	200	125	325
Dr. Fry Memorial	Eli P. Anderson	1300	420	1720	1300	420	1720	....	68	68	172	172	22	22	1982	1104	246	1350
Hagerty Memorial	R. B. Templeton	x 800	....	800	800	300	1100	....	32	32	80	80	10	10	1222	150	50	200
Harlem Place	Wm. Leatherman	x 700	200	900	700	200	900	....	36	36	90	90	10	10	1036	240	112	352
Jennings & Walnut Pk	(A. R. Wassell)	x 420	....	420	420	....	420	....	16	16	42	42	5	5	483	25	40	65
Lindell Avenue	Fayette L. Thompson	4000	1000	5000	4000	1000	5000	....	200	278	500	500	62	65	5843	7650	350	8000
Maple Avenue	M. H. Lichliter	3000	600	3600	3000	600	3600	....	144	144	360	360	45	45	4149	4926	355	5281
Maplewood	John E. Thackrey	x 800	....	800	800	....	800	....	32	32	80	80	10	10	922	305	148	453
St. Luke's	John W. Borah	1000	300	1300	1000	300	1300	....	52	52	130	130	16	16	1498	167	208	375
Shrewsbury	(Morton Wolfe)	150	....	150	150	....	150	....	6	6	15	15	2	2	173	35	16	51
Trinity	Ralph Wakefield	x1400	....	1400	1400	....	1400	....	56	56	140	140	16	16	1612	586	343	929
Union	Geo. Wood Anderson	3600	900	4500	3600	900	4500	....	180	250	450	450	56	70	5270	9056	604	9669
Wagoner Memorial	A. D. Ball	1600	....	1600	1600	....	1600	....	64	64	160	160	20	17	1841	500	220	720
Winsor Memorial	H. R. Osborn	x 200	240	440	225	240	465	....	17	18	44	46	5	....	529	42	42	84
Salem	.....	* 150	100	250	150	100	250	....	10	10	40	40	3	3	303	50	25	75
Sligo	G. H. Gideon	* 600	60	660	600	60	660	....	26	26	66	66	8	7	759	50	60	110
Sullivan	C. A. Erdman	* 400	....	400	400	....	400	....	16	16	40	40	5	5	461	46	48	94
		24630	3992	28522	24705	4192	28897	....	1137	1284	2867	2869	351	362	33410	27350	3651	31001

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	MISSIONS																												
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension			Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants						Woman's Home Missionary Society										
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Cuba	4	6		4	6				8	1		2		6	1	1	1		40	3				3			43
Pacific	3										1								4								4
St. Louis—Bowman	50	15	25	40							2			10		115			257	40				40		2	299
Calvary	1	4		4															9								9
Carondelet	26	17	95	26	17		2		7		4			4	1	61			260	8		3	41	52		2	314
Choutau Place	7	11		7	11		1		2	1	1			2	1	57			101				20	20		2	123
Dr. Fry Memorial	93	15	88	65	15		4		7	18		2		15	2	59	46	32	461	40		5	350	395			856
Hagerty Memorial	10	15		10	15		1		4		4	6		2	2	9			78	15			33	48			126
Harlem Place	5	23		5	23		1		2	5	1	1		5	1				72	14				14		2	88
Jennings & Walnut Pk	4	4		4	4		1				2			1					20							2	22
Lindell Avenue	1094	50	1115	385	50	250	1130		30	70		41		95	10	400	500	91	5311	181			8629	8810			14121
Maple Avenue	200	200	100	100	200	15	10	5	30	20	5	10		45	25	538	250	11	1764	100		5	758	863		5	2632
Maplewood	22	19		17	19		1			5				8					91	15		1	53	69			160
St. Luke's	34	31		30	30				4	4				12	1		40		186	15			81	96			282
Shrewsbury																											
Trinity	90	10	60	100					6		6			19	3	107			401	30			124	154			559
Union	700	100	3614	700	100		24		80	75		25		160	10	1070	114	122	6894	180			1062	1242	25	6	8167
Wagoner Memorial	100			40	50		3		10		10			10	4	26			253	40			33	73		1	327
Winsor Memorial	14	8		14	8				4										48			1		1		1	50
Salem	4			4						2									10								10
Sullivan	10	4		9	4					1				1					29								29
Sligo	2			1					1										4								4
	2473	532	5097	1565	552	265	1178	5	195	202	36	87		395	61	2443	951	256	16293	681		15	11184	11880	25	27	28225

STATISTICS NO. 1.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Alberta	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Appleton City	...	213	..	2	...	2	1	20	130	1	28	1	22	2	7500	1	1000	156	343	...
Clinton	8	470	2	4	12	10	1	32	345	1	60	1	45	1	20000	1	...	300	...	900
Deepwater	...	175	..	1	3	1	2	25	243	1	9	..	...	2	4300	1	900	1400	130	150
Dresden	8	127	1		1	2	2	18	136	1	25	..	...	2	2700	1	800	404	...	...
Eldorado Springs	22	298	1	4	1	14	1	21	290	1	37	1	80	1	5000	1	1000	275	...	...
Eldorado Springs Circuit	2	80	2	1	2	...	3	18	85	..	...	..	...	2½	1800	..	...	10	...	...
Green Ridge	...	172	1	3	3	...	2	30	90	2	80	..	...	3	5000	1	600	80	...	...
Huntingdale	3	123	..	1	1	2	2	21	41	..	...	..	...	2	2700	1	600	...	...	...
Knob Noster	...	140	..	1	2	...	1	9	40	1	30	..	...	3	5000	1	1000	410	...	...
Lincoln and Warsaw	...	35	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	1	1800	1	600	...	...	...
Malta Bend	8	123	1	1	1	2	2	15	95	1	25	1	25	2	4500	1	1000	...	...	...
Marshall	5	109	2	..	2	10	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	1	11000	..	...	...	...	...
Montrose	...	100	1	..	...	...	4	25	190	..	...	..	...	4	4400	1	900	...	...	...
Odessa and Higginsville	...	130	..	3	1	9	1	10	58	1	20	..	...	3	5000	1	1200	115	...	...
Pilot Grove	6	104	..	1	...	...	1	15	57	1	26	..	...	1	1300	1	700	187	...	...
Rockville	4	153	1	..	...	1	2	18	112	1	13	..	...	3	3300	1	800	85	...	...
Schell City	4	196	..	2	1	1	2	26	119	2	60	1	20	2	2800	1	800	19	...	...
Sedalia First Church	10	557	1	6	6	33	1	36	478	1	102	1	90	1	40000	..	...	204	977	435
Epworth	12	384	3	2	18	14	3	14	130	2	40	..	...	2	12500	1	2500	850	400	1100
Smithton	...	215	..	3	3	...	1	14	150	1	32	1	28	1	4000	1	1200	225	...	...
Tipton	7	151	1	6	...	6	1	15	105	1	40	..	...	2½	8000	1	900	50	...	...
Urich	...	275	..	2	...	25	3	28	172	1	25	..	...	3	5500	..	...	300	50	...
Warrensburg	23	422	1	8	1	13	1	31	175	1	63	1	64	1	20000	1	3500	526	...	...
Windsor	9	200	1	2	2	47	2	25	240	1	36	..	...	2	6000	2	3000	360	...	...
	131	4954	19	53	60	198	38	474	3601	22	791	9	429	48	184100	20	22700	5956	1900	2535

STATISTICS NO. 3.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church: Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Alberta		* 465	35	500				500	5	5	52	35	5		40			
Appleton City	J. M. Carter	900	100	1000	900	100	1000		24	10	105	110	10	12	1132	144	60	204
Clinton	W. N. Gaither	1500		1500	1500		1500		34	36	157	165	15	15	1716	400	180	580
Deepwater	J. M. Mason	600	100	700	545	100	645	55	16	12	73	73	8	7	737	220	105	325
Dresden	Geo. T. Beard	500	50	550	500	50	550		11		58	97	8	11	618	35	70	105
Eldorado Springs	L. L. Brannon	810	90	900	810	90	900		18	18	94	99	10	10	1027	170	80	250
Eldorado Springs Ct.	I. M. Galbraith				60		60		3	4		29	3	1	94	20	20	40
Green Ridge	(E. A. Pierce)	500	60	560	380	60	x 440	120	16	5	59	59	7	7	511	125	46	171
Huntingdale	J. F. Peiffer	500	50	550	500	50	550		16	16	58	58	7	7	631	30	29	50
Knob Noster	L. R. Nichols	* 560	85	645	496	85	581	64	10	10	68	71	6	6	668	85	18	103
Lincoln and Warsaw		*							5		41		5					
Malta Bend	A. J. McCullough	1000	75	1075	1000	75	1075		18	9	113	97	10	5	1186	120	45	165
Marshall	Clinton Senneff	* 800		800	466		466	334	10	7	84	44	8	6	523	60		60
Montrose		* 340	50	390				390	10		41		5					
Odessa and Higginsville	John C. Stille	* 475	120	595	393	120	513	82	10	10	63	56	7	6	585	69	22	91
Pilot Grove	Laban Anderson	500	50	500	550	50	550		13	13	57	60	6	6	629	88	40	128
Rockville	Mack L. Stille	400	60	460	305	60	365	95	13	10	48	40	6	5	420	50	35	85
Schell City	Orville E. Crain	540	60	600	540	60	600		14	14	63	66	8	8	688	100	38	138
Sedalia, First Church	Grant A. Robbins	2000		2000	2000		2000		52	100	210	220	20	21	2341	1217	274	1491
Epworth Church	C. R. Carlos	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200		22	22	126	132	12	12	1366	250	200	450
Smithton	F. S. Beggs	700	100	800	700	100	800		20	20	84	88	10	9	917	125	50	175
Tipton	G. F. Bundy	650	50	700	650	50	700		15	15	73	72	8	8	795	170	60	230
Urich	P. A. Bingman	* 520		520	625	65	690		7	7	55	75	6	6	778	350	135	485
Warrensburg	Perry E. Pierce	1100	200	1300	1100	200	1300		34	34	136	143	14	14	1491	240	155	395
Windsor	J. C. Kirk	* 700	100	800	800	100	900		16	25	84	88	7	7	1020	85	135	220
		17060	1635	18695	15770	1615	17385	1640	412	402	1961	1954	206	189	19930	4153	1788	5941

*Have Missionary Appropriations.
xFor Nine Months.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																					Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants						Woman's Home Missionary Society											
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																									
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Alberta	7			7			2							1					17	2		2		21			21
Appleton City	22	13		22	13		1		5	3	2			5		64			150	15				165		2	167
Clinton	115	60	75	115	69		7		7	3	2		10	14	1	64			533	40		2	125	700		3	703
Deepwater	30	7		26	7		2		2	2				2					78	7	1	2		88		1	89
Dresden	27	2		27	2		2		5	3		11		7					86	1		2		89			89
Eldorado Springs	67	11	15	67	11		10		9	5				10	1				206	21		3	10	238		3	241
Eldorado Springs, Ct.	8		3	8		1													20					20			20
Green Ridge	17	8	11	4	6	11	2	2	1	3	2			8	2				77	7		15		99		1	100
Huntingdale	17		10	17					5					3		21			73					73	2		75
Knob Noster	30			30					3					3					66	8				74			74
Lincoln and Warsaw	4			3															7				5	7			12
Malta Bend	22	3		22	3		2		9					3					64	10			215	289			289
Marshall	2	4		2	4								1		2				15	1			2	18			18
Montrose	2																		2					2			2
Odessa and Higginsville	40			40			4		1	3		6		5	10				109	18		2	20	149		1	150
Pilot Grove	37	3		37	3		2		7	2				8					99	10		2		111		1	112
Rockville	33	3		22	3				2	1				2					66	4		1		71		2	73
Schell City	35	10		35	10		3				3			8	1				105	10	1	1	25	142			142
Sedalia—First Church	170	50		170	50	32	30		16	15			7	25	5	250	11		831	75	20	5	212	1143		6	1149
Epworth	50	25		50	25		6		15	6		8		12					197	22		3	45	267		4	271
Smithton	65	5	50	65	5		5		5	5			7	8	2	153			375	24		3		402		2	404
Tipton	46	9		46	9		3		14		7			8	3	65			210	20		3		233		1	234
Urich	15			15			3			2				3	1				39	2				41			41
Warrensburg	101	14		101	14		5		7	8		13		15		120			398	33	16	4	12	463		3	466
Windsor	5	15		10	10									7					47	16	5	3		71			71
	967	242	164	941	235	44	89	2	113	61	16	39	24	157	28	737	11		3870	346	43	53	671	4983	2	30	5015

STATISTICS NO. 1.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Ash Grove	5	130	..	2	...	7	2	12	103	1	36	..	...	4	4200	1	1000	35	.....	321
Aurora	3	140	..	3	2	1	1	18	200	1	30	1	90	1	3000	1	1000	1100	.....	400
Billings	...	100	..	2	2	1	1	19	135	1	25	1	33	1	2000	1	600	175	.....	.....
Bolivar	2	186	..	1	...	1	2	24	148	1	22	..	...	2	4500	1	1500	350	.....	.....
Cassville Circuit	...	140	2	2	3	4	3	18	100	1	25	..	...	3½	5000	1	600	20	.....	.....
Clever Circuit	15	172	2	4	5	21	2	15	85	..	...	..	...	4	3000	..	.....	40	.....	146
Dadeville	9	112	3	2	...	...	2	14	60	..	...	..	...	5	4000	1	600	.....	.....	112
Fair Play	5	178	2	..	...	...	1	10	60	1	27	..	...	3	4100	1	1000	61	100	175
Galena	7	128	..	..	...	...	2	22	80	..	...	..	...	3	3500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Golden City	3	220	1	1	...	35	2	25	195	1	45	..	...	1	4000	1	1000	203	.....	.....
Greenfield	21	146	1	2	...	...	1	23	150	1	41	1	23	1	1500	1	1400	75	100	504
Humansville	11	135	3	4	...	...	1	14	110	..	...	..	...	1	2500	1	600	75	.....	.....
La Russell	16	180	1	4	...	10	3	26	86	1	22	..	...	4	3800	..	.....	40	.....	100
Lockwood	...	163	2	3	1	3	1	29	75	1	35	1	30	1	2500	1	800	16	.....	.....
Marionville	5	359	2	6	5	8	1	21	285	1	67	2	70	1	3000	1	2500	2650	.....	.....
Marionville Circuit	1	83	1	..	...	2	1	6	35	..	...	..	...	4	4200	..	.....	150	.....	28
Monett	23	190	..	1	8	11	1	24	210	1	40	1	75	1	4300	1	1700	104	.....	.....
Mt. Vernon	3	135	1	1	1	1	1	17	135	1	42	1	34	1	6000	1	3000	2250	46	.....
Osceola	14	159	..	1	1	10	2	25	225	2	...	1	40	2	12000	1	1200	70	500	.....
Pierce City	4	63	..	..	1	5	1	15	90	1	35	1	20	1	4000	1	2000	70	25	.....
Republic	40	162	..	3	...	62	1	19	220	1	50	1	52	1	3500	1	700	90	.....	.....
Springfield Circuit	2	131	..	..	1	19	3	21	100	1	12	..	...	3	3000	..	.....	60	.....	.....
Devers Benton Ave.	9	325	3	1	2	5	1	30	225	1	45	1	40	1	16000	1	4000	325	.....	500
Dailey Memorial	6	112	1	1	...	...	1	15	100	..	...	..	...	1	12000	1	2500	79	.....	400
Grace	15	730	..	5	52	20	1	32	312	1	70	1	40	1	40000	1	6000	.....	800	600
Mt. Carmel	13	114	2	2	7	...	2	28	337	2	75	2	60	2	4800	1	1800	253	35	3500
Stockton	4	256	1	3	4	3	4	30	60	1	44	..	...	4	5700	2	1100	100	.....	550
Taneyville	3	47	1	2	...	3	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	1	500	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Weableau	3	197	1	2	...	...	3	20	145	1	20	..	...	4	6000	1	300	450	.....	.....
	242	5193	30	58	95	232	47	552	4186	24	808	15	607	62½	172600	24	36900	8841	1606	7336

STATISTICS NO. 3.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Ash Grove	(J. A. Brown)	* 430	60	490	434	60	494	....	19	..	48	43	6	....	537	.....	10	10
Aurora	J. F. King	700	....	700	700	....	700	....	27	25	64	64	9	5	794	.....	85	85
Billings	(Walter Ross)	540	60	600	480	60	540	60	17	6	52	48	5	2	596	60	45	105
Bolivar	T. E. Prall	800	75	875	747	75	822	53	35	19	86	76	11	6	923	86	58	144
Cassville Ct.	(W. G. Whitehead)	* 360	60	420	360	60	420	....	14	1	40	16	4	4	441	.....	.....	.....
Clever Ct.	(James Lokey)	335	....	335	160	....	160	175	13	..	32	....	4	....	160	50	45	95
Dadeville	(W. F. Yeager)	* 340	50	390	265	50	315	75	14	2	36	27	4	1	345	20	40	60
Fairplay	(W. F. Bigler)	550	60	610	308	60	368	242	24	20	69	66	7	7	456	25	36	61
Galena	W. C. Heiskell	* 300	....	300	56	....	56	244	12	3	50	50	4	2	111	.....	.....	.....
Golden City	A. M. Dixon	700	100	800	700	100	800	....	32	32	84	84	10	10	926	92	90	182
Greenfield	M. D. Morris	600	60	660	600	60	660	....	26	26	66	66	8	8	760	116	72	188
Humansville	N. T. Pace	* 450	50	500	405	50	455	45	20	15	56	56	6	4	530	75	45	120
La Russell	W. C. Heiskell	* 295	....	295	289	....	289	6	14	..	40	31	4	....	320	.....	.....	.....
Lockwood	L. H. Smith	600	75	675	491	74	565	110	25	10	60	56	8	2	633	68	85	153
Marionville	W. D. Sidman	1000	60	1060	1000	60	1060	....	42	42	110	110	13	13	1225	150	100	250
Marionville Ct.	Elmer Sandmeyer	* 255	....	255	74	....	74	181	9	..	24	8	3	....	82	20	20	40
Monett	S. F. Stevens	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	....	40	20	100	100	12	9	1129	145	100	245
Mt. Vernon	G. J. Hunt	1000	60	1060	1000	60	1060	....	42	32	110	110	13	13	1215	144	103	247
Osceola	D. T. Simmons	800	100	900	800	100	900	....	36	36	96	96	11	11	1043	60	100	160
Pierce City	W. O. Tolbart	* 300	75	375	300	75	375	....	16	15	40	40	5	4	429	42	40	62
Republic	J. C. Gilbreath	600	60	660	610	60	670	....	22	26	56	56	7	7	759	125	70	195
Springfield Ct.	(J. L. Medsker)	* 255	....	255	235	....	235	20	11	11	32	20	3	3	269	7	33	40
Bevers Benton Avenue	H. B. Foster	1100	244	1344	1100	244	1344	....	50	20	120	120	15	12	1496	275	150	325
Dailey Memorial	G. A. Pegram	750	200	950	476	200	676	274	34	4	68	37	11	1	718	56	35	91
Grace	J. W. Stewart	2000	400	2400	2000	400	2400	....	84	00	232	232	26	19	2751	900	200	1100
Mt. Carmel	W. Frank Baker	* 700	120	820	535	120	655	165	33	4	58	45	9	3	707	125	90	215
Stockton	(D. W. Giberson)	* 600	48	648	475	60	535	113	21	2	48	48	7	1	586	45	40	85
Taneyville		*	....	.....	46	....	46	....	....	..	....	14	....	....	60	.....	.....	.....
Weaubleau	(L. E. Lurvey)	* 495	24	519	278	24	302	217	17	6	48	37	5	2	347	.....	.....	.....
		17755	2141	19896	15824	2152	17976	1980	749	477	1928	1756	230	149	20348	2686	1692	4258

*Have Missionary Appropriations.
xFor Four Months.

STATISTICS NO. 4.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																				Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants					Woman's Home Missionary Society											
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																								
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Ash Grove	3			3						1				2	1				10	5				15		1	16
Aurora	14	6		14	6				7					2		26	3		78	28			10	108			108
Billings	8	6		14						1				2	1				32	5				37			37
Bolivar	26	6		26	6					2				7	1	42			116	16			12	144			144
Cassville Ct.	3			3							1								7					7			7
Clever Ct.																											
Dadeville	3			3			5	1		1				1	1	8			23	5		1		29	3		32
Fairplay	11			11						6		2		1					31	20				51	2		53
Galena	7			2										2					11					11			11
Golden City	30	30		45	15					7				12	3				142	35		2	10	189		1	190
Greenfield	50			50			1			5				10	3				119	30		2	8	159		2	161
Humansville	11	9		11	9		3		3		2			4					52	12	5	1	5	75	2		77
La Russell	9			6															15	1				16			16
Lockwood	8	7		8	7									5					35	10				45		1	46
Marionville	30	20		40	20				2	2				10	1	56	24		195	50		3	79	327			327
Marionville Ct.	2			2						1				1	1			5	12	2		1		15			15
Monett	30	35		40			5		3	2				8	1	47			171	27		2	15	215		1	216
Mt. Vernon	44	6		44	6				10	5				10	2	25			158	31		2	9	200		1	201
Osceola	65	10		65	10				7	7				17	4	52			242	40	5	3		290		1	291
Pierce City	6	12		6	12				2		2			3			4	6	53	9		1	8	70		2	72
Republic	30	10		30	10					4				8	3				95	30		2	9	136			136
Springfield Ct.	17	3		20						1				4	1				46	13	1			60			60
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Grace	185	65		250						20				25	5	127	240		917	120		5		1042			1042
Mt. Carmel	4			4								4		1					13	5		1	6	25	2	1	28
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STATISTICS NO. 1

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAME OF DISTRICTS	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Carthage	305	7242	14	62	108	715	57	801	7806	35	1574	19	721	57½	225500	24	40000	31566	492	33114
Farmington	237	3740	23	39	90	250	58	426	4064	12	435	7	271	65½	110400	15	15600	1892	3349	4494
Kansas City	367	8045	7	74	115	324	43	771	7126	25	1420	13	524	44½	809350	18	48700	18619	25928	70413
Lebanon	230	4406	43	59	64	299	48	419	3678	18	676	7	318	71½	107750	21	17950	8616	740	100
Sedalia	131	4954	19	53	60	198	38	474	3601	22	791	9	429	48	184100	20	22700	5956	1900	2525
St. Louis	319	4147	17	40	178	118	26	471	4625	19	912	14	465	26	542350	9	58800	76717	1515	72260
Springfield	242	5193	30	58	95	232	47	552	4186	24	808	15	607	62½	172600	24	36900	8841	1606	7336
Totals	1831	37727	153	385	710	2136	317	3914	35086	155	6616	84	3335	375¾	2052050	131	240650	152207	35630	190252
Totals last year	2105	35688	149	290	580	1718	317	3930	32280	149	6326	84	3187	379¼	1815410	124	208395	55532	31830	183514
Increase	....	2039	4	95	130	428	...	....	2806	6	290	..	148	.....	236640	7	32253	96675	3800	6738
Decrease	274	.....	...	...	...	....	...	16	.....	..	....	..	....	4½	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....

STATISTICS NO. 3

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
	Claims			Receipts													
	Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Carthage	22540	2692	25232	22339	2692	25031	835	1005	865	2280	2200	314	283	28379	6464	3667	10131
Farmington	13695	1500	15195	11416	1275	12691	2504	586	213	1635	1500	135	74	14486	1395	1199	2594
Kansas City	37519	3070	40589	35485	2921	38406	1188	1564	1338	3507	3261	532	447	43442	18655	4543	23198
Lebanon	13088	1225	14313	12034	1225	13259	1079	559	369	1705	1507	159	127	15262	1509	1384	2893
Sedalia	17060	1635	18695	15770	1615	17385	1640	412	402	1961	1954	206	189	19930	4153	1788	5941
St. Louis	24630	3992	28522	24705	4192	28897	....	1137	1284	2867	2869	351	360	33410	27350	3651	31001
Springfield	17755	2141	19896	15824	2152	17976	1996	723	1271	413	883	140	185	16261	10029	1216	11235
Totals	146287	16255	162442	137573	16072	153645	9242	749	475	1925	1756	230	146	20348	2686	1692	4258
Total last year	131068	14527	150495	125392	15133	140525	9970	5992	4946	15880	15055	1827	1626	175257	62212	17924	80016
Increase	15219	1728	11947	12181	939	13120	....	5269	3675	15467	14172	1787	1441	158996	52183	16708	68781
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	728	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																					Other Benevolent Collections								
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Board of Con. Claimants						Woman's Home Missionary Society												
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																										
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Carthage	1153	393	21	1089	360	...	32	..	165	109	43	22	5	256	38	1036	15	....	4737	627	13	42	425	1107	...	45	5889
Farmington	233	144	60	237	145	5	5	13	14	20	31	30	2	63	10	87	32	21	1152	268	5	12	898	1183	...	16	2357
Kansas City	2135	675	414	2008	609	47	57	1	281	194	72	38	25	545	107	4012	1774	141	13135	679	14	82	4652	5427	19	22	18523
Lebanon	381	32	....	385	33	10	29	..	51	22	2	18	..	46	7	65	18	....	1099	161	2	19	75	257	...	14	1370
Sedalia	967	242	164	941	235	44	89	2	113	61	16	39	24	157	28	737	11	....	3870	346	43	53	671	4983	2	30	5015
St. Louis	2473	532	5097	1565	552	265	1178	5	195	202	36	87	..	395	61	2443	951	256	16293	681	...	15	11184	11880	25	27	28225
Springfield	640	256	....	748	126	...	18	1	43	66	7	9	..	148	31	433	328	11	2866	527	12	31	.....	3612	14	13	3639
Totals	7984	2274	5756	6973	2060	371	1416	22	862	674	210	243	56	1610	282	8813	3129	429	43152	3289	89	254	17905	44449	60	167	65018
Totals last year	6791	1949	1909	6397	1563	196	608	15	732	397	73	108	..	1468	210	6898	2276	1210	31655	2632	358	1	28186	46772	131	162	63127
Increase	1193	325	3847	576	497	175	808	7	130	277	137	135	..	142	12	1915	853	....	11497	657	...	...	.....	.....	...	5	1891
Decrease	....	....	....	....	....	...	....	..	...	...	...	...	..	....	...	....	....	789	.....	....	269	...	.....	2323	71	...	.....

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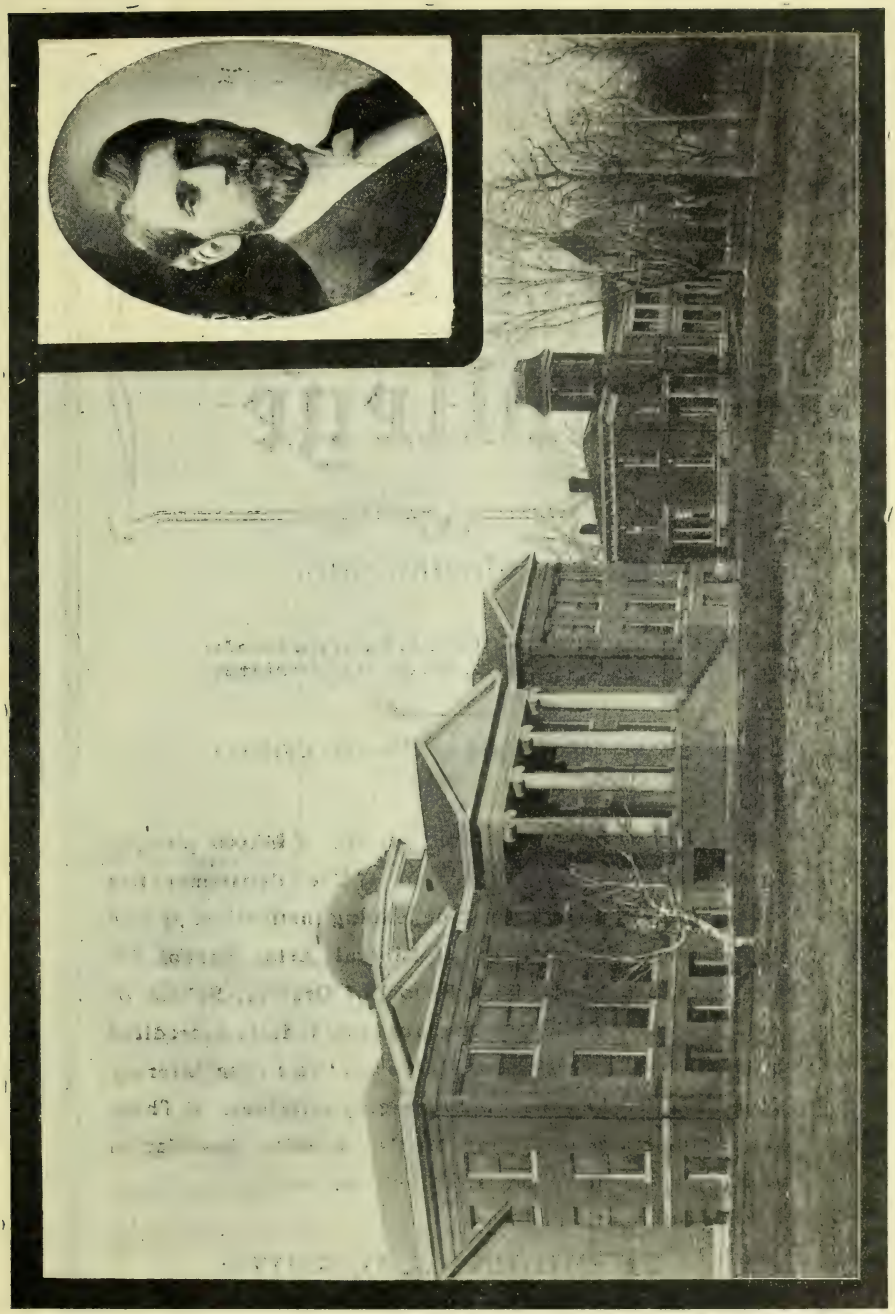

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Avilla.....Chas. C. Crockett 1
Butler.....Claude S. Hanby 1
Butler Circut .....
.....(Warren Forpaugh) 1
Carl Junction .....
.....Wm. R. Woodward 1
Carterville....W. Frank Baker 1
Carthage.....Samuel Blair 2
Carthage Circuit .....
.....(Charles Henson) 2
Hume.....Edward R. Horton 2
Iantha.....Oscar V. Suter 1
Jasper.....Wm. O. Thompson 2

Joplin—

Byers Ave...Henry B. Foster 2
Central Ave....Thos. E. Prall 1
Chitwood .....
.....Purnell E. Bingman 1
Epworth.Purnell E. Bingman 1
First Church.....
.....Harvey A. Jones 2
Lamar.....Scott F. Stevens 2
Liberal.....John W. Moore 1
Moundville..(Gus A. Deitrich) 1
Nashville.(Claude Z. Allsbury) 1
Nevada.....Wm. P. Jinnett 2
Neosho.....Walter E. Brown 1
Oronogo and Neck City.....
.....Wm. L. Requa 1
Rich Hill and Foster.....
.....Martin V. Heidlebaugh 2
Sarcoxie.....Herbert B. Rhodes 3
Seneca....(Lewis F. Gilbreath) 1
Sheldon and Milo.....
.....Fred McGlumphrey 1
Spurgeon.(Herbert T. Sanders) 1
Webb City.....R. O. Everhart 1
Webb City Circuit.....
.....To be supplied

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Bloomfield.....O. R. Sides 1
Bloomfield Circuit.....
.....(D. E. Fields) 1
Bonne Terre....(A. Tremayne) 1
Chapin.....To be supplied
Cornwall.....(M. W. Krieger) 1
Courtois.....(J. H. Hicks) 1
De Soto.....Arthur Halter 1
De Soto Circuit..To be supplied
Doe Run.....Jesse J. Pruitt 2
Dudley.....(A. W. Hill) 1
Farmington.....J. W. Borah 1
Flat River.....(D. E. Barrett) 2
Fruitland.....(A. H. Barnes) 2
Irondale and Graniteville.....
.....(Robert Treganza) 1
Ironton.....(W. T. Street) 1
Lutesville.....(D. P. Cole) 1
Mountain View....C. V. Bryan 2
Patten.....To be supplied
Perryville.....M. O. Morris 1
Poplar Bluff.....F. E. DuBois 1
Poplar Bluff Circuit.....
.....(G. W. Davis) 5
Puxico.....(J. A. Kirkman) 1
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.....(J. M. Willard) 1
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Cleveland.....To be supplied
Courtney.....J. T. Bainbridge 2
Drexel.....W. S. Courtney 3
East Lynn..(A. M. Carpenter) 1
Garden City....(A. F. Haynes) 1
Holden.....J. C. Kirk 3
Independence.....W. R. Nelson 3
Kansas City—
Arlington.....G. H. Cooper 3
Bennington Heights.....
.....E. H. Sapp 2
Beaumont.....To be supplied
Broadway...H. G. Humphrey 5
City Missions.....
.....J. R. Postlethwait 1
Grace.....F. O. Moore 2
Grand Ave...E. B. Olmstead 4
Howard Memorial.....
.....W. F. Sheridan 4
Hyde Park.....N. Luccock 4
.....R. V. Maloney 1
Independence Avenue.....
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Linwood Boulevard.....
.....E. Combie Smith 4
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Sugar Creek..To be supplied
Summit St.....R. H. Lint 1
Twenty-ninth St. Institute...
.....J. R. Postlethwait 3
Kingsville.....(M. F. Murphy) 1
Lees Summit...Frederick Getty 3
Oak Grove.....C. V. Bigler 3
Pleasant Hill.....Wm. R. Ward 1

LEBANON DISTRICT.

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Belle.....L. V. Hassell 1
Buffalo.....C. C. Hull 1
Cabool.....G. F. Bundy 1
Conway.....C. F. Tippin 5
Eldon.....B. D. Jones 3
Gainsville.....(J. W. Bivins) 2
Hartville.....James T. Carnett 1
Houston.....(F. L. Lawless) 1
Iberia.....(G. T. Bishop) 1
Lebanon.....W. A. A. Fortner 1
Lebanon Circuit.....
.....(W. McClanahan) 1
Licking.....J. L. Beard 1
Linn Creek..(J. F. McSpadden) 2
Marshfield.....To be supplied
Mt. Grove.....A. M. Livingston 2
Mt. Grove Circuit.....
.....(D. D. Killam) 1
Newburg and Dixon.....
.....W. E. Matthews 1
Olean.....(J. A. McFarland) 1
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St. Louis—
Bowman.....A. D. Ball 2
Carondolet....J. C. Gilbreath 1
Chouteau Place..L. C. Leonard 7
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.....J. W. Coontz 2
Hagerty Memorial.....
.....F. L. Geyer 3
Harlem Place..H. R. Osborne 3
Jennings and Walnut Park..
.....(Frank Finch) 1
Lindell Avenue..W. W. King 3
Maple Ave....M. H. Lichliter 5
Maplewood.....J. B. Johnson 2
St. Luke's.....J. F. King 2
Shrewsbury...To be supplied
Trinity.....R. A. Hunt 1
Union.....G. A. Robbins 1
University....To be supplied
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.....Thomas E. Greene 1
Winsor Memorial.....
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Sligo.....A. B. Garrison 2
Sullivan...(L. M. Alexander) 1

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Centerview....Laban Anderson 1
Clinton.....Ralph Wakefield 2
Deepwater.....To be supplied
Dresden.....(E. D. Robb) 1
Eldorado Springs.....
.....Grant G. Yeoman 3
Eldorado Springs Circuit.....
.....(I. M. Galbraith) 4
Green Ridge.....Geo. T. Beard 1
Huntingdale.....R. O. Williams 1
Knob Noster....To be supplied
Lincoln and Warsaw.....
.....To be supplied
Malta Bend...Wm. Leatherman 2
Marshall.....To be supplied
Montrose.....(Lee Cross) 1
Odessa.....W. F. Baker 2
Pilot Grove.....T. A. Dowler 1
Rockville.....J. M. Mason 1
Schell City.....V. C. Clark 2
Sedalia—
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Smithton.....Zed Wright 2
Tipton.....J. A. Webb 2
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Warrensburg.....P. E. Pierce 4
Windsor.....W. G. Rector 1

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Aurora.....F. S. Beggs 1
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Fair Play.....H. F. Dorcas 1
Galena.....(Jas. Pine) 1
Golden City.....G. M. Foster 1
Greenfield.....C. F. McLean 1
Humansville....To be supplied
La Russell.....E. N. Garrett 2
Lockwood.....C. L. Oswald 2
Marionville.....W. D. Sidman 5
Marionville Circuit.....
.....(E. F. Yeager) 2
Monett.....Clinton Senneff 2
Mount Vernon.Everett Simpson 3
Osceola.....D. T. Simmons 3
Pierce City.....(Dr. Painter) 1
Purdy.....(Jas. Lokey) 1
Republic.....J. E. Owen 1
Springfield—
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.....To be supplied
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Grace Church.S. B. Campbell 2
Hagerty Memorial.....
.....To be supplied
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Springfield Circuit.....
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Stockton.....F. R. Cubit 1
Taneyville.....To be supplied
Weaubleau.....To be supplied

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E. E. Dagley, assigned to work in the East Oklahoma Mission.
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H. F. Miller, left without appointment to attend school.
L. H. Sweetland, left without appointment to attend school.
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A. P. Keast, left without appointment to attend school.
Rowland Hill, left without appointment to attend school.
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Shirely Peters, left without appointment to attend school.
Rector Greene, left without appointment to attend school.
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Getty, Frederick	1889	1907	Lee's Summit
Geyer, Francis L.	1902	1911	St. Louis
Gideon, Thomas J.*	1882	1890	Hartville
Gilbreath, J. Charles	1907	1907	St. Louis
Gilliland, C. V.	----	1912	Farmington
Gillespie, John H.	1873	1873	Sheridan, Wyo.
Glover, Henry L.	1889	1910	Appleton City
Hagerty, Thomas H.	1855	1863	1909 North Grand Ave., St. Louis
Hanby, Claude S.**	1910	1910	Butler
Harris, Jacob S.*	1870	1892	Cuba
Harris, Joseph*	1862	1888	Boston, Mass.
Harrison, Cyrus T.	1904	1904	
Heidlebaugh, Martin V.	1910	1910	Rich Hill
Hill, Rowland**	1909	1909	Kingsville
Hoos, Peter R.	1905	1905	Kansas City
Horton, Edward R.	1886	1911	Hume
Hummer, Amos G.	1897	1911	Anderson
Humphrey, Harry G.	1896	1896	Waldo Station, Kansas City
Hunt, George J.	1893	1893	Rolla
Hunt, Robert A.	1907	1907	St. Louis
Hurley, John H.*	1881	1893	Epworth, Ga.
James, Charles C.	1891	1908	625 Belmont Ave., Springfield
Jinnett, William P.	1903	1911	Nevada
Johnson, John B.	1896	1911	Maplewood, St. Louis
Jones, B. Douglas	1878	1894	Eldon
Jones, Harvey A.	1891	1911	509 W. 4th, Joplin
Jones, Samuel*	1873	1873	Clinton
Jones, William F.	1887	1887	Carthage
King, James F.	1907	1907	2617 Potomac, St. Louis
King, William W.	1882	1910	4412 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis
Kirk, J. Caleb	1904	1904	Holden
Knease, Thomas H.*	1872	1884	Seymour
Leatherman, William	1887	1900	Malta Bend
Leckliter, Francis P.	1899	1899	Sedalia
Leonard, Harry C.	1902	1905	3821 Greer Ave., St. Louis
Lichliter, McIlyar H.	1900	1908	5471 Clemons Ave., St. Louis
Lint, Richard H.	1894	1908	Kansas City
Livingstone, Alva M.	1897	1905	Mountain Grove
Lokey, James*	1879	1889	Clever
Luccock, Naphtali	1874	1889	3700 Broadway, Kansas City
Lunbeck, Isaac J. K.*	1870	1870	3918 E. 18th, Kansas City
Macurdy, William C.	1910	1910	Farmington
Maloney, R. V.	1896	1910	Kansas City

NAMES *Non-effective **Deacons	Admitted to Itineracy.	Entered this Conference	POSTOFFICES All in Missouri Unless Otherwise Stated
Martin, John J.	1878	1878	308 Lafayette St., Jefferson City
Mason, James M.	1907	1907	Rockville
Matthews, Walter E.	1893	1911	Newburg
McCormack, William R.	1894	1894	1817 Kensington Ave., Kansas City
McCulloch, Alfred J.	1898	1909	Winfield, Kan.
Miller, Aaron H.*	1875	1890	5582 Bartmer Ave., St. Louis
Miller, Edwin F.**	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kan.
Mitchell, Henry A.	1900	1900	West Plains
Moore, Floyd O.	1904	1904	820 W. 29th St., Kansas City
Moore, John N.*	1874	1907	524 Wallace Ave., Kansas City
Moore, John W.**	1910	1910	Liberal
Morris, Marvin O.**	1908	1908	Perryville
Moss, Glenn A.**	1909	1909	Richland
Needham, John W.	1890	1890	Mountain Grove
Needles, Joseph C.**	1912	1912	Belton
Neff, Frank	1901	1901	Tulsa, Okla.
Nelson, W. Riley	1897	1910	210 N. Delaware, Independence
Niblack, Bazil E.	1892	1897	Seymour
Odom, John F.	1906	1906	4320 E. 27th, Kansas City
Oechsli, Frank*	1872	1872	1040 Ohio St., Lawrence, Kan.
Olmstead, Edwin B.	1882	1909	2841 Harrison, Kansas City
Osborn, Harry R.	1892	1909	Harlem Place, St. Louis
Otwell, Thomas H.**	1910	1910	
Owen, Josiah E.		1912	Republic
Pare, William T.*	1886	1886	Humansville
Pierce, John N.*	1859	1865	Clinton
Pierce, Perry E.	1896	1896	Warrensburg
Pine, James*	1879	1879	Galena
Porter, James S.*	1873	1873	Knob Noster
Postlethwait, James R.**	1909	1909	4222 Greenwood Pl., Kansas City
Prall, Thomas E.	1897	1897	Joplin
Pruitt, Jesse J.**	1910	1910	Doe Run
Quayle, Bishop Wm. A.			Oklahoma City
Rector, William G.	1902	1911	Clever
Requa, William L.	1902	1902	Oronogo
Rhodes, Herbert B.**	1910	1910	Sarcoxie
Reser, Lewis G.	1892	1892	Marionville
Ridgway, David C.*	1863	1896	66 Pearl St., Springfield, Ohio
Robbins, Grant A.	1888	1909	3008 Lucas Ave., St. Louis
Rose, William H.*	1877	1911	Montrose, Colo., R. R. 3
Sapp, Electious H.	1888	1899	923 Newton Ave., Kansas City
Scarborough, Joseph	1909	1909	Richland
Schroeder, G. W.		1912	
Senneff, Clinton	1904	1904	Monett
Shaffer, Thomas P.	1899	1899	1610 Benton Ave., Springfield
Sidman, William D.	1895	1895	Marionville

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Simmons, William J.*	1876	1887	Marionville
Simmons, David T.	1892	1892	Osceola
Simpson, Everett	1899	1910	Mount Vernon
Slusher, John W.*	1887	1904	
Sheridan, Wilbur F.	1885	1909	3434 Campbell, Kansas City
Smith, E. Combie	1892	1909	2916 Olive St., Kansas City
Smith, Hervey*	1887	1887	Jamestown, Ohio
Smith, Julius	1884	1906	Baldwin, Kan.
Squier, Edgar A.*	1862	1900	Atlanta, Ill.
Stephens, William*	1866	1866	Belton
Stevens, Scott F.	1885	1902	Lamar
Stevenson, Carl**	1908	1908	Farmington
Stewart, John W.*	1877	1897	Anderson
Stewart, Oliver M.	1864	1869	1610 Jefferson, Kansas City
Stickney, Francis M.*	1872	1872	Eldon
Stille, John C.*	1905	1905	
Stone, Thomas	1903	1910	2545 Norton Ave., Kansas City
Suter, Oscar V.	1905	1905	Iantha
Sweetland, Leon H.	1907	1907	Evanston, Ill.
Thompson, Fayette L.	1885	1908	New York City
Thompson, Leon M.*	1895	1895	
Thompson, William O.**	1910	1916	Jasper, Mo.
Threlfall, Henry*	1866	1895	Galena, R. R. 1
Tippin, Charles F.	1896	1896	Conway
Toland, Henry	1885	1885	Sheridan, Wyo.
Tolbart, William O.	1907	1907	Billings
Wakefield, Ralph	1903	1903	Clinton
Warner, Samuel	1881	1881	Mt. Washington, Kansas City
Welch, John*	1858	1866	Eldorado Springs
Webb, J. Allen	1908	1911	Tipton
Wheeler, W. C.	1911	1911	Okmulgee, Okla.
Woodward, William R.	1910	1911	Carl Junction
Wright, William T.	1886	1886	4539 Gibson Ave., St. Louis
Wright, Zed**	1901	1910	Smithton
Yeager, Wilbur F.*	1880	1880	Marionville

PROBATIONERS

	NAME	Admitted on Trial	POSTOFFICE
3	Charles C. Hull**	1912	Buffalo
2	Grant G. Yeoman	1911	Eldorado Springs
2	Herbert F. Miller	1909	
2	Arthur P. Keast	1909	
2	Vestal C. Clark	1911	Schell City
2	James T. Carnett**	1911	Hartville
2	Theodore A. Dowler	1911	Pilot Grove
2	Clarence F. McClean	1911	Greenfield
2	Alva Garrison	1911	Sligo
2	Norman A. Seldon	1911	1112 Prospect Ave., Springfield
2	William R. Ward	1906	Pleasant Hill
2	Frank R. Cubit	1910	Stockton
1	Mills M. Anderson	1912	Buckner
1	Lewis K. Armentrout	1912	Cuba
1	Charles E. Crockett	1912	Avilla
1	Elza N. Garrett	1912	La Russell
1	Rector Green	1912	Joplin
1	Arthur A. Halter	1912	DeSoto
1	Lewis V. Hassell	1912	Belle
1	Christian L. Oswald	1912	Lockwood
1	William G. Rector	1912	Clever
1	Oscar A. Sides	1912	Bloomfield
1	Shirley Peters	1912	
1	John J. Wolf	1912	Phillipsburg
1	Fred McGlumphrey	1912	Sheldon
1	Richard O. Williams	1912	Huntingdale

Number of full members, 167.
Number of probationers, 26.

RULES FOR GOVERNMENT OF CONFERENCE

Re-Adopted March 20, 1912.

I. The Conference shall meet at 9 o'clock a. m. and hold religious services for half an hour, and adjourn at 12:30 p. m.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate (except that the President may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member requests it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene —namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till everyone desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a question has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless for special reasons the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer, and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of the Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instructions? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

XV. The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, and the Officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the Officers and Managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitous Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned, of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property, and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

XIX. Beginning with 1913 any pastor, whose report does not show that on his charge the claims for Ministerial Support have been pro-rated, shall before the adjournment of the session be called to the bar of the Conference to explain why it has not been done.

THE JOURNAL

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 20, 1912.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its forty-fourth session in the Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Kansas City, Mo., Bishop William A. Quayle presiding.

Opening Service—The Conference was called to order at 9:00 a. m. and opened with Organ Voluntary by Prof. Ernest F. Jores.

The devotions were conducted by Bishop Quayle and the music was led by the Conference Double Quartette. Hymn No. 388, beginning "A Charge to Keep I Have," was announced and sung.

Addresses—Addresses of welcome were delivered by Mayor Brown of Kansas City, Dr. Edwin B. Olmstead, pastor of Grand Avenue Church and M. F. Simmons a layman of Independence Avenue Church. Bishop Quayle responded in behalf of the Conference.

Roll Call—The Secretary of the last session of the Conference called the roll and the following members and probationers were present, viz.: E. P. Anderson, Laban Anderson, G. W. Anderson, J. T. Bainbridge, W. F. Baker, William Frank Baker, A. D. Ball, F. S. Beggs, P. E. Bingman, Samuel Blair, J. W. Borah, D. W. Britton, W. E. Brown, S. B. Campbell, J. W. Coontz, G. H. Cosper, W. S. Courtney, C. V. Criss, D. W. Crow, F. R. Cubit, A. M. Dixon, H. F. Dorcas, D. C. Dutton, E. W. Elayer, C. A. Erdman, G. M. Foster, H. B. Foster, S. A. French, C. D. Fry, Frederick Getty, F. L. Geyer, T. J. Gideon, J. C. Gilbreath, H. L. Glover, T. H. Hagerty, M. V. Heidlebaugh, P. R. Hoos, E. R. Horton, A. G. Hummer,

H. G. Humphrey, G. J. Hunt, R. A. Hunt, C. C. James, W. P. Jinnett, J. B. Johnson, B. D. Jones, H. A. Jones, Samuel Jones, W. F. Jones, J. F. King, W. W. King, J. C. Kirk, William Leatherman, F. P. Leckliter, H. C. Leonard, M. H. Lichliter, R. H. Lint, A. M. Livingston, Naphtali Luccock, I. J. K. Lunbeck, W. C. Macurdy, J. J. Martin, J. M. Mason, W. R. McCormack, H. A. Mitchell, F. O. Moore, J. N. Moore, M. O. Morris, J. W. Needham, Frank Neff, W. R. Nelson, B. E. Niblack, J. F. Odom, Frank Oechsli, E. B. Olmstead, H. R. Osborn, J. N. Pierce, P. E. Pierce, James Pine, J. R. Postlethwait, Bishop Wm. A. Quayle, W. G. Rector, W. L. Requa, L. G. Reser, G. A. Robbins, E. H. Sapp, Joseph Scarborough, Clinton Senneff, T. P. Shaffer, W. D. Sidman, D. T. Simmons, Everett Simpson, F. W. Simpson, J. W. Slusher, W. F. Sheridan, E. C. Smith, Julius Smith, E. A. Squier, S. F. Stevens, O. M. Stewart, F. M. Stickney, Thomas Stone, O. V. Suter, Henry Threlfall, Ralph Wakefield, Samuel Warner, J. A. Webb, W. C. Wheeler, W. R. Woodward, W. T. Wright, Zed Wright, W. F. Yeager, J. E. Stickney.

Probationers—C. S. Hanby, J. J. Pruitt, W. O. Thompson, G. G. Yeoman, G. T. Beard, G. A. Moss, J. W. Null, H. B. Rhodes, A. H. Barnes, V. C. Clark, E. E. Dagley, T. A. Dowler, C. F. McLean, N. A. Seldon.

QUESTION The Second Question was taken up, viz.:

II. **Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?**

The following transfers into this Conference were announced, viz.: F. R. Cubit from the Arkansas Conference; J. E. Owen, from the Oklahoma; G. W. Schroeder, from the Austin; Lincoln A. Ferris from the Wyoming.

QUESTION The Fifteenth Question was taken up, viz.:

XV. **Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?**

The following transfers out of this Conference were announced, viz.: Louis Albert Banks and Joseph Pfeiffer, to

the Central Ohio; Edwin D. C. Koeth, to the Genesee; William F. Emery, to the Michigan; J. W. Huston, to the Colorado; William C. Heiskell, to the South Kansas; Elmer C. Sandmeyer, to the Iowa; Earl C. Wright, to the Central New York; C. M. Hollett, to the Cincinnati.

Organization—On nomination of W. F. Jones, Perry E. Pierce was re-elected Secretary and on his nomination, Harry C. Leonard, Thomas P. Shaffer and Everett Simpson were elected assistants.

On nomination of Eli P. Anderson, Frederick Getty was re-elected Treasurer and on his nomination, I. J. K. Lunbeck, Clinton Senneff, A. M. Dixon, W. L. Requa, Claud S. Hanby, Thomas Stone and Alva B. Garrison were elected assistants.

On nomination of C. C. James, W. D. Sidman was re-elected Statistical Secretary, and on his nomination J. J. Pruitt, N. A. Seldon, Glenn A. Moss, H. B. Rhodes, V. C. Clark, H. F. Dorcas, E. N. Garret and W. G. Rector were elected assistants.

On motion of the Secretary, the rules of the last Conference were adopted with the following changes: Rule I to read as follows: The Conference shall meet at 9 a. m. and hold religious service for half an hour and adjourn at 12:30 p. m. and the addition of Rule XIX to read as follows: Beginning with 1913 any pastor, whose report does not show that on his charge the claims for Ministerial Support have been pro-rated, shall before the adjournment of the session be called to the bar of the Conference to explain why it had not been done.

I. J. K. Lunbeck and E. H. Sapp were elected Postmasters.

J. R. Postlethwait was elected Railroad Secretary.

At the request of Dr. C. B. Spencer, H. B. Humphrey was elected Correspondent for the Central Christian Advocate.

Gifts—T. H. Hagerty presented the Bishop a gavel made of historic wood.

Bar—The bar of the Conference was fixed to include all the Auditorium in front of the Gallery.

Standing Committees—The Secretary of the Cabinet, C. C. James, presented the following standing committees and they were elected. (See Personal Notations.)

Drafts—The Bishop announced drafts of $30.00 from the Chartered Fund and $2,287 from the Book Concern.

QUESTION The Fourteenth Question was taken up, viz.:

XIV. **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

The following District Superintendents passed in character, viz.: Wm. F. Jones, Carthage District; W. C. McCurdy, Farmington District; E. P. Anderson, Kansas City District; Samuel Warner, Lebanon District; W. T. Wright, St. Louis District; C. V. Criss, Sedalia District; C. C. James, Springfield District.

W. F. Jones, W. C. McCurdy and E. P. Anderson read their reports.

At the request of the photographer, the Conference consented to have a photo taken after the adjournment of the morning session.

Addresses—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference: C. C. Stahlman, Superintendent of the Children's Home Society and Dr. Joseph B. Hingeley, Secretary of the Board of Conference Claimants, who presented a draft for $350 from the Connectional Fund.

Transfer—The Bishop, at the request of the Conference, transferred C. V. Gilliland from the South Dakota Conference to this Conference.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Dudley Smith, District Superintendent Lincoln Conference; Thomas E. Chandler, District Superintendent Ottawa District, South Kansas Conference; Dr. McClure, a Presiding Elder of the M. E. Church, South; I. F. Hodge and Don W. Nichols of the Southwest Kansas Conference; O. L. Sample of the Missouri Conference; Ray True of the South Kansas

Conference; Dr. Evans of the Columbia River Conference; R. Davis, O. A. Johnson and W. B. Jacobs of the Central Missouri Conference; J. P. Dew, South Illinois Conference.

Statistics—The Secretary called the roll of the districts and the Statistics were collected.

Sacrament—Bishop Quayle appointed E. B. Olmstead and S. B. Campbell to take charge of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with benediction.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday, 9 a. m.

The Conference convened at 9 a. m., Bishop Quayle presiding, and opened with Organ Voluntary.

The Bishop conducted the devotions, delivering an address on the Parable of the Talents.

Minutes—The minutes of Wednesday's session were read and approved.

Roll—The roll of absentees was called and the following members were present viz.: W. K. Chatten, F. E. Dubois, J. W. Finley, R. V. Maloney, W. E. Mathews, W. H. Rose, C. F. Tippin, William R. Ward, James T. Carnett.

On motion of the Secretary, the Conference dispensed with further calling of the roll.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Thomas J. Caldwell, George E. Satterlee and Oliver Bronston, of the South Kansas Conference; Frank E. Day, S. P. Stillman, John L. Bilby, of the Missouri Conference; I. B. Schreckengast, of the Nebraska Conference.

Address—Dr. J. A. Motter, Superintendent of Bethany Hospital was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Reports—The following District Superintendents read their reports, viz.: C. V. Criss of the Sedalia District; Samuel Warner of the Lebanon District; W. T. Wright of the St. Louis District.

Gift—G. J. Hunt in behalf of the preachers and laymen of the Lebanon District presented to Dr. Warner a watch as a token of their love and esteem. Dr. Warner feelingly responded.

QUESTION The Fourteenth Question was resumed, viz.:

XIV. **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

The following preachers passed in character and those present reported, viz.:

Carthage District—A. G. Hummer, Samuel Blair, G. M. Foster, E. R. Horton, J. W. Moore, W. O. Thompson, H. B. Foster, W. Frank Baker, W. R. Woodward, Harvey Jones, S. F. Stevens, W. P. Jinnett, G. F. Bundy, R. A. Hunt, M. V. Heidlebaugh, H. B. Rhodes, D. C. Dutton, Thos. Stone, W. H. Rose, E. E. Dagley.

Farmington District—M. O. Morris, D. W. Crow, J. J. Pruitt, A. H. Barnes, L. M. Thompson, J. W. Huston, C. V. Bryan, H. A. Mitchell, T. J. Gideon, J. E. Stickney, Joseph Scarborough, F. E. Dubois.

Lebanon District—C. F. Tippin, B. D. Jones, J. T. Garnett, G. A. Moss J. W. Borah, W. E. Mathews, Newton Hockensmith, J. W. Needham, A. M. Livingston, B. E. Niblack, G. J. Hunt, J. W. Null, E. H. Free.

Sedalia District—H. L. Glover, Ralph Wakefield, G. T. Beard, P. E. Bingham, G. G. Yeoman, W. Leatherman, W. F. Baker, F. P. Leckliter, G. A. Robbins, V. C. Clark, Zed Wright, J. A. Webb, P. E. Pierce, C. F. McClean.

Kansas City District—W. K. Chatten, D. W. Britton, J. T. Bainbridge, W. S. Courtney, J. C. Kirk, W. R. Nelson,

G. H. Cosper, L. A. Ferris, J. N. Moore, E. H. Sapp, H. G. Humphrey, F. O. Moore, E. B. Olmstead, W. F. Sheridan, N. Luccock, E. C. Smith, R. H. Lint, W. R. McCormack, F. W. Simpson, Walter Brown, J. C. Gilbreath, O. M. Stewart, J. R. Postlethwait, Rowland Hill, Frederick Getty, C. V. Bigler, C. S. Hanby.

C. V. Bryan was excused from attendance at this session of the Conference.

Addresses—Dr. H. C. Jennings, one of the agents of the Methodist Book Concern, was introduced and addressed the Conference in the interest of our publishing work.

Dr. J. W. Jennings was introduced and made some announcements concerning the Kansas City Depository.

Death—The Bishop announced the sudden death of Dr. John H. Price of the South Kansas Conference.

The Secretary was instructed to send a telegram of sympathy to Sister Price.

As a mark of respect for Dr. Price, the Conference arose and Bishop Quayle offered prayer.

Addresses—At 11 o'clock Bishop Quayle delivered the address of the morning.

Dr. Rall, President of the Iliff School of Theology, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Reports—N. Luccock presented a preliminary report for the Committee on Education and a subscription amounting to $8,782.50 was taken.

Memorials—On motion, the Conference ordered a committee on memorials to the General Conference and the Secretary of the cabinet presented the following, viz.: D. W. Crow, W. W. King, S. B .Campbell, Samuel Blair, G. J. Hunt, Ralph Wakefield and O. M. Stewart.

Order of the Day—On motion of G. W. Anderson, balloting for delegates to the General Conference was made the order of the day on Friday immediately after the reception of the class into full membership.

Conference Relations—W. H. Rose, J. C. Needles, and Newton Hockensmith were referred to the committee on Conference Relations.

Address—Dr. P. J. Maveety, Corresponding Secretary of the Freedman's Aid Society was introduced and addressed the Conference.

The time was extended.

Dr. Dan Brummit was introduced and addressed the Conference regarding the circulation of the General Conference Daily.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the Benediction.

THIRD DAY

Friday, 9 a. m.

The Conference convened at 9 a. m. and opened with organ voluntary and hymn No. 5.

Bishop Quayle led the devotions and the Conference Double Quartette sang "What More Could He Do?"

Minutes of Thursday's Session were read and approved.

Introductions—Dr. Ward Platt, Assistant Secretary of the Church Extension Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Sale of Church—C. V. Criss announced the sale of the Church at California, Mo., and on his motion the Conference ordered that the proceeds be turned over to the Conference Treasurer.

Transfer—The Bishop announced the transfer of Ray W. Smith from the West Wisconsin Conference, and who, after ordination, is to be transferred to that Conference again.

QUESTION The Eighth Question was taken up, viz.:

VIII. **Who Have Been Admitted into Full Membership?**

The following were passed in their studies, admitted into full membership, elected to Deacon's Orders and advanced to the class of the third year, viz.: Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, Jesse J. Pruitt, George T. Beard, Glenn A. Moss, Herbert B. Rhodes, William O. Thompson, Joseph C. Miller.

Grant G. Yeoman, Herbert F. Miller, J. W. Null, Arthur P. Keast were continued in the studies of the Second Year.

QUESTION The Fourth Question was taken up, viz.:

IV. **Who Have Been Received on Credentials, and From What Churches?**

William A. A. Fortner was received from the Canadian Methodist Church; Joseph C. Needles from the United Brethren Church, elected to Deacon's orders, and placed in the studies of the third year; John L. Beard from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

The class for admission into Full Membership was called and asked the Disciplinary Questions.

Order of the Day—The order of the day, the election of delegates to the General Conference, was called and following tellers were named, viz.: W. O. Thompson, J. W. Coontz, G. H. Cosper, J. W. Needham, A. M. Dixon, Ralph Wakefield, H. A. Mitchell.

The ballot was taken and the tellers retired.

Educational Fund—On motion of N. Luccock, S. B. Campbell was elected secretary and treasurer of the Educational Fund for Marionville and Carleton Colleges.

Lay Electoral Conference—On motion, W. W. King, T. H. Hagerty and Julius Smith were appointed to convey the greetings of Conference to the Lay Electoral Conference and invite them to meet with us in joint session at their convenience.

Addresses—Dr. E. J. Moore, State Superintendent of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League, was introduced and addressed the Conferencee.

On motion of W. T. Wright, Christian Burnett and S. B. Campbell were elected trustees of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League.

Dr. Birney, Dean of Boston University School of Theology, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

The class for ordination was called and addressed by the Bishop.

Report—The committee sent to the Lay Electoral Conference reported, and the Conference fixed three o'clock as the hour for the joint session.

Election—The tellers returned and reported as follows, Number of ballots cast, 129; Necessary to choice, 65. N. Luccock had received 101 votes, W. T. Wright, 86; and they were declared elected.

The second ballot was taken and the tellers retired.

Credentials Returned—The credentials of D. E. Standard, who has united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, were returned with the request that after notation they be returned to him.

The request was granted.

Address—Dr. Homer Stuntz, Corresponding Secretary of the Foreign Missionary Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

QUESTION The Fourteenth Question was resumed, viz.:

XIV **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

The following passed in character and those present reported, viz.:

Springfield District—C. G. Davis, H. F. Dorcas, A. M. Dixon, W. O. Tolbart, W. G. Rector, N. A. Seldon, W. D. Sidman, Clinton Senneff, Everett Simpson, D. T. Simmons, T. E. Prall, F. S. Beggs, T. P. Shaffer, S. B. Campbell, J. W. Slusher.

Special Appointments—The following who had special appointments were called and their characters passed, viz.: S. A. French, Julius Smith, F. L. Thompson, T. H. Hagerty, L. G. Reser, James Pine, R. V. Maloney, J. J. Martin, J. F. Odom, J. S. Bitler, Frank Neff, C. T. Harrison, T. H. Otwell, W. R. Ward, H. F. Miller, J. I. Phillips, E. F. Miller, L. H. Sweetland, Carl Stevenson, A. P. Keast.

Trustees of Permanent Fund—On motion of I. J. K. Lunbeck, George Neff, George W. Fuller and H. L. Hunter were elected trustees of the Permanent Fund.

Excused—The Conference excused T. H. Hagerty from further attendance at this session of the Conference on account of the illness of his wife.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Dr. L. K. Billingsly of the Des Moines Conference, representing the Iowa Methodist Hospital; W. W. Ballinger of the Northwest Iowa Conference, and M. E. Nethercut of the Southwest Kansas Conference.

Conference Printing—On motion, N. Luccock and O. M. Stewart were appointed a Finance Committee on Conference printing.

Election—The tellers returned and reported the result of the ballot as follows—Number of votes cast 133; necessary to choice, 67; S. B. Campbell had received 74 votes and W. F. Jones, 67, and they were declared elected.

Conference Relations—The following were referred to the committee on Conference relations, viz.: T. J. Gideon, D. W. Crow, James Pine, J. W. Slusher, J. W. Stewart.

Delegates to General Conference—The Delegates to the General Conference were introduced and each briefly addressed the Conference.

Announcements—The announcements were made. The Conference adjourned with benediction by Dr. T. H. Hagerty.

THIRD DAY.

Second Session.

Friday 3 p. m.

The Conference met at 3 p. m., Bishop Qualye presiding.

The members of the Lay Electoral Conference were received and seated in a body within the bar of the Conference.

Delegates to the General Conference—The Joint Delegation of the St. Louis Conference to the General Conference were presented and seated on the platform.

Addresses—Noah A. Mackey, Chairman of the Lay Electoral Conference, and John H. Lucas, Lay Delegate to the General Conference, were introduced and each addressed the Conference.

Educational Fund—The Secretary of the Lay Electoral Conference announced that $7,845 had been raised at their session for Marionville and Carleton Colleges.

A subscription amountting to $800 was taken, increasing the whole amount raised at the two Conferences to $22,427.50.

The Conference adjourned with doxology and benediction.

FOURTH DAY.

Saturday 9 a. m.

The Conference convened at 9 a. m. and opened with hymn No. 481, "Oh Love That Will Not Let Me Go."

Bishop Quayle led in prayer and the Conference Quartette sang.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Order of the Day—On motion of T. H. Hagerty, fixing the place for the next Conference was made the order of the day at 11 o'clock.

Question I, "Is this Annual Conference incorporated according to the requirements of the Discipline?" was asked and answered "It is."

S. B. Warner announced the sale of two lots at Norwood, and on his motion the Conference ordered that the money be applied on the church at Crocker.

QUESTION The Second Question was taken up, viz.:

II. **Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?**

The following transfers into this Conference were announced, viz.: T. E. Green, from the North Minnesota; and C. V. Gilliland, from the South Dakota.

Board of Examiners—The following were appointed by the Bishop to fill vacancies on the Board of Examiners, viz.: H. B. Foster, H. L. Glover and F. P. Leckliter.

QUESTION The Seventh Question was taken up, viz.:

VII. **Who have been Discontinued?**

The following were discontinued at their own request, viz.: A. Frank Johnson and James W. Null.

QUESTION The Tenth Question was taken up, viz.:

X. **What Members Are in the Studies of the Fourth Year?**

Purnell E. Bingman was passed in his studies and advanced to the class of the fourth year.

Rowland Hill, James R. Postlethwait, Joseph E. Stickney, Marvin O. Morris, Clair G. Davis, James M. Mason and Clair V. Bryan were continued in the class of the third year.

James M. Mason was made effective.

The transfer of Joseph E. Stickney to the South Kansas Conference was announced.

Jesse I. Phillips and John H. Porter were located.

Introductions—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference, viz.: Dr. J. T. McFarland, Editor of our Sunday School Publications; Dr. R. J. Cooke, Book Editor of the Methodist Episcopal Church; Bishop Hendrix, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South; Dr. C. B. Spencer, Editor of the Central Christian Advocate; Miss Isabelle Horton, Superintendent of the Epworth Evangelistic Institute.

Sympathy—On motion of T. H. Hagerty, the Secretary was instructed to convey expressions of sympathy and affection to William Stephens.

Address—On motion of E. P. Anderson the Conference requested O. M. Stewart to address the Conference next year in honor of his fifty years in the ministry.

QUESTION The Eleventh Question was taken up, viz.:

XI. **What Members Have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**

William R. Woodward, Thomas Stone and J. Allen Webb were graduated in their studies and elected to Elder's Orders.

Carl Stephenson and Thomas H. Otwell were continued in the studies of the fourth year.

Zed Wright was placed in the studies of the fourth year.

QUESTION The Sixth Question was taken up, viz.:

VI. **Who Have Been Continued on Trial?**

Vestal C. Clark, James T. Carnett, Theodore A. Dowler, Clarence F. McClean, A. B. Garrison, N. A. Seldon, Wm. R. Ward and Frank R. Cubit were passed in their studies and advanced to the class of the second year.

Ellis E. Dagley, A. H. Barnes and Chas. V. Bigler were continued in the studies of the first year.

QUESTION V. The Fifth Question was taken up, viz.:

Who Have Been Received on Trial?

The following were duly represented as to character and studies, admitted on trial, and placed in the studies of the first year, viz.: Mills M. Anderson, Charles C. Crockett, Lewis K. Armentrout, Elza M. Garrett, Rector Green, Arthur A. Halter, Lewis V. Hassell, Christian L. Oswald, William G. Rector, Oscar R. Sides, Richard O. Williams, Shirley Peters, John J. Wolf, Fred McGlumphrey.

Charles C. Hull was admitted on trial and placed in the studies of the third year.

QUESTION XXV. The Twenty-fifth Question was taken up, viz.:

Who are the Triers of Appeals?

The Secretary of the Cabinet presented the names of S. F. Stevens, W. R. McCormack, H. A. Mitchell, G. J. Hunt, A. M. Dixon and they were elected.

QUESTION XXXII. The Thirty-second Question was taken up, viz.:

Where Shall the Next Conference be held?

Webb City was unanimously chosen.

Conference Relations—L. M. Thompson and J. N. Moore were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations.

QUESTION XII. The Twelfth Question was taken up, viz.:

What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?

Charles C. Hull and Frederick Ream were elected to Deacon's

orders as Local Preachers; and Ray W. Smith and Ellis E. Dagley were elected to Deacon's orders under the Missionary rule.

Address—J. H. Gillespie addressed the Conference in the interest of our Church in Wyoming.

Reserve Delegates—The ballot for reserve delegates to the General Conference were taken and the tellers retired.

QUESTION XXIII. The Twenty-third Question was taken up, viz.:

Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?

John Ashley, James Lokey and John C. Stille were passed in character and continued in the Supernumerary relation.

L. M. Thompson and J. W. Stewart were given the Supernumerary relation.

John Ashley was requested to locate at the next session of the Conference.

QUESTION XXIV. The Twenty-fourth Question was taken up, viz.:

Who are the Superannuated Preachers?

The following were passed in character and continued in the superannuated relation: M. Bell, Jos. Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threllfall, F. M. Stickney, D. C Ridgeway, William Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, I. N. Galbraith, Hervey Smith, A. H. Hurley, J. B. Brewington, I. J. K. Lunbeck, E. H. Squier, Frank Oechsli, W. T. Pare and W. J. Simmons.

W. H. Rose, D. W. Crow, J. N. Moore, J. W. Slusher, T. J. Gideon and James Pine were granted Superannuated relation.

QUESTION XIV The Fourteenth Question was resumed, viz.:

Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?

St. Louis District—The following passed in character and

those present reported, viz.: A. D. Ball, J. W. Stewart, P. R. Hoos, H. C. Leonard, J. W. Coontz, F. L. Geyer, H. R. Osborn, C. E. Erdman, W. W. King, M. H. Lichliter, J. B. Johnson, J. F. King, W. C. Wheeler, G. W. Anderson, E. W. Elayer, A. V. Garrison.

H. M. Lichliter and George W. Anderson were excused from further attendance at this session of the Conference.

Reserve Delegates—The tellers returned and announced that there had been no election.

Another ballot was taken.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction.

FIFTH DAY.

9 a. m.

The Conference met at 9 a. m., Bishop Quayle presiding.

The Doxology was sung and Bishop Quayle offered prayer.

The minutes of Saturday's session were read and approved.

The Bishop announced the following transfers into this Conference, viz.: R. O. Everhart, from the Troy, and B. F. Crissman from the Des Moines; and the transfer of Ray W. Smith to the West Wisconsin Conference; C. W. Hollett to the Cincinnati; E. W. Elayer, to the Northern Minnesota; Geo. Wood Anderson to the Wyoming and E. C. Wright to the Central New York.

The announcement was made that the second ballot for reserve delegates resulted in no election. The third ballot was taken and the tellers retired.

Newton Hockensmith and E. H. Free were located at their own request.

The tellers returned and announced that Henry B. Foster and W. F. Sheridan were elected reserve delegates.

The orders of Louis S. DeBurgh from the Congregational Methodist, James W. Manuel from the M. E. South, J. F. McSpadden from the Free Will Baptist, and G. T. Bishop from the Church of God were recognized as local Deacons.

The relation of H. A. Toland was changed from Superannuated to effective.

The following resolutions were indorsed by the Conference:

Because of long and meritorious services in this Conference, and, also, as our Missionary for twenty-three years in Wyoming Missionary Conference, be it

Resolved, That we express our high appreciation of Rev. J. H. Gillespie, a member of this Conference. We heartily commend him for work he has done as Agent for the Nebraska Methodist Episcopal Hospital, and pray the Lord's keeping, and that he may be able to visit us often in the future.

W. T. WRIGHT,
ELI P. ANDERSON,
C. V. CRISS.

Resolved, That we express our pleasure at the presence of Brother H. A. Toland and congratulate him on the very acceptable service he has rendered the church for twenty years on the frontier. We will welcome him at our sessions whenever he can be with us.

S. B. CAMPBELL,
O. M. STEWARD.

The following reports were read and adopted: Hospitals, Publishing Interests, Young People's Work, the Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, Treasurer of the Permanent Fund, Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, Board of Stewards, Conference Deaconness Board, Methodist Brotherhood, Reforms, Book Concern, Memorials to the General Conference, Education, Auditing, Resolutions.

Greetings were received from Jesse Bowan Young, of Jacksonville, Florida, and the Conference requested the Secretary to reply in kind.

The Secretary of the Cabinet read the apportionments for Domestic Missions and they were approved.

The Cabinet nominated the Conference Boards and Societies not already provided for, and they were elected.

The requests for the special appointments were read and voted by the Conference.

Miss Curry, of the Fisk Training School, Mrs. Miller of the Girl's Home of St. Louis, Miss Allison Fitzgerald, Deaconness Home, were introduced and addressed the Conference.

Rev. W. A. Reminger, Secretary of the North Nebraska Conference, Dr. Bateman, assistant editor of the Central Christian Advocate, were introduced.

On motion of W. R. McCormack, it was ordered that when the Deaconness students shall have completed their studies and met all requirements of the Discipline, the Conference Deaconness Board shall be authorized to license and present them for consecration.

On motion of C. V. Criss, it was ordered that the fund for John Welch be entrusted to the pastor at El Dorado Springs, to be paid to brother Welch at the order of the quarterly Conference.

A collection and subscription was taken to help defray expense of publishing the minutes, amounting to $96.

On motion of N. Luccock, the District Superintendents were made a committee to arrange a plan to raise funds for publishing the minutes.

Dr. Jesse W. Jennings made a statement concerning the Central Christian Advocate.

The Bishop was requested to appoint J. S. Bitler National Evangelist for the Lincoln Legion.

On motion of the Secretary, the committee on Memorials to the General Conference was requested to write a resumé of the Memorials for publication in the minutes.

On motion of N. Luccock, a collection was taken for the janitor, amounting to $9.30.

The following resolution was presented by W. T. Wright, viz.:

In consideration of the importance of the city of St. Louis as a railroad, commercial and religious center; and in consideration of the important interests of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the city in the central West and Southwest; and in further consideration of the fact that the Methodist Episcopal Church South has recognized the city as an Episcopal residence city of the Methodist Episcopal Church, no bishop of that church being located in the city;

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference which meets in Minneapolis May next to continue St. Louis as an Episcopal residence city.

The minutes of the morning session were read. The bound copy of the minutes was made the official record for the quadrennium.

The preachers who were superannuated at this session of the Conference were called to the platform, and those who desired addressed the Conference briefly.

The male quartette sang, "Hark, The Voice of Jesus Calling."

Bishop Quayle read a passage of Scripture, read the appointments, and offered prayer.

The Doxology was sung, the benediction pronounced by the Bishop, and the Conference adjourned *sine die.*

Certificate of Ordination—This certifies that on Sunday, March 24, 1913, at Kansas City, Mo., under authorization of the St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, I ordained as Deacons, Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, Jesse J. Pruitt, William O. Thompson, George T. Beard, Herbert B. Rhodes, Glen A. Moss, Joseph C. Needles, Ray W. Smith, Ellis E. Dagley, Charles C. Hull, and Frederick H. Ream, and at the same time and place assisted by Elders, I ordained William R. Woodward, Thomas Stone, and J. Allen Webb, Elders.

William A. Quayle

MINUTES OF THE LAYMEN'S ELECTORAL CONFERENCE OF THE ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE.

Meeting called to order in the Y. M. C. A. building, Kansas City, Mo., at 9:00 a. m., March 22, 1912. N. A. Mackey, Joplin, Mo., elected chairman; J. H. Covert, Houston, Mo., secretary.

Motion made and carried that we appoint a committee on Credentials, Permanent Organization, Order of Business and Resolutions.

Motion made and carried that the Chair appoint a committee of three to invite and escort the Bishop to our meeting and request that he address the assembly.

Motion made and carried that we take a recess of ten minutes.

The report on Permanent Organization and Order of Business is as follows:

"Mr. Chairman—Your Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business beg leave to make the following report:

First: Selection of a Permanent Chairman.

Second: Selection of a Permanent Secretary.

Third: Calling roll of Districts for nominations of Delegates to the General Conference; nominating speeches limited to three minutes.

Fourth: Calling roll of Districts and Chairman of Delegates announcing the vote of his District for four Delegates to the General Conference, the four receiving the highest number of votes to be declared elected.

Fifth: Calling roll of Districts for nomination of Alternates.

Sixth: Calling roll of Districts and Chairman announcing the vote of his District for three Alternates, the three receiving the highest number of votes to be declared the Alternates.

LONN E. SEMKIN, Chairman.
C. H. HARGROVE, Secretary."

After which the Lay Electoral Conference proceeded in accordance with the report of Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business.

First: N. A. Mackey was elected Permanent Chairman; J. H. Covert, Permanent Secretary; after which the Delegates proceeded to call the roll of Districts and the following were placed in nomination for Delegates to the General Lay Electoral Conference at Minneapolis: Chas. T. Orr, James D. Bufton, J. D. Lingsweiler, J. A. Lucas. Alfred Matthews.

Ballots were prepared and the following named gentlemen were declared elected by this assembly: James D. Bufton, Chas. T. Orr, Alfred Matthews and J. A. Lucas.

The Conference then proceeded to elect Reserve Delegates. The roll of Districts was called and the following named were placed in nomination: J. D. Lingsweiler, Geo. W. Brown and Mrs. Dr. C. E. Krimminger.

Ballot was taken and J. D. Lingsweiler was declared the first Reserve Delegate, Geo. A. Brown, second, and Mrs. Dr. C. E. Krimminger third—Reserve Delegates to the General Conference at Minneapolis.

Committee from the Ministers' Conference presents to the Lay Delegates an invitation to meet in joint session with them at the Auditorium of the Grand Avenue M. E. Church at 3:00 p. m.

Motion made and carried that the invitation be accepted and that we meet with the ministers at the time designated by them.

Motion made and carried that the Delegates take a recess until 1:30 p. m.

Meeting called to order by N. A. Mackey and addressed by J. L. Housekeeper on Sunday School Work; also addressed by Hanford Crawford, Permanent Chairman of the Laymen's Association; also by Bishop W. A. Quayle, and subscriptions taken for the Marionville and Carlton Colleges, after which the Committee on Resolutions made the following report:

"Resolved, That on behalf of the members of the Lay Electoral Conference, we wish to express our hearty appreciation for the most cordial reception which the Methodism of Kansas City has extended us, in the way of the splendid entertainment which has been accorded us.

Secondly: We wish to thank the Y. M. C. A. for the use of their fine and comfortable building as the place of holding our meetings.

Third: We, the committee, favor having a resident Bishop of the Methodist Church for Kansas City and St. Louis.

March 22, 1912.

JOHN PUNTON, Chairman,
J. L. HAGLER, Secretary,
Of Committee on Resolutions.

P. S.—We wish to express thanks for the greetings extended by Bishop W. A. Quayle.

MRS. GEO. R. DEAN,
A. J. SANDERS,
F. A. ROBERTSON,
I. C. HODSON."

Which report was adopted by sections, except the Third Section, and it was adopted by the amendment adding "St. Louis" to the last clause.

Motion made and carried that the Lay Electoral Conference adjourn *sine die*.

DISIPLINARY QUESTIONS

1. **Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirements of the Discipline?**
   It is.

2. **Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?**
   F. R. Cubit, from the Arkansas; J. E. Owen, from the Oklahoma; G. W. Schroeder, from the Austin; Lincoln A. Ferris, from the Wyoming; T. E. Green, from the North Minnesota; C. V. Gilliland, from the S. Dakota; Ray W. Smith, from the W. Wisconsin; R. O. Everhard, from the Troy; B. F. Crissman, from the Des Moines.

3. **Who have been Readmitted?**
   None.

4. **Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?**
   William A. A. Fortner, from the Canadian Methodist Church; John L. Beard, from M. E. Church South.

5. **Who have been Received on Trial?**
   (a) In Studies of First Year.
   Mills M. Anderson, Lewis K. Armentrout, Charles C. Crockett, Elza N. Garrett, Rector Green, Arthur A. Halter, Lewis V. Hassell, Christian L. Oswald, William G. Rector, Oscar R. Sides, Shirley Peters, John J. Wolf, Fred McGlumphrey, Richard O. Williams.
   (b) In Studies of Third Year.
   Charles C. Hull.

6. **Who have been Continued on Trial?**
   (a) In Studies of First Year.
   Ellis E. Dagley, A. H. Barnes, Chas. V. Bigler.
   (b) In Studies of Second Year.
   Grant G. Yeoman, Herbert F. Miller, Arthur P. Keast, V. C. Clark, Jas. F. Carnett, Theodore Dowler, Clarence F. McClean, Alva Garrison, N. A. Seldon, William R. Ward, Frank R. Cubit.
   (c) In Studies of Third Year.
   None.
   (d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
   None.

7. **Who have been Discontinued?**
A. Frank Johnson, Jas. W. Null.

8. **Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?**
(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, Jesse J. Pruitt, George T. Beard, Glenn A. Moss, Herbert B. Rhodes, Wm. O. Thompson, Joseph C. Needles.
(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
None.

9. **What Members are in Studies of Third Year?**
(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, Jesse J. Pruitt, George T. Beard, Glenn A. Moss, Herbert B. Rhodes, William O. Thompson, Joseph C. Needles.
(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
Rowland Hill, Clair G. Davis, James R. Postlethwait, Marvin O. Morris, James M. Mason.

10. **What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**
Purnell E. Bingman, Zed Wright, Carl Stevenson, Thos. H. Otwell.

11. **What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**
(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
William R. Woodward, Thomas Stone, J. Allen Webb.
(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.

12. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**
(a) As Local Preachers.
Chas. C. Hull, Frederick H. Ream.
(b) Under Missionary Rule.
Ray W. Smith, Ellis E. Dagley.
(c) Under Seminary Rule.
None.

13. **What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**
(a) As Local Deacons.
None.
(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
(c) Under Seminary Rule.
None.

14. **Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?**
This was strictly done as each name was called in open Conference.

15. **Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?**
J. W. Huston, to the Colorado; W. F. Emery, to the Michigan; J. F. Pfeiffer and L. A. Banks, to the Central Ohio; E. D. C. Koeth, to the Genesee; W. C. Heiskell, to the S. Kansas; E. C. Sandmeyer, to the Iowa; Joseph E. Stickney, to S. Kansas; Ray W. Smith, to W. Wisconsin; F. W. Simpson, to the Des Moines; C. M. Hollett, to the Cincinnati; E. W. Elayer, to N. Minnesota; G. W. Anderson, to Wyoming; E. C. Wright to Central New York.

16. **Who have Died?**
G. A. Glens.

17. **Who have been Located at their own Request?**
Newton Hockensmith, E. H. Free.

18. **Who have been Located?**
Jesse I. Phillips, John H. Porter.

19. **Who have Withdrawn?**
None.

20. **Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?**
None.

21. **Who have been Expelled?**
None.

22. **What other personal Notation should be made?**
Joseph C Needles was received on grades from United Brethren Church; Orders as a Deacon of Louis S. DeBurgh from Congregational Methodist Church; James W. Manuel, from M. E. Church South, as a Deacon; J. F. McSpadden, as a Deacon from Free Will Baptist Church; G. T. Bishop, as a Deacon from the Church of God.

23. **Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**
John Ashley, three years; James Lokey, five years; John C. Stille, two years; L. M. Thompson, one year; J. W. Stewart, one year.

24. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?

M. Bell, Joseph Harris, John Welch, J. S. Porter, Henry Threllfall, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgeway, Wm. Stephens, W. F. Yeager, J. W. Finley, A. H. Miller, C. D. Fry, T. H. Knease, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, I. N. Galbraith, Hervey Smith, J. H. Hurley, J. B. Brewington, I. J. K. Lunbeck, E. A. Squier, Frank Oechsli, W. T. Pare, W. J. Simmons, W. H. Rose, D. W. Crow, J. N. Moore, J. W. Slusher, T. J. Gideon, James Pine.

25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?

S. F. Stevens, W. R. McCormack, H. A. Mitchell, G. J. Hunt, A. M. Dixon.

26. What is the Statistical Report for this year?

See Statistical table.

27. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?

$49,975.00.

28. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?

$14,500.00.

29. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?

$8,414.00—See Conference Claimant's Directory.

30. What is the Amount of the Five Per Cent of Collections for the Conference Claimants' Connectional Fund paid by the Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants?

$286.00.

31. Where are the Preachers Stationed?

See Appointments.

32. Where shall the Next Conference be held?

Webb City.

REPORTS

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session March 20-25, 1912.

Perry E. Pierce.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Anderson, $80; Carthage Circuit $55; Carterville, $50; Chitwood, $55; Epworth, $100, Seneca, $50; Spurgeon, $70; Butler Circuit, $50. Total, $510.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

Flat River, $200; Willow Springs, $60; Poplar Bluff, $200; Perryville, $95; Mountain View, $100; Ironton, $60; Bonne Terre $150; District, $200. Total, $1,065.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

Buckner, $40; East Lynne, $74; Kingsville, $40; Pleasant Hill, $100. Total, $254.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

Belle, $75; Buffalo, $50; Cabool, $100; Gainesville, $50; Hartville, $50; Houston, $50; Iberia, $50; Lebanon Ct., $50; Linn Creek, $50; Olean, $75; Phillipsburg, $60; Richland Ct., $50; Upshaw, $100; District, $100. Total, $910.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Cuba, $100; Pacific, $70; Salem, $70; Sullivan, $70. Total, $310.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Alberta, $40; Huntingdale, $60; Knob Noster, $40; Montrose, $60; Odessa, $60; Rockville $100; Schell City, $40; Urich, $40; Dresden, $40; Centerview, $60; Green Ridge, $60. Total, $600.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $85; Clever, $40; Dadeville, $50; Galena, $50; Humansville, $40; La Russell, $40; Marionville Ct., $45; Pierce City, $100; Purdy, $40; Springfield Ct., $40; Stockton, $50; Taneyville, $25; Weaubleau $45. Total, $650.

AUDITING COMMITTEE.

We, your Committee, have audited the accounts of the Secretary, Treasurer, Treasurer of the Board of Stewards, and the District Superintendents, and find them correct.

H. R. OSBORNE.

COMMITTEE ON METHODIST BROTHERHOOD.

Never was there a time when the men of our communities were so reachable as now. Great Men's Bible Classes and Brotherhoods are demonstrating this in every part of the country. We ought to be alert to seize the opportunity and to press the campaign for men in this direction of least resistance.

We urge the organization of the men of our congregations into Methodist Brotherhoods for the carrying on of religious, social and civic service. The call is clear and the motive compelling. We heartily endorse the work of Dr. Fayette L. Thompson, of our own Conference as General Secretary.

We recommend a Conference organization of the Methodist Brotherhood and the following are nominated as officers by the district superintendents. (See Conference Societies.)

GRANT A. ROBBINS, Chairman.
W. P. JINNETT, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCES.

The demands of the benevolences of our church are so pressing in their need that every possible interest must be manifested in their behalf.

The Sunday School, as a stepping stone and training school for the church, is indispensable. Its importance therefore demands that the very best methods as well as the best literature be used that success follows its efforts.

Our church is rapidly solving the great negro problem of the present day. We appreciate the high Christian character of our schools among the colored people which is an important element in the speedy and righteous solution of the negro problem.

The Freedman's Aid Society would be better equipped for service were it not handicapped financially. We request that the full apportionment of this benevolence be raised in full if possible.

The work of Home and Foreign Missions comes with added emphasis to our very door, and in a crying demand of the present age that we should continue sending the Gospel to the darkened heathen land and at the same time look well after the home field.

We endorse the various publications pertaining to Home and World-Wide Missions, and suggest that they be carefully read by both Pastor and Layman. We also believe in and endorse Organized Mission Study Classes, which will, we believe, vastly increase the interest and enthusiasm.

O. R. SIDES, Secretary.
S. F. STEVENS, President.

THE CONFERENCE DEACONNESS BOARD.

We rejoice in the substantial growth and development of the Deaconness work within our Conference bounds.

The reports from the Kansas City National Training School, the St. Louis Deaconness Association, the Burge Deaconness Hospital, and the FitzGerald Deaconness Home indicate an aggressive spirit in pragmatic Christian labors.

We most heartily endorse the Emergency Home work under our St. Louis Deaconness Association as filling a long felt need, and commend this new line of Christian endeavor as worthy of the cordial support of the church.

The following were transferred to other Conferences: Josephine Ehrman, Anna Combs, Alice Combs, Birdie Bessinger.

Mrs. Mary B. Mauck was honorably discharged.

The following were received from other Conferences: Lula Patterson, Ella M. Orme, Florence A. Allinson.

Licenses were granted to Frances Ingersoll and Mary F. Smith.

The licenses of the following were renewed: Edith Thrall, Isabelle Horton, Louise Peterson Rae Lawton, Viola Miller, Leona Rice, Charlotte Honland, Myrtle Barnes, Anna Jernigan, Etta Babbitt, Mary Schwinn, Florence A. Allinson, Lura E. Anderson, Lulu Patterson, Bertha Ragland, Corrine Calvert, Lucy Curtis, Dr. Nellie M. Cramer, Irene Worrell, Ethel Adkins, Minnie Pike, Mary Blaschko, Sarah Church, Blanche Kinison, Eva Rigg, Bertha Cowles, Eunice Britt, Aletta Garrettson, Anna Neiderheiser, Clara Naylor.

W. R. McCORMACK, Chairman.
RALPH WAKEFIELD, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

Recognizing the imperative need of a well trained Minister in grappling with the problem confronting the modern church, we recommend to our young preachers attendance upon some one of our educational institutions and especially upon one of our Theological Seminaries, Boston, Drew, Garrett or Iliff. We feel a just sense of pride in the high order of consecration and scholarship represented in the faculties of these schools.

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY.

We desire again to express our loyalty to this great institution of higher education and pledge ourselves to support every effort for the consummation of the plans to establish, in our nation's capital, a Methodist University worthy of our great church.

COLLEGES FOR WOMEN.

We note, with pleasure, the splendid work being done by Goucher College at Baltimore, and the Woman's College at Jacksonville, Ill. We will seek to draw the attention of our young women to these schools.

CHILDREN'S DAY FUND AND SOUTHERN SCHOOLS.

We commend the work of the board of education through the Children's Day Fund and the general fund for the white schools in the South. We urge loyal support of the great work.

CARLTON COLLEGE.

We congratulate the Trustees and Faculty of Carlton College in the progress of the school now evident. With the strong leadership of President C. V. Gilliland, a thoroughly trained and competent teaching faculty, the new equipment which will be ready for use by the time school opens next fall. The outlook with these things for progressive work and growth is most assuring. We heartily commend the spirit of the people of Farmington who have given to the institution, during the past year, more than ten thousand dollars, and have pledged themselves for larger sums to be paid in the near future. We recommend the election of the following Trustees: D. A. Randal, Rev. M. H. Lichliter, C. H. Denman, Rev. C. V. Criss, C. H. Hargrove, J. W. Karsch for the term expiring 1916.

And for the term expiring 1913, Rev. J. W. Borah to take the place of Rev. L. M. Thompson, and District Superintendent in the place of J. B. Groves, for the term expiring 1914. George A. Auerswald in the place of T. J. Lanston, and W. R. Lang in the place of L. M. Davies, and District Superintendent of Farmington in the place of S. Warner.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGE.

We congratulate President L. G. Reser, the Trustees and Faculty of Marionville College upon a year of unprecedent growth and prosperity. We heartily commend the college to the competence and generous support of the church. For Trustees of the college we nominate those members of the board whose terms expire with this year for re-election, and E. P. Anderson and H. A. Jones to fill vacancies.

We congratulate the Conference, Ministerial and Lay, upon their prompt and generous response to the proposition made by George Warren Brown of St. Louis, to the effect that he would contribute $5,000.00 to a fund of $25,000.00 providing the Conferences would contribute $20,000.00. The success of this plan, we are glad to say, is practically assured. We recommend the present basis of the distribution of the educational collection for the year be the same as last year. We recommend that the Board of Trustees of Marionville College be granted permission to confer Degrees at the next annual meeting of said Board in honor of fortieth anniversary of the College. We recommend that President C. V. Gilliland and President L. G. Reser, N. Luccock, George Warren Brown, Charles T. Orr, John Lucas, be appointed a committee, with power to act, to meet a like committee from the Missouri Conference and the German Conferences of this State to confer in regard to raising sufficient endowments for our Methodist institutions in the State of Missouri to meet the requirements of the University Senate. We recommend that S. B. Campbell and W. T. Wright be appointed a committee to meet a committee from the Missouri Conference to consider the establishing of a Wesleyan Guild to care for the spiritual interest of the young people attending the Missouri State University at Columbia.

We nominate the following visitors to our educational institutions:

Garrit Biblical Institute—Samuel Warner.

Iliff Theological School—F. S. Beggs.

Boston Theological School—N. Luccock.

Drew Theological Seminary—Frank Neff.

Illinois Woman's College—W. W. King.

Goucher College—M. H. Lichliter.

McKendry College—J. W. Borah.

Carlton College—Grant A. Robbins, J. W. Coontz.

Marionville College—Thomas P. Shaffer, Samuel Blair.

RALPH WAKEFIELD, Secretary.
NAPHTALI LUCCOCK.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS AND CHURCH EXTENSION OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

Springfield, Mo., March 15, 1912.

We have held two regular sessions of the Board and three meetings of the Executive Committee.

The following applications have been recommended and granted:

Arcola	$ 200.00	
Izzard Church	150.00	
Asbury Church	250.00	
Belle Church	200.00	
Appleton City	150.00	
Perryville	300.00	
		$1,350.00

Received for the St. Louis Conference:

Domestic Missions	$4,300.00	
St. Louis	2,050.00	
Kansas City	1,150.00	
		$7,500.00

These amounts were disbursed as directed, and receipts are in hand for same.

The following applications were recommended and have not been granted to date:

Aurora, for parsonage	$150.00
Pleasant Valley	250.00
Pleasant Valley, Loan	750.00
Mt. Vernon	200.00
Hawkeye	100.00
Kingsville	100.00

The needs of Southwest Missouri are urgent. We recommend larger liberality on the part of the Annual Conference, that we may have more funds to use in this needy field.

CHAS. C. JAMES, President.
W. Z. WHAPLES, Secretary.

REFORMS.

Your committee rejoices in the record of fourteen victories in the eighteen local option elections held in the State the past year, and the increased temperance sentiment of these counties indicated by the fact that the "dry" majorities total 4,643 votes more than four years ago.

We recognize, in the Missouri Anti-Saloon League an efficient arm of the church in this struggle with the organized liquor business. We hereby pledge our support to this League under its present management by a Board of Trustees elected by the various denominations of this State.

We believe in the police power of the various States of this Union as defined by the Constitution of the United States and upheld by the Supreme Court. We believe the Federal Government should support the States in the enforcement of law, rather than hinder and embarrass.

Our present Interstate Commerce Laws, as applied to the liquor traffic, are unjust, protecting the violators of law and setting aside the will of the people.

We, therefore, do most respectfully and earnestly urge the United States Senators and Representatives in Congress, from Missouri, to support, by vote and influence, the passage, at this session of Congress, of the pending Shepherd-Kemper Interstate Liquor Shipment Bill.

We deplore the persistent desecration of the Lord's Day by all kinds of games and other secularities, and recommend to all our people that they keep a strict observance of this Holy Day.

We favor better legislation on Sabbath observance, looking forward to the time when all unnecessary labor on that day will cease and all people shall indeed remember the Sabbath Day to keep it Holy.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON HOSPITALS.

The New Bethany Methodist Hospital of Greater Kansas City, costing $200,000.00, is more than a dream, it is more than just born, it is half grown. So much so that a great and memorable joint banquet, held within its walls by the Kansas and the St. Louis Conferences, is now an interesting fact in church and hospital history.

The Trustees need $100,000.00 more to complete and occupy the new building, and while securing this amount they seek also for $10,000.00 additional for a Bethany Methodist Hospital in Korea; thus adding spirit and vision to their zeal for needy and suffering humanity. Five Annual Conferences are officially pledged to this work. This is no ordinary hospital. It occupies a great center—and one of the very great denominational centers of this American Continent. We ask our pastors and people to now rise up and complete this splendid monument of gratitude to God and service to men. Reasonable

indications declare that when this finished monument shall be seen and known that bequests will then make it both rich and great. All traveling preachers, their wives and their dependent children are henceforth invited to the benefits of this new Hospital free of charge. We ask the pastors, upon whom so much depends and who continually preach love to God and men, to make this preaching effective by pointing out this one great opportunity of practical Christian service to man. God is neither loved nor served, excepting when we love and serve men. A genuine Gospel, when properly preached and applied, will certainly complete and furnish this new Methodist Hospital during this Conference year and thus plant one great denominational institution in our Western Methodism.

We nominate as trustees, A. P. Nichols, C. B. Hewitt, Eli P. Anderson and Charles Bradley.

The Burge Deaconness Hospital.

The Burge Deaconness Hospital, at Springfield, Mo., has had the most successful year of its brief history. The property is valued at $51,000.00. Plans are in mind for an extended increase in this property made possible by the generosity of the founder of this hospital, Mrs. Ellen A. Burge. The equipment is modern, the medical staff excellent, and the nurses are well skilled and of splendid Christian character. The hospital contains twenty-four rooms and thirty-five beds. Two hundred and twenty-six patients have been treated during the year. Three hundred dollars have been expended for charity patients. Thirty-seven surgical operations have been performed. The receipts were $6 110.00 and the expenditures $6,093. We urge our pastors to direct the attention of the people to this place of tender healing and Christian service.

O. M. STEWART, Chairman.
T. P. SHAFFER, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, We have had a most happy and profitable session of our Conference, and

Whereas, We are greatly indebted to Bishop Quayle for the splendid way in which he has presided over the sessions of the Conference; to our secretarial force for their faithful performance of the duties assigned to them; to Prof. Jores, organist of Grand Avenue Church, and our leaders in song for their services rendered in providing splendid and glorious music; to the Pastor and Official Board of Grand Avenue Church, together with all the pastors of

the city and their people for their magnificent provisions for our needs and comfort; to the daily papers of the city for courtesies shown the Conference; to the various railroads for the grant of reduced fares; to the managers of the Grand Avenue Temple for furnishing rooms for secretarial work; to the Southwest National Bank for the loan of their adding machine; to the Fidelity Trust Co. for handling the benevolence funds of the Conference, and to all who have in any way contributed to the success of the Conference.

Resolved, therefore, that we greatly appreciate all the services of those mentioned above and pray the Father's blessing upon them.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. BORAH, Chairman.
RICHARD H. LINT, Secretary.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

The Committee on Young People's Work submit the following report:

We are glad to note the progress of our Young People's Organizations, especially the Sunday School, and are gratified at the growing interest of the older young people in the Sunday School work. We are glad to note the increase of organized classes and the use of the graded lessons, together with all other efforts that make for more efficient work in the Sunday School.

That our Young People may be well informed and workmen that needeth not to be ashamed, we commend to them a larger reading of that most excellent paper, "The Epworth Herald." We also call the attention of our Young People to the Epworth League Institute to be held at Baldwin, Kans., this summer and urge the Pastors to have representative members at this training school.

We nominate as officers of the Conference Epworth League, H. B. Rhodes, President; W. K. Chatten, Secretary; Mrs. F. O. Moore, Junior League Superintendent, and recommend that the Epworth League Anniversary Program be provided by these officers.

We consider ourselves peculiarly fortunate in having with us this year the efficient and capable President of the Epworth League, Bishop W. A. Quayle, under whose leadership the League has taken on new life and enthusiasm.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. ODOM.
W. E. BROWN.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

Every great cause must have its own literature. The fathers recognized this and built better than they knew. We, their sons, may well cry out in humble gratitude "What hath God wrought," as we behold the world-wide influence of our great and increasing publishing interests.

With a total capital of five and a quarter millions, and sales during 1911 amounting to over half of the investment, yielding a net profit of $260,000 for the benefit of Conference Claimants throughout the connection, while fulfilling the great purpose of scattering far and wide the leaves of the Tree of Life which are for the healing of the nations, we believe it our duty to thank God and take courage.

That our Sunday School literature, in general, is as good as the best seems proven by the fact that we furnished, last year, nearly one-third of the supplies of America. Considering its mighty influence we urge that it be kept wholly true to our time honored and divinely blessed doctrinal standards, for only so can we bespeak for it the loyalty of all our people. We submit that every Sunday School among us should be supplied with our own literature. We believe also that each family of our church should take at least one of our great church advocates, so constantly informing compacting and inspiring along lines of our spiritual and denominational life. Hence, to make this practicable we ask that, if possible, the Western publications be placed at one dollar a year. If, for instance, we could put our ever-forceful Central Christian Advocate at a competing price with the clearly contrasted value of many of the undenominational religious weeklies we can easily anticipate the result. May the final end in all our doings respecting either books or periodicals be to spread scriptural holiness over these lands.

Respectfully submitted,

DEAN C. DUTTON, Chairman.
F. E. DuBOIS, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BOOK CONCERN.

Our Central Christian Advocate has become practically self-supporting, with a circulation fluctuating between 19,000 and 20,000 copies per week. Its record of accounts shows a deficit for the quadrennium of only $392.32. This is so near the margin of being self-sustaining that it is obvious that the Central Christian Advocate is not a heavy financial burden to the Book Concern.

We find that last year 3,800 new subscriptions were secured for the Central Christian Advocate, but it is to be regretted that 3,059 previous subscriptions were not renewed for the ensuing year. The total actual circulation on November 1, 1911, was 19,122. The net increase for last year was 741 subscriptions.

We note that there is only one Central Christian Advocate taken to an average of twenty-four members, in its territory. Estimating three members to a family it would show that there is only one Central Christian Advocate taken to every eight families. We urge every District Superintendent and Pastor and Layman, co-operating together, to increase the circulation of the Central Christian Advocate to the utmost possibility. If we were able to place our Advocate in every family connected with our church, instead of an average circulation of about 20,000, we would have a circulation of 160,000. We believe that whatever may be the price that shall be determined upon in the future, for the Central Christian Advocate, if every Pastor would put forth his utmost endeavor, in his charge, to increase the circulation, it could be extended to at least 100,000 weekly subscriptions. We urgently recommend that if it be possible, consistent with the issuance of a good paper, though it shall be reduced in size to a twenty-four page instead of a thirty-two page edition, that the proper authorities begin with the ensuing fiscal year the issuance of a dollar Advocate, and in case this shall be done the Pastors will do their utmost to increase the circulation and waive all claims to commission.

We call special attention also to the circulation of the Methodist Review. We urge not only all our preachers to take the Review, but that the Laity also be urged to avail themselves of this first class periodical.

We appreciate the supberb excellence of the Sunday School literature issued by our Book Concern, and we rejoice in the continual increase of its circulation. We urge all Pastors, Superintendents and Sunday School Boards to use only the Sunday School literature as published by our own Methodist Book Concern, under the able editorial care of Dr. John T. McFarland, co-operating with the Publishing Agents, to produce the best attainable results.

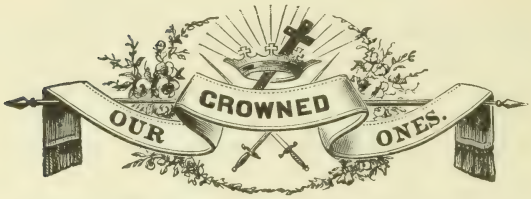
We record our appreciation of the excellent results of the past year of the combined business of the Book Concern, enabling it to declare a dividend for our Veterans of $250,000, of which the share coming to our Conference this year is $2,287, which is an increase to the St. Louis Conference this year of $452.00 over the amount received last year.

The business of the Kansas City Depository of the Western House has steadily grown, until this last fiscal year, ending with October 31, 1911, the total business transacted at this Depository aggregated $260,500, which is practically an increase of $100,000 for the last year at Kansas City over that of the last year that the Depository did business in St. Louis.

Fraternally submitted,

H. A. JONES.

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	183[illegible]	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. . .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. .	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

IN MEMORIAM—Continued

Robert I. Fleming	1883 Aug. 28, '94	Seattle, Wash.	34 Effective	8
Benj. F. Poole	1875 Nov. 25, '04	St. Louis, Mo.	43 Effective	19
Thos. M. Durham	1872 July 30, '95	Irwin, Mo.	49 Supernumerary	13
Roland Moffat	1851 Aug. 27, '95	Washburn, Mo.	80 Superannuated	44
Erastus A. Porter	1872 Oct. 21, '95	Rich Hill, Mo.	50 Superannuated	23
Jas. W. Cowden	1836 Aug. 23, '96	Lebanon, Mo.	72 Superannuated	30
W. G. Williams	1876 April 16, '97	St. Louis, Mo.	44 Effective	20
William Jones	1832 Jan. 1, '98	Kansas City, Mo.	64 Effective	34
Francis Ballaine	1889 Aug. 15, '98	Horine, Mo.	65 Superannuated	18
Jacob Miller	1859 April 16, '99	Kelleysville, I. N.	73 Superannuated	40
Cyrus Brough	1878 May 8, '99	St. Louis, Mo.	52 Superannuated	21
Wm. M. Beatty	1887 Sept. 17, '99	Marshall, Mo.	51 Effective	12
Harry M. Hackney	1875 Dec. 3, '99	Ashland, Neb.	50 Superannuated	24
Jas. H. Vaughan	1859 April 15, '00	St. Clair Co., Mo.	80 Superannuated	41
Jas. B. Daniel	1857 Aug. 28, '00	Sedalia, Mo.	65 Superannuated	33
Albert Jump	1877 Jan. 5, '01	Holden, Mo.	60 Effective	24
Clark B. Beaty	1876 May 9, '02	Buffalo, Mo.	52 Superannuated	16
Isaac Entwisle	1836 July 30, '02	Indianapolis, Ind.	78 Superannuated	36
Stanford Ing	1858 Nov. 11, '84	Thomsonville, Ill.	84 Superannuated	46
Benj. F. January	1880 Nov. 15, '04	Dixon, Mo.	71 Effective	24
Theo. S. Benefiel	1836 Aug. 28, '05	Lamar, Mo.	77 Superannuated	39
Alanson Barber	1865 Mar. 27, '06	Baxter Spgs., Kas.	72 Superannuated	41
Levi W. Munsell	1841 April 24, '06	Peggy, Mo.	88 Superannuated	21
George P. Miller	1889 May 7, '06	Tipton, Mo.	52 Effective	16
Milton B. Wood	1857 Feb. 15, '07	Cal.	66 Superannuated	16
Wm. V. Hamel	1878 Mar. 30, '07	Clinton, Mo.	49 Effective	29
Jas. F. Corrington	1873 Sept. 5, '07	Chautauqua, Ill.	67 Supernumerary	35
Wm. O. Turrentine	1896 Feb. 16, '08	Greenfield, Mo.	33 Effective	12
Noble H. Buck	1870 Sept. 29, '08	Tulsa, Okla.	73 Superannuated	38
Willshire R. Peters	1891 June 2, '08	Springfield, Mo.	43 Effective	16
J. B. Van Petten	1852 Oct. 31, '08	Cazenovia, N. Y.	81 Superannuated	42
Edw. H. Baird	1859 Aug. 31, '09	Marionville, Mo.	77 Superannuated	50
Geo. W. Hughey	1850 Oct. 5, '09	Galena, Mo.	77 Superannuated	59
Chas. A. Mitchell	1896 Feb. 21, '10	Cherokee, Okla.	49 Supernumerary	14
Wesley M. Creamer	1873 July 14, '09	Fredonia, Kan.	66 Superannuated	31
Lewis R. Carpenter	1874 June 16, '10	Baldwin, Kan.	76 Superannuated	11
Henry G. Mais	1892 Aug. 27, '10	Independence, Mo.	47 Effective	18
Leander Hallock	1854 Dec. 7, '10	St. Louis, Mo.	70 Superannuated	38
Geo. H. Gideon	1878 Jan. 25, '11	DeSoto, Mo.	62 Superannuated	31
Enoch J. Hunt	1878 Mar. 10, '11	Carthage, Mo.	56 Effective	33
Geo. A. Glens	1885 June 7, '11	Kansas City, Mo.	59 Superannuated	22

GEORGE ALBERT GLENS.

George Albert Glens, son of Geo. K. and Mary Glens, was born in Groveland, Tazewell County, Illinois, November 4, 1851. On his father's entering the army the family removed to Decatur. Here he received his education. He taught school at Oakley and at Sagmore, Ill. His marriage was in 1877, at Cerro Gordo, Ill., to Miss Minnie, daughter of W. A. and C. M. McKinney, a happy union, and with his excellent wife he reared to useful and honored Christian maturity a family of four children. He was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church at Wesley Chapel, Cisco Circuit in 1875. He was licensed to preach by the Cisco Quarterly Conference March 28, 1885, Rev. M. W. Everhart, P. E., and Rev. W. T. Beadles, who married him eight years before, preacher in charge.

In April, 1885, he removed to Missouri and entered the itinerant ministry as supply pastor at Vichy Springs. He was received on trial

by the St. Louis Conference in 1886, passed his examinations regularly, and was ordained deacon in 1888 and elder in 1890. From his admission till his health broke, with a single exception, he took his place in the regular pastoral ranks every year. Starting from one of the humblest charges, for twenty-five years he stood in that honorable post, pastor of important circuit work. His charges in order were: Cuba, Salem Sarcoxie, Mount Vernon, Appleton City, Malta Bend, Tipton, Smithton, Belton, Holden and Adrian, a list comprising some of the oldest, steadiest charges and containing many of the staunchest supporters of Methodism in South Missouri. In most of his pastorates he made a record of building or improving some church or the parsonage. In the judgment of the District Superintendency he seemed to be the type of man to conserve these valuable interests. He was a good, successful pastor as well. Intelligent, modest, faithful, not chafing for something more conspicuous, he took the work assigned, going about it as the Master's business, singing

"Anywhere with Jesus."

The single exception mentioned was, that in 1905, in a contemplated exchange he accepted a transfer to Austin Conference, but did not remove, and in 1907 was re-transferred. In the interim he worked as a District Superintendent for the Missouri Children's Home Society. At Adrian, his last charge, stands his real monument, the new church built by his labor and management. At the end of this term, finding his health impaired, he became supernumerary, published the Wellington News, at Wellington, Mo. Later he bought and published the De Soto Herald at De Soto, Kan. In 1910 he supplied the Edwardsville charge, Kansas Conference, continuing till his health utterly broke down. At the Conference of 1911 he superannuated. It was to lie down and die. His decline was rapid and irresistible. His death occurred in Kansas City, Mo., June 7th, 1911. Although somewhat mentally disturbed by his straightened circumstances and by having to give up work, he rested peacefully in Jesus. He has done a good work; borne testimony for his Master. His record is on high. Almost, or quite, his last conscious utterance was trying to sing, "In the cross of Christ I glory." His funeral was from the Hyde Park Church and burial in the Forest Hill cemetery.

MRS. A. H. HEINLEIN.

Jemima J. Downey was born in Noble County, Ohio, Sept. 23, 1837. She received her education in the country schools and for a time was engaged in teaching. She was converted and united with the church at the age of sixteen. She was married in Oct., 1859, to Aaron H. Heinlein at Cumberland, Ohio. From August, 1862, for four

years she was deprived of his companionship by his service in the army. She was the mother of four daughters, the first of whom died at two years of age.

With her husband she removed in 1866 to Missouri, where they entered the itinerant ministry in the Missouri and Arkansas Conference, serving at Ironton and Pilot Knob, Lagrange and Canton, and Memphis. In 1872 they transferred to St. Louis Conference and served at Liberty Street in Kansas City, Smithton, Boonville and Pilot Grove, Nevada, Clinton two terms, Ohio Street in Sedalia, Independence, Lamar and Marionville. At the last named place her husband laid down his work to enter the heavenly rest. Since his death she has made her home with her daughters in Washington, D. C. She passed to her reward July 23, 1911. She was buried beside her husband at Marionville, Mo.

Sister Heinlein was an ideal wife, mother and mistress in her home. Many of their appointments required of the pastor's wife labors no less arduous than his own to make ends meet. She never was known to fail or complain. A woman of energy and refinement, possessing a most amiable, patient disposition, she worked with her hands, kept a home that was always bright, in which she ruled with a spirit sanctified by the sweetness of heaven.

LAURA MAY KEAST.

Laura May Keast was born October 9, 1878, and departed this life November 1, 1911. She was united in marriage with the Rev. W. L. Requa June 26, 1901. To them were born two children, Paul and Lois, aged 9 and 4 years, respectively.

Mrs. Requa had her birth and training in a decidedly Christian home. Here was genuine Christian devotion and an outlook on life which issued in sending four of the boys into the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church and this woman to minister to the church in a parsonage. Her educational training was received in the High School at Marionville, Mo., and afterward at the Marionville Collegiate Institute, graduating therefrom in the class of 1907. She definitely accepted Christ as her Savior when twelve years of age, and walked in His favor till He called her to the higher realm.

Sister Requa was a woman of positive character. She was diligent, determined and faithful to her Lord. For many years she had been in ill health, and on consultation with her physician, a surgical operation was declared necessary. The operation proved successful and her removal to her home was expected in a few days. This joyously anticipated event was prevented by her unexpected ascension to the Home her Lord had gone to prepare.

This writer saw her in Carthage when she came for the surgical operation. With no fear for herself she expressed a mother's solicitude for the possible bereavement of the little ones God had given her. She went away knowing she was going to her Lord, having expressed her confidence as follows: "Jesus is with me, I did not know He was so near."

The funeral services took place in the Methodist Episcopal Church in Marionville, Mo., conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. W. D. Sidman, assisted by the Superintendent of the District, the Rev. C. C. James, and H. F. Dorcas. S. B. Campbell, the writer, and the Rev. Dr. W. J. Simmons preached the sermon from a text endeared to her by many cherished memories, namely: "He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty."

S. B. CAMPBELL.

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons. *	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevo-lences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av. K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,66[illegible]

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our pres[illegible] bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

SESSIONS OF ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE—Continued

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad. Transfers, etc.	Ordained Deacons	Ordained Elders*	Located	Withdrawn	Transferred	Discontinued	Deaths	Lay Members*	Benevolence
33	1901, March 20	Bolivar	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	6	3	11	3	6	3	--	20	2	3	32,338	18,815
34	1902, March 26	Butler	Warren	Wm. Stephens	Perry E. Pierce	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	4	--	--	17	1	--	32,573	22,189
35	1903, March 25	Marshall	Hamilton	Wm. Stephens	Perry E. Pierce	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	8	10	6	2	--	--	10	1	2	30,025	26,025
36	1904, March 23	Carthage	Walden	Wm. Stephens	Perry E. Pierce	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	4	10	3	3	3	1	9	1	--	33,882	27,259
37	1905, March 22	Farmington	McDowell	Wm. Stephens	Wm. D. Sidman	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	5	8	2	11	2	1	14	2	2	34,350	29,940
38	1906, March 29	Joplin	Fitzgerald	Perry E. Pierce	Wm. D. Sidman	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	10	10	11	3	--	--	12	3	2	36,432	32,567
39	1907, March 20	Clinton	Wilson	Perry E. Pierce	Wm. D. Sidman	I. J. K. Lunbeck	16	7	16	6	3	1	1	8	2	3	36,407	46,832
40	1908, March 18	Springfield	Warren	Perry E. Pierce	Wm. D. Sidman	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	7	11	7	11	--	5	14	1	3	37,503	34,714
41	1909, March 17	Sedalia	Anderson	Perry E. Pierce	Wm. D. Sidman	I. J. K. Lunbeck	13	11	16	10	6	--	1	21	1	3	37,799	32,463
42	1910, March 30	El Dorado Spgs	Lewis	Perry E. Pierce	Wm. D. Sidman	Frederick Getty	8	11	11	10	6	1	5	16	5	3	39,711	43,272
43	1911, March 22	Mountain Grove	Quayle	Perry E. Pierce	Wm. D. Sidman	Frederick Getty	8	7	25	6	4	2	1	26	1	6	40,112	52,017
44	1912, March 20	Kansas City	Quayle	Perry E. Pierce	Wm. D. Sidman	Frederick Getty	15	8	11	12	3	4	--	14	2	1	38,938	49,975

PASTORAL RECORD

(Including 1911.)

This Record is intended to include only the appointments during membership in Conference, and not those as supplies.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99, Nevada; '00-'05, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '06-'10 (in part) St. L., Dr. Fry memorial; '10, '11, D. S., K. C. Dist.

Anderson, Laban—M. E. Ch. So.; St. L. Conf. M. E. Ch., 1904, Montrose; '05, Deepwater; '06, Huntingdale; '07, '08, Dresden; '09-'11, Pilot Grove.

Ashley, John—St. L. Conf. 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler; '88, '89, Sedalia, Montgomery Ct.; '90, '91, Lebanon; '92, '93, Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca, '00-'02, Bloomfield; '03, Pacific; '04-'08, Sup'ry.; '09, Willow Springs; '10, '11, Sup'ry.

Bainbridge, James T.—Ark. Conf., 1889, '90, Judsonia; '01, Harrison; '02, '03, Bentonville; '04, '05, Russellville; '06-'08, Stuttgart; '09, Little Rock, Frank Lynn Ch.; '10, (in part) S. S. Mis'ry for Ark. Conf.; St. Louis Conf., '10, '11, K. C., Maywood.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-'83, East Lynne; '84-'86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'95, Austin; '96-'07, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton, '02-'03, Rockville; '04, Deepwater; '05, '06, Butler Ct.; '07, Amsterdam; '08-'10, High Point; '11, Odessa and Aulville.

Baker, William Frank—1904, Garden City; '05-'06, Iberia; '07, Conway; '08-'10, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '11, Joplin, Epworth.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00-'05, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '06, St. L., St. Luke; '07-'10, Wagoner Memorial; '11, Bowman.

Beggs, F. S.—1859, '60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63, '64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67, '68, Cape Girardeau; '69, '70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, S. L. Central; '83, K. C. Summit St.; '84, St. L. Corondelet; '85, '86, Sup'ry. (with work); '87-'91, P. E., Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93, '94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95, '96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L. Tower Grove; '99, Goode Ave.; '00-'05, Rolla; '06-'10, Smithton; '11, Springfield, Mt. Carmel.

Bell, M.—1877, '78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80, '81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87, '88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93, '94, Adrian; '95-'11, Sup'ted.

Bingman, Purnell E.—1910, '11, Deepwater.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Gen'l. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-'93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'04, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association; '05, Sup'ry.; '06-'11, Conf. Evangelist.

Blair, Samuel.—Cent. Pa. Conf., 1888-'90, Hazleton; '91, '92, Harveyville; '93-'95, Altoona, Supt. People's Mission; '96-'98, Morrisdale; W. Neb. Conf., '99-'00, Shelton; Cent. Pa. Conf., '01-'05, Miss'ry to Utah and Wyoming; '06, El Paso, Tex.; '07-'09, Supt. N. Mex. Missions; Kans. Conf., '10, Manhattan; St. L. Conf., '11, Carthage.

Borah, J. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1894, '95, Irvington Ct.; '96, Watson Ct.; '97-'98, Patoka Ct.; '99-'01, Okawville; '02-'04, E. St. L., Century Ch.; St. L. Conf.; '05, '06, St. L. Maplewood; '07-'09, St. Luke's; '10, '11 (in part), Lebanon; '11, Farmington.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82, '83, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85, Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield, '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Pierce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '95, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97, '98, West Plains; Oklahoma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part), Pacific (in part), Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place; '03-'06, Sup'ted; '07, '08, Richland; '09, 11, Sup'ted.

Britton, D. W.—Ill. Conf., 1895-98, DeLand; '99-'01, Havana; '02-'06, Sup'ry.; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, Austin; '10, Garden City; '11, Austin.

Brown, Walter E.—1904, '05, Carthage Ct.; '06, '07, K. C. Grace; '08-'11 (in part), K. C. Phoenix Pk.; '11, Neosho.

Bryan, C. V.—1907-'09, Buffalo; '10, Carterville; '11, Mountain View.

Bundy, G. F.—Ind. Conf. ——; St. L. Conf., '08, Bonne Terre; '09, Tipton; '10, Lockwood; '11, Oronogo.

Campbell, S. E.—1887-'88, Osceola; '89-'91, Nevada; '92, St. Louis, Goode Ave.; '93-'97, Maple Ave.; Mo. Conf., '98-'02, St. Joseph, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, K. C. (in part), Linwood Ave.; '05-'07, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '08-'10, D. S. K. C. Dist.; '10, '11, Springfield, Grace Ch.

Chatten, W. K.—South Kas. Conf., 1904, Crestline; '05, New Lancaster; St. L. Conf., '06-'08, Drexel; '09-'11, Adrian.

Collins, W. K.—N. W. Ind. Conf., '76, '77, Cambridge; '78, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Sup'ry; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa, '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L. Trinity; '86, Clinton, '87-'89, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01, '02, Pleasant Hill; '03, '05, Lee's Summit; '06-'10, Sup'ry; '11, Sup'ted.

Coontz, J. W.—S. W. Mo. Conf. (M. E. Ch. So.), 1898-'00, K. C. Washington St.; '01-'02, Neosho; St. L. Conf. (M. E. Ch.), '03, Holden, '04-'10 (in part), K. C., Hammond Place (Oakhurst); '10, '11, St. L., Dr. Fry Memorial.

Cosper, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1885, Ellsworth; '86, '87, West, Fort Co.; '88, Argenta; '89, Little Rock, Ebenezer; '90-'91, Rogers; '92, Eureka

Springs; St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Bolivar; '98-'00, Rich Hill; '01-'03, Lamar; '04-'06, Nevada; Mo. Conf., '07-'09, Hannibal, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, K. C. Arlington.

Courtney, W. S.—1887, Schell City; '88, '89, K. C., Liberty St.; '90-'92, Summit St.; '93, Nevada; '94-'98, St. L., Bowman; W. Wis. Conf., '99-'10, Eau Clair, First Ch.; '02-'04, New Richmond; Mo. Conf., '05, Fairport; '06, '07 (in part), New Albany; St. L. Conf., '07-'09 (in part), Osceola; '09-'11, Drexel.

Criss, C. V.—1877, '78, Lamar; '79-'80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82, '83, Belton; '84-86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92, '93, P. E., Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'04, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '05, '06, Springfield, Benton Ave., '07-'09, Butler; '10, Lamar; '11, D. S., Sedalia Dist.

Crow, D. W.—1881, '82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86, '87, Crystal City, '88-'93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E., Farmington Dist.; '00-'03, DeSoto; '04-'08, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '09-'11, DeSoto.

Davis, Claire G.—1908, Marionville Ct.; '09, '10, Ass't, Webb City; '11, Ashgrove.

Dixon, A. M.—Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch. So., 1900, West End; '01-'03, Du Quoin, S. Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch., '03, Mt. Vernon Ct.; St. Louis Conf., '04-'07, Fruitland; '08, Sarcoxie; '09, '10, Golden City; '11, Bolivar.

Doreas, H. F.—Upper Ia. Conf., 1897, Urbana; '98, Albernett; '99, '00, Bassett; '01-'03, Burr Oak; '04, Randalia; '05, '06, Oasis; '07, Viola; '08, '09, Center Junction; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, Billings.

Dubois, F. E.—N. W. Ia. Conf., 1882, Lehigh; Upper Ia. Conf., '83, Palo; '84, at school; '85, '86, West Dubuque; '87, '88, Strawberry Point; '89-'91, Farley; '92, '93, Dysart; '94-'96, Jessup; '97, '98, Missionary to Wyo., Evanston; N. W. Ia. Conf., '99, '00, Ireton; '01, Dist. Supt. Children's Home Society; '02-'04, Kingsley; Ark. Conf., '05-'07, Little Rock, First Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '08-'11, Conf. Evangelist.

Dutton, D. C.—Upper Ia. Conf., 1901-'03, McGregor; '04, '05, Field Sec. Upper Ia. University; '06, '07, Anamosa; St. L. Conf., '08-'11, Webb City.

Elayer, E. W.—1897, Urbana; '98, '99, California, '00, '01, Mountain Grove; '02, Aurora and Mt. Vernon; '03-'06, Columbia River and Oregon Conf.; St. Louis Conf., '07, '08, Mt. Vernon; '09, '10, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '11, St. L., Wagoner Memorial.

Erdman, Chas. E.—St. Louis German Conf., 1906-'09,, —; St. L. Conf., '10, Sullivan; '11, St. L., Winsor.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70, '71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73, '74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84, '85, Sup'ry; '86, '87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91, '92; Knob Noster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Springs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Windsor and Leeton; '04-'11, Sup'ted.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93, '94, Montrose; '95-'97, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'02, Green

Ridge; '03, '04, Liberal; '05, '06, Joplin, Central Ave.; '07, Oronogo; '08, Hume and Foster; '09-'11, Carthage Ct.

Foster, H. B.—Kas. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Ch.; St. L. Conf., '92, Mountain Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94, '95, Mountain Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00-'05, P. E., Lebanon Dist.; '06, St. L., Trinity; '07-'10 (in part), Springfield, Benton Ave.; '10 (in part), Farmington; '10, D. S., Farmington Dist.; '11, Joplin, Byers Ave.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83, Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94, '95, Carterville; '96, Golden City; '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01, '02, Pierce City; '03, '04, Seneca; '05-'11, Conf. Evangelist.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83, '84, Prairie Grove; '85, '86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Avilla; '88, '89, Billings; '90, '91, Dadeville; '92, 93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99, '00, Bolivar Ct.; '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool; '03, '04, Ava; '05-'11, Sup'ted.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85-'86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98, '99, Carterville, '00, '01, Eldorado Springs, '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07-'11, Sup'ted.

Getty, F.—Philadelphia Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., '07, Carl Junction; '08, Carterville; '09, K. C., Hennington Heights; '10, '11, Lee's Summit.

Geyer, F. L.—Kas. Conf., 1902-'04, Michigan Valley; '05, 06, Meriden; '07, '08 at school; '09, Highland; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, St. L., Hagerty Memorial and Webster Grove.

Gideon, T. J.—Ark. Conf., 1882, Harpville; '83-'85, Chickelat; '86, Charleston; '87, Ellsworth; '88, '89, Dayton; '90, '91, Wardron; '92-'94, Amity; '95, Judsonia; '96, Cushman; St. Louis Conf., '97, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99, '00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02-'04, Hartville; '05, Conway; '06, Buffalo; '07, '08, Bloomfield; '09, Phillipsburg; '10, '11, Sup'ry.

Gilbreath, J. C.—1907, '08, Fairplay; '09, '10, Republic; '11, K. C., Slaven's Memorial.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873, '74, Warsaw, '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78, '79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83, '84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88, '89, Pleasant Hill; '89-'10, Missionary to Wyoming; '11, Agent Omaha Methodist Hospital.

Glover, H. L.—N. Y. East Conf., 1889-'92, East Moriches; '93, '94, Naugatuck; '95-'97, Durham; '98, '99, Morris Park; '00-'03, Amityville, First Ch.; '04-'09, Lynbrook; St. L. Conf., '10, Sedalia, Epworth; '11, Appleton City.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855, '56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58, '59, Newark; '60, '61, Princeton; '62, '63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf.,

'64, St. Joseph; '65-'68, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '76, '77, Jefferson City; '78, '79, Pleasant Hill ; '79, '80, K. C. Liberty St.; '81-'83, P. E. St. L. Dist.; '84-'86, St. L., Water Tower; '87-'11, Chap. St. L. Institutions.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64, '65, Brighton; '66, '67, Samel; '68, Du Quoin; '69-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E., Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree Col.; '86, '87, Sup'ry (with work); St. L. Conf., '88, '89, St. L. Trinity; '90, '91, St. Luke; '92, '93, Sup'ry (with work); '94 St. L.; '95, Union, Ass't Pastor; '96-'11, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfreesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73, '74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76, '77, Ironton; '78, De Soto; '79, Schell City; '80, '81, Lebeck; '82, transf'd to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92, '93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96-'11, Sup'ted.

Harrison, C. T.—1904, '05, Oronogo; '06-'08, Neosho; '09-'11, Missionary in Nevada.

Hill, Rowland.—1909-'11, Kingsville.

Horton, E. R.—Ohio Conf., 1886, Chicago Junction; '87, '88, Port Clinton; '89-'93, Put-in-Bay; Cent. Ill. Conf., '94-'96, Chillicothe; '97-'98, Castleton; 99, '00, Cuba; '01-'03, Williamsfield; '04-'06, Peoria, Grace Ch.; '07, '08, Industry; '09, '10, La Harpe; St. L. Conf., '11, Hume.

Hoos, P. R.—1905, Huntingdale; '06, '07, Sligo; '08-'11, St. L., Carondelet.

Hummer, A. G.—Ark. Conf., 1897-'00, Fayetteville; Okla. Conf., '01-'04, Roscoe; '05, Zarney; '06, Roscoe; '07, '08, Elk City; '09, Carmen; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, Anderson.

Humphrey, H. G.—1896-'01, at School; '02, K. C., Howard Memorial; '03-'05, at School; '06, '07, Independence; '08-'11, K. C., Broadway.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry City; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S.; '96-'00, Lamar; '01, '02, Lebanon; '03-'06, Bolivar; '07, '08, Warrensburg; '09, '10 (in part), Mt. Vernon; '10, '11, Rolla.

Hunt, R. A.—1907, '08, Tipton; '09, '11 (in part), Neosho; '11, Okmulgee, Okla.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84, '85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnel Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in School; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf. (mid-year), St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96, '97, California; '98, Urbana; '99, '00, Licing; '01, Hartville; '02, Knobnoster; '03, '04, Huntingdale; '05, '06, Dadeville; '07-'11, Sup'ted.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97-'02, Malta Bend; '03, '04, Rich Hill; '05, transf'd to St. Johns Riv. Conf., St. Louis Conf., '06, De Soto; '07, P. E. Springfield Dist.; '08-'11, D. S., Springfield Dist.

Jinnett, W. P.—Col. R. Conf., 1903, Echo; '04-'06, Prineville; '07-'09, Ellensburg; '10, Maveh; St. L. Conf., '11, Nevada.

Johnson, J. B.—Ind. Conf., 1896, Selvin; '97, '98, Bowling Green; '99, Monroe City; '00-'02, Pleasantville; '03, '04, Chrisney; '05, '06, Fort Branch; '07, '08, Ellettsville; '09, '10 (in part), New Albany, Main St.; St. L. Conf., '10, Walnut Pk.; '11, Maplewood.

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1878, Huntsville; '79-'80, Yellville; '81, '82, Mountain Home; '83-'84, Waldron; '05, Russellville; '86 Texarkana; '87-89, P. E., Harrison and Ft. Smith Dist.; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part), St. L. Conf.; '93-'97, Marshfield; '98, '99, Bolivar; '00-'03, Monett; '04-'06, Mountain Grove; '07-'09, Seymour and Mansfield; '10, '11, Eldon.

Jones, H. A.—1892, '93, Missionary in Utah; '94, at school; '95-'98, St. L., Goode Ave.; '06-'08, K. C., Howard Memorial; Cincinnati Conf., '09, '10, ——; St. L. Conf., '11, Joplin, First Ch.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton, '98-'03, Butler; '04-'07, Joplin, 1st Ch.; '08-'10, D. S. Sedalia Dist.; '11, D. S. Carthage Dist.

Jones, Sam'l.—1873, '74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79, '00, Sup'ry; '01-'11, Sup'ted.

King, J. F.—1907, Cassville; '08, Billings; '09, '10, Aurora; '11, St. L., St. Lukes.

King, W. W.—W. Va. Conf., 1882; Quinnimont; '83, Williamstown; N. O. Conf., '84, '85, Olive Green; W. Va. Conf., '86, '87, Benwood; '88-'91, Huntington, First Ch.; N. W. Ind. Conf., '92-'94, Lafayette, Trinity; St. L. Conf., '95-'99, St. L., Lindell Ave.; Wilmington Conf., '00-'05, Wilmington, Grace Ch.; Ind. Conf., '06-'09, Indianapolis, Central Ave.; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, St. L., Lindell Ave.

Kirk, J. C.—1904-'06 (in part), Hume; '06, '07, Sarcoxie; '08, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '09, '10 (in part), Windsor; '10, '11, Holden.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'78, Berryville; '79, Huntsville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84, '85, Cassville; '86, '87, Mt. Vernon; '88, '89, Urbana; '90, '91, Stratford; '92-'11, Sup'ted.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-'92, Farina; '93, '94, Pinckneyville; '95-,98, Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Ave.; '02, '03, Neosho; '04, De Soto; '05-'07, St. L., Carondolet; '08, '09, Harlem Place; '10, '11, Malta Bend.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00, '01, Mt. Vernon; '02, '03, Missionary to Montana; '04, Sup'ry; '05, Springfield, Daily Ch.; '06-'08, Marionville; '09 (in part), Conf.; Evangelist; '09, Lamar; '10, Appleton City; '11, Sedalia, Epworth.

Leonard, H. C.—1902, St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; '03, '04, Harlem Place; '05, '06 (in part), DeSoto; '07-'11, St. L., Goode Ave. (Choteau Place).

Lichliter, M. H.—Pittsburgh Conf., 1900, Pitcairn; '01, '02, South Fork; '03, '04, Verona; '05-'07, Olean, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '08-'11, St. L., Maple Ave.

Lint, R. H.—Evangelical Ass'n., 1894-'07; St. L. Conf., 1908, Golden City; '09-'11, K. C., Mt. Washington.

Livingston, A. M.—S. W. Kans. Conf., 1897, Coldwater; '97-'99, Latham; '00, '01, at School; '02, '03, Argonia; St. L. Conf., '04-'06, Greenfield; '07, Monett; '08-'10, West Plains; '11, Mountain Grove.

Lokey, J.—Ark. Conf., 1877-'80, Clear Cr.; '81-'83, Prairie Gr.; '84, Batesville; '85, Harrison; '86-'88, Evangelist; '89, Saratoga, Kans.; St. L. Conf., '90, '91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93, '94, Purdy; '95-'97, Mt. Vernon; '98, '99, Purdy; '00, Billings; '01-'07, Boaz; '08, Clever; '09-'11, Sup'ted.

Luccock, N.—Pittsburgh Conf., 1874, '75, Tippecanoe, O.; '76, Addison, Pa.; '77, '78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-'84, Pittsburgh, Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Alleghany Col.; '88-'91, Erie, First Ch.; 92-'96, Pittsburgh, Smithfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897-'08, St. Louis, Union Ch.; '09-'11, K. C., Hyde Park.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870, '71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72, '73, K. C., 16th St.; '74, '75, Rolla; '76-'78, Greenfield; '78, '79, Carthage; '80, '81, Lebanon; '82-'85, P. E., Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-91, Rolla; '92, Nevada; '93-'95, Holden; '96-'01, Lee's Summit; '02-'04, K. C., Phoenix Park; '05, Cor. Sec. of Evan. Ch. Ext. Society, K. C., Mo.; '06-'08, K. C., Mt. Washington; '09-'11, Sup'ted.

Maloney, R. V.—Kans. Conf., 1896-'98, Bushong; '99, '00, Alta Vista; '01, '02, Barnes; '03-'05, Abilene; '06, Olathe; '07-'09, Rosedale; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, Agent Children's Home Society.

Martin, J. J.—1878, '79, Seneca; '80, '81, Oronogo; '82, '83, Avilla; '84, '85, Golden City; '86-'89, Marionville; '90, '91, Mt. Vernon; '92-'94, Joplin; '95, '96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden; '03-'05, Independence; '06-'09 (in part), Lamar; '09-'11, Chaplain Mo. Penitentiary.

Mason, J. M.—1907, '08, Pilot Grove; '09, Deepwater; '10, Alberta; '11, Sup'ry.

Matthews, W. E.—W. Neb. Conf., 1893-'96, Walnut Grove; '97, Arnold; '98-'00, Loup City; '01, '02, Westerville; '03-'05, Merna; '06, '07, Arcadia; '08-'10, Sargent; St. L. Conf., '11, Licking.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Roe Run; '99, '00, Ironton; '01, '02, Fruitland; '03-'05, Farmington; '06, '05, P. E., Farmington Dist.; '08, '10, (in part), D. S., Farmington Dist.; '10, '11, K. C., Oakhurst.

Miller, A. H.—Pittsburgh Conf., 1873, '74, Circuit; '75-'80, Pittsburgh, Thirty-third St.; '81-'83, Liberty St.; '84-'86, Fifth Ave.; '87-'90, Beaver Falls; St. L. Conf., '91-'97 (in part), St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; '97, '98 (in part), Shrewsberry; '99-'04, Sup'ry; '05-'11, Sup'ted.

McCulloch, A. J.—M. E. Ch., S., W. Tex. Conf., 1898, Junction City; '99, '00, Sherwood; '01, Rocksprings; M. E. Ch., Col. Conf., '02, Manzanola; '03, Castle Rock; '04-'06, Kersey; '07, '08, Wray; St. L., Conf., '09, Malta Bend; '10, Tipton; '11, Prof. in Southwestern College.

Miller, E. F.—1903, '04, Oak Grove; '05-'11, at school.

Mitchell, H. A.—1900, '01, Lincoln and Warsaw; '02-'06, Eldorado Springs; '07, '08, Lebanon; '09, '10, Mountain Grove; '11, West Plains.

Moore, F. O.—1904, '05, Centerview; '06, '07, East Lynn; '08-'10, Belton; '11, K. C., Grace Ch.

Moore, J. N.—1874, Lebanon Ct.; '75, '76, Cuba; '77, '79, Discontinued; '80, '81, Richland; '82, Oronogo; '83, '84, Carterville and Webb City; '85-'87, Pierce City; N. W. Kans. Conf., '88, Ellis; '89, '90, Jewell City; Ark. Conf., '91-'93, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part), Prof. L. R. Un.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '95-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '99, City Missions; '01-'03, Hammond Place; '04, Amsterdam; '05, withdrawn; readmitted; '07-'09, Joplin Epworth; '10, '11, Sup'ry.

Morris, M. O.—1908, Humansville; '09, Billings; '10, Greenfield; '11, Bonne Terre.

Needham, J. W.—1890, '91, Winona; '92, '93, at school; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield; '02, '03, Osceola; '04-'06, Monett; '07, '08, Mountain Grove; '09-'11, Marshfield.

Neff, F.—1901, '02, Boliver; '03-'06 (in part), Clinton; '00-'07, associate, K. C., Independence Ave.; '08-'10, Joplin, First Ch.; '11, Tulsa, Okla.

Nelson, W. R.—Ark. Conf., 1897-'99, Norwood; '00, '01, Springdale; '02-'05 (in part), Harrison; '05-'10 (in part), Rogers; St. Louis Conf., '10, '11, Independence.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S., 1897, '98, Conway; '99, '00, Sarcoxie; '01, '02, Butler Ct.; '03, Austin; '04, Drexel; '05-'08, Oak Grove; '09, Eldon; '10, '11, Richland.

Odom, J. F.—1906, '07, K. C., Phoenix Park; '08, K. C. Missions; '09, Dist. Evan., K. C. Dist.; '10, Supt. K. C. Ch. Exten. Society; '11, Conf. Evangelist.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75, '76, Warsaw; '77, '78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80-'82, Butler Ct.; '83, '84, Austin and Pl. Val.; '85, '86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92, '93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; '99-'11, Sup'ted.

Olmstead, E. B.—Wyoming Conf., 1882, Oneonta Plains, N. Y.; '83, '84, Laurens, N. Y.; '85-'87, Great Bend, Pa.; '88, '89, Sayre, Pa.; '90-'93, Norwich, N. Y., Broad St. Ch.; '93-'98, Binghamton, N. Y., Tabernacle Ch.; Genesee Conf., '98-'04, Rochester, N. Y., Ashbury Ch.; Holston Conf., '04-'08, Knoxville, Tenn., First Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '09-'11, K. C., Grand Ave.

Osborne, H. R.—Mo. Conf., 1892, Osborn; '93, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; '94, '95, at school; Iowa Conf., '96, Nichols; '97, '98, Sweetland; Cen. O. Conf., '99, '00, Timberville; '01, '02, Grand Rapids; Gulf Conf., '03, '04, Port Arthur; St. L. Conf., '05, Marshall; '06, Sup'ry; Alabama Conf., '07, '08, Birmingham, Simpson; St. L. Conf., '09, St. Louis, Windsor Memorial; '10, '11, St. L., Harlem Place.

Otwell, T. H.—Holston Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., 1910, Austin; '11, at school.

Pare, W. T.—1886, '87, Hermitage; '88, '89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95, Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'03, Newberg and Dixon; '04, '05, Sligo;

'06, Pacific; '07, '08, Pierce City and Purdy; '09, '10, Humansville; '11, Sup'ted.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburgh Conf., 1859, '60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61, '62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; S. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67, '68, K. C., Grand Ave.; '69-'71, St. L., Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73, '74, Warrensburg; '75, '76, Carthage; '77-'80, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '81, '82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85, Lee's Summit; '86-'90, Sup'ry; '91, 92, Lowry City; '93-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'11, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00-03, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '04-'07, Appleton City; '08, Sedalia, Epworth; '09-'11, Warrensburg.

Pine, J.—1877-'81, Cape Girardeau; '82, '83, Rolla; '84, Bolivar; '85, Knob Noster; '86, '87, Lincoln; '88-'90, Carterville; '91, St. L., Jennings; '92-'95, Sarcoxie; '96, '97, Joplin, Second Ch.; '98, '99, Mountain Grove; '00, transf'd to Okla. Conf.; St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), '07, Republic; '08-'11, Supt. Turrentine Hall.

Porter, J. S.—1873, '74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownville; '77-'79, Malta Bend; '80, '81, Knob Noster; '82, '83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87, '88, East Lynne; '89, Knob Noster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'11, Sup'ted.

Postlethwait, J. R.—1909, 10, K. C., Grace; '11, Supt. Twenty-ninth St.

Prall, T. E.—1897-'99, Sullivan; '00, '01 (in part), Old Orchard; '01-'03, Pilot Grove; mid-year to Montrose; '04, '05, Schell City; '06, '07, Jasper; '08, '09 (in part), Greenfield; '09, '10, Boliver; '11, Republic.

Rector, W. G.—St. Johns R. Conf., 1902, Green Cave Springs; '03, '04, Fruitland Pk. and Okahumpka; '05, '06, Lake Como.; S. Ill. Conf., '06, '07, Ramsey; '08, Venice; '09, '10 (in part), Bunker Hill; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, Greenfield.

Requa, W. L.—1902, '03, Fairplay and S.; '04, Mt. Vernon; '05, '06, Belton; '07, '08, Avilla; '09, '10, Jasper; '11, Liberal.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93, '94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at school; '97, K. C., Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '99-,11, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf. to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97, '98, Pleasant Hill; '99, '00, Higginsville; '01-'11, Sup'ted.

Robbins, G. A.—Mo. Conf., 1888-'90, Galt; '91, '92, Jamesport; '93, '94, Mendon; '05-'99, Macon; '00-'02, Hamilton; '03-'05, Brookfield; '06-'08, Maryville; St. Louis Conf., '09-'11, Sedalia, First Ch.

Rose, W. H.—S. Kans. Conf., 1877, Augusta Ct.; '78-'80, Dexter and Tisdale; '81, Douglas; S. W. Kans. Conf. (by division), '82, '83, Douglas; '84-'86, Caldwell; '87, '88, Greensburg; '89-'91, Dodge City; '92,-'97, P. E. Dodge City Dist.; '98-'01, Educational Secy. S. W. Kan. College; '02, '03, McPherson; Okla. Conf., '04-'06, Guthrie, First Ch.; '07-'10 (in part), Supt. Oklahoma Methodist Hospital; St. L. Conf., '10, St. L., Trinity; '11, Butler.

Sapp, E. H.—1899-'02, Webb City; '03, '04, Butler Ct.; '05-'07, Liberal; '08, '09, Oronogo; '10, Joplin, Epworth; '11, K. C., Bennington Heights.

Senneff, Clinton—1904, '05, Rockville; '06, '07, Schell City; '08, K. C., Grace; '09 (in part), Marshall; '09, '10, Fruitland; '11, Monett.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899, '00, Hartville; '00 (in part), '01, California; '02-'05, Richland; '06-'10 (in part), Rolla; '10, '11, Springfield, Benton Ave.

Sheridan, W. F.—Ind. Conf., 1885-'88, Indianapolis, Blackford St.; '89, '90, Theological School; '91, '92, Washington; Detroit Conf., '93-'95, Detroit; '96-'99, Pontiac, First Ch.; '00, Saginaw, First Ch.; Ky. Conf., '01-'03, Louisville, Trinity Ch.; Baltimore Conf., '04-'08, Mt. Vernon, Place Ch.; St. L. Conf., '09-'11, K. C., Howard Memorial.

Sidman, W. D.—1895-'97, Stockton; '98-'99, Republic; '00-'03, Greenfield; '04-'06 (in part), Osceola; '07, '08, Poplar Bluff; '09-'11, Marionville.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876, '77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79, '80, Russellville; '81-'84, P. E. Ft. Smith Dist.; '85, '86, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville; '88-'90, Greenfield; '91, '92, West Plains; '93-'98, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '99-'02, Marionville; '03, Carterville; '04, Neosho; '05, '06 (in part), Sarcoxie; '07, '08, Lockwood; '09, Alba and Neck City; '10, '11, Sup'ted.

Simmons, D. T.—1892, '93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-'01, Fairplay; '02-'04, Marshfield; '05, '06, Eldon; '07, '09 (in part), Bolivar; '09-'11, Osceola.

Simpson, F. W.—1896, Windsor; '97-'00, Osceola; '01, '02, Sedalia, Epworth Ch.; '03-'06, St. L., Bowman Ch.; '07-'11, K. C., Oakley.

Slusher, J. W.—Ark. Conf., 1887, Yellville; '88, Greenbrier; '89, Wild Cherry; '90, Oxford; '91, L. Rock Ct.; '92, L. Rock, North Side; '93-'97, Atkins; '98-'00 (in part), Almyria; Okla. Conf., '00-'02, Lehigh and C.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, Conway; '05, '06, Seymour; '07-'09, Hartville; '10, '11, Stockton.

Smith, J.—Mo. Conf., 1884-'88; St. Louis Conf., '98-'90; Bengal, Burma, Conf., P. E. Burma Dist., '91-'01; Burma Mission Conf., '01-'03, P. E. Burma Dist., '04, ——; '05, Sec. Indian Missionary Jubilee; St. L. Conf., '06-'09, Instructor in Missions, Baker University; '10, '11, Agt. Kans. Temperance Union.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89, '90, Hartville; '91-'93, Republic; '94, Schell City; '95, '96, Montrose; '97, '98, Green Ridge; '99, '00, Lamonte; '01, Windsor and Leeton; '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07-'10; '11, Sup'ted.

Smith, E. C.—Kans. Conf., 1892, Robinson; '93, Muscotah and Effingham; '94-'08, Seneca; '99-'01, Leavenworth, First Ch.; N. Neb. Conf., '02-'05, Omaha, First Ch.; Genesee Conf., '06-'08, Buffalo, Riverside; St. L. Conf., '09-'11, K. C., Linwood Blvd.

Squier, E. A.—So. Ill. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., 1900, West Plains; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Webster Grove; '04-'08, Sup'ry; '09-'11, Sup'ted.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67-'69, Marshall; '70, '71, Independence; '72, '73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77, '78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '87, '88, Smithton; '89-91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97, '98, Drexel; '99-'02, Odessa; '03-'11, Sup'ted.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kans. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84-'86, Galesburg; '87-'90, Virgil; '91, '92, Americus; '93-'96, Waverly; '97-'99, Galena; '00-'02 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02, '03, Nevada; '04, '05, Lamar; '06, '07, West Plains; '08-'10, Monett; '11, Lamar.

Stevenson, Carl—1908, Patton; '09, '10, Mountain View; '11, at school.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65, '66, Manor Hill; '67, '68, Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69, '70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield; '75-'77, S. L., Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81, '82, P. E. Sedalia Dist.; '83-'85, Carthage; '86, K. C., Summit St.; '87-'92, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '93-'98, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '99, '00, K. C., Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Ave.; '02, Clinton; '03-'11, Kansas City, Summit St.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kan. Conf., 1877, '78, Oxford; '79-'81, in school; '82, '83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87, '88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E., Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, First Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part), '02, Carthage; '03-'05, Kansas City, Howard Mem.; '06-'10, Springfield, Grace; '11, St. L., Bowman.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81, '82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'89, Iberia; '90, Linn Cr.; '91-'00, Sup'ry; '01-11, Sup'ted.

Stille, J. C.—1905, Alberta; '06-'08, Knob Noster; '09, '10, Odessa and Higginsville; '11, Sup'ry.

Stone, Thomas—United Methodist Conf., 1903-'09; St. L. Conf., '10, '11 (in part), Carl Junction; '11, K. C., Phoenix Park.

Suter, O. V.—1905, '07, Nashville; '08, Butler Ct.; '09, '10, Avilla; '11, Moundville.

Thompson, Fayette L.—Mich. Conf., 1885, Hanover; '86, '87, Big Rapids; '88-'90, Manistee; '91, abroad; '92-'94, Petoskey; '95-'98, Lansing, Central; '99, '00, Jackson, First; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03, Davenport, St. John's; N. Minn. Conf., '04-'06, ——; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, St. L., Lindell Ave.; '10, '11, Secy. Methodist Brotherhood.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'03, Appleton City; '04, '05, Pleasant Hill; '06-'10 (in part), Farmington; '10 (in part), Financial Secy. Carleton College; '10, '11 (in part), Farmington.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70, '71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72, '73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77-'78, Mecklin; '79, '80, Grant; 81, Walnut; '82, '83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86, '87, Conway; '88, '89, Dadeville; '90, '91, Galena; '92, '93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'11, Sup'ted.

Tippin, C. F.—1896, Newberg and Dixon; '98-'00, Seymour; '01-'04, Eldon; '05-'07, Marshfield; '08-'11, Conway.

Toland, H. A.—1889, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87, '88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90-'11, Sup'ted.

Tolbart, W. O.—1907, '08, Mt. View; '09, Pierce City; '10, '11, Fairplay.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82, '83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-89, St. L., Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91, '92, Holden;

'93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96, '97, K. C., Howard Mem.; '98-'00, (Twenty-ninth St.) Grace Ch.; '01-'05, Bennington Heights; '06, '07, P. E., Lebanon Dist.; '08-'11, D. S., Lebanon Dist.

Wakefield, R.—1903-'06, St. L., Tower Grove (Wagoner Mem.); '07-'10 (in part), Trinity; '10, '11, Clinton.

Welch, John—Iowa Conf., Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville, Mo., and Ark. Conf., 1886, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68, Linn Creek; St. L. Conf., '69, Washington; '70, '71, Linn Creek; '72, '73, Versailles; Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80-'11, Sup'ted.

Webb, J. A.—Gulf Conf., 1908, Jefferson; '09, '10, Woodville; St. L. Conf., '11, Tipton.

Woodward, W. R.—1910, Rich Hill; '11, Joplin, Central Ave.

Wright, Zed.—1901-'03, Deepwater; Neb. Conf., '04-'09; St. L. Conf., '10, Knobnoster; '11, Smithton.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88, Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93, '94, Carterville; '95-'98, Joplin; '99-'04, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '05-'07, K. C., Linwood Blvd.; '08-'11, D. S., St. L. Dist.

Yeager, W. F.—1880-'02, Cassville; '83, '84, Dadeville; '85-'86, Buffalo; '87-'88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90, '91, Fairplay; '92, '93, Dadeville; '94-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '09, '00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Glena; '02, Marionville Ct.; '03-'11, Sup'ted.

MISCELLANEOUS

EXAMINERS AND THEIR WORK FOR 1909 TO 1912.

Chairman—Geo. J. Hunt, Rolla, Mo.

Registrar and Treasurer—J. W. Coontz, St. Louis.

Members—D. W. Crow, J. W. Coontz, A. D. Ball, M. H. Lichliter, Geo. J. Hunt, Naphtali Luccock, J. J. Martin, Frank Neff, T. P. Shaffer, Ralph Wakefield, L. G. Reser, H. G. Humphrey, G. H. Cosper, H. R. Osborn, J. W. Borah, F. O. Moore, H. B. Foster, H. L. Glover, F. P. Lechliter and W. F. Sheridan.

ASSIGNMENTS.

Subject for Essays:—

Second Year—The Element of Inspiration in the Holy Scriptures.

Fourth Year—The Origin and Place of the Deaconate in the Early Christian Church.

Texts for Sermons—Admission: John 3:16. First Year: Ephesians 2:8. Third Year: 2 Tim. 3:5.

J. W. Borah:—Analogy of Religion.

H. R. Osborn:—Divine Library of the Old Testament, and the ancestry of our English Bible.

T. P. Shaffer:—Grounds of Theistic and Christian Belief.

W. F. Sheridan:—Manual of Bible History and Manual of Christian Doctrine.

Naphtali Luccock:—History of the Christian Church, Vols. I and II.

L. G. Reser:—System of Christian Doctrine.

D. W. Crow:—Christian Perfection, and Candidates for Local Deacon's Orders.

H. G. Humphrey:—English Branches, and The Governing Conference in Methodism.

H. L. Glover:—Studies in Ethical Principles.

G. H. Cosper:—Lectures on Homiletics, and Sermons of the First Year.

M. H. Lichliter:—Lessons in Logic, and Essays of the Second Year.

Ralph Wakefield:—Outlines of Universal History.

F. O. Moore:—Student's American History, and Candidates for Local Elder's Orders.

F. P. Lickliter:—Hermenuetics, and Sermons of the Third Year.

Frank Neff:—Outlines of Descriptive Psychology.

H. B. Foster:—Short History of the English People.

A. D. Ball:—Discipline of 1908, and Wesley and his Century.

J. J. Martin:—Essays of the Fourth Year, and Sermons for Admission.

N. B.—At the earliest possible moment let each Examiner send to the Chairman the needed number of sets of questions for the studies assigned him.

Students will apply to the Chairman for questions, and only on the studies assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months. Let all claims for College credits be presented at once to the Chairman. An authorized certificate must accompany such claims.

RULES OF EXAMINING BOARD.

I. Examinations and Examiners.

1st. All examinations on the Conference course must be taken in the months of June, September, December and February, as per plan published in the Conference minutes. Page opposite.

2nd. All examinations must be taken before the Board member in charge of the study, or an appointee of the Chairman, who must be a member of a Conference, and such sub-examiner must authenticate the examination and transmit all questions and answers to the said Board Examiner. See Discipline, 1908, Appendix par. 65, sec. 5.

3rd. All papers must emanate from the Chairman, but the name of the Examiner in each case will be made known to the student.

Within 60 days from adjournment of the Conference each Examiner will deposit with the Chairman a suitable number of sets of questions on each of the studies he has charge of. The minimum number of questions on one study being ten and the maximum twenty.

4th. No examination will be granted at the seat of Conference, except in cases of the most extreme necessity, and no re-examination shall be granted. A candidate for admission on trial will be granted examinations at any time, on the request of his Presiding Elder, but the earliest date is desirable.

5th. Conference Examiners will report to the Registrar at the end of each schedule term as to the grades they have given.

II. Students.

1st. All candidates for examination who are present at the session of the Conference shall some time during the session be convened before the Board for mutual consultation.

2nd. In no case shall two or more examination papers be bound together, but each must be made separate; on paper of uniform size designated by the Board, viz., "letter" size. All must be neatly written in ink, or typewriter, on one side only, and being properly dated, paged, fastened together and signed.

3rd. No undergraduate shall be advanced from the class of the first year, or of the third year who has failed in any of the requirements of said year, except on the recommendation of two-thirds of the Board present and voting. In case of the continuance of any undergraduates in the same class or year, or their advance, they shall be permanently credited with the grades of the studies in which they passed.

4th. All students must certify in writing that they have "read the books carefully."

5th. Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months.

III. Credits and Fees.

1st. In view of the expense on the part of the Chairman and others, in postage, printing, etc., it is required that a fee of fifty cents be paid in advance to the Treasurer by each student annually while in the course. No papers will be sent without compliance with this rule.

2nd. Credits will be given by the Board through the Chairman in harmony with the provisions of the Discipline (1908) Appendix par. 64. Notice must be given the Chairman at the opening of the Conference year by those who intend to make claims for credits.

IV. Itinerant Club.

1st. The Board shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three, the Chairman and Registrar being members ex-officio, who shall have charge of the program of the "Itinerant Club," such program to be published not later than one month before the meeting of the Annual Conference. The committee for the year 1912-13 consists of Thos. P. Shaffer, H. B. Foster and Naphtali Luccock.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDER-GRADUATES. 1909-12.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Conference have made the following arrangement of the Studies of the four years' course prescribed by authority of the General Conference for Under-Graduates:—

MONTHS	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May June	1. Divine Library of the Old Testament. To Be Read: 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I.—Sermons 1-35. 2. Methodist Review.	1. The Ancestry of our English Bible. To Be Read: 1. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I.—Sermons 34-58. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Biblical Hermeneutics. 2. The Governing Conference in Methodism. To Be Read: 1. History of Methodism, Vol. 2. The Christian Faith, pp. 1-253. 3. Ecclesiastical Architecture. 4. Methodist Review.	1. Grounds of Theistic and Christian Relief. 2. Outlines of Universal History, Part III. To Be Read: 1. The Christian Faith, pp. 257-531. 2. Social Aspects of Religious Institutions. 4. Methodist Review.
July August September	1. Lectures on Homiletics. To Be Read: 1. A Compendious History of American Methodism. 2. The Heart of Asbury's Journal 3. Methodist Review.	1. Lessons in Logic. 1. History of Methodism, Vol. I. 2. The Pastor and Modern Missions. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Outlines of Universal History, Parts I and II. To Be Read: 1. History of Western Europe. 2. Christianity and the Social Crisis. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. II. To Be Read: 1. History of Methodism, Vol. III. 2. Philosophy of Christian Religion. 3. Methodist Review.
October November December	1. System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 1-322. To Be Read: 1. Digest of Methodist Law. 2. Extemporaneous Oratory. 3. How to be a Pastor. 4. Methodist Review.	1. System of Christian Doctrine, pp. 325-635. To Be Read: 1. English and American Literature. 2. History and Exposition of the 25 Articles of Religion of the Methodist Episcopal Church. 3. Methodist Review.	1. History of the Christian Church, Vol. I. To Be Read: 1. The Bible: : Its Origin and Nature. 2. Hymn Treasures. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Butler's Analogy. To Be Read: 1. Sociology.—C. D. Wright. 2. The Land of Israel. 3. Methodist Review.
January February March	1. Student's American History. 2. Written Sermon. To Be Read: 1. The Social Message of the Modern Pulpit. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Short History of the English People. 2. Essay. To Be Read: 1. The Church and the Social Problem. 2. How to conduct a Sunday School. 3. Methodist Review.	1. Psychology. 2. Written Sermon. To Be Read: 1. Psychological Principles of Education. 2. Methodist Review.	1. Studies in Ethical Principles. 2. Essay. To Be Read: 1. The Study of the Child. 2. Pentateuch.—Bissell. R. Methodist Review.

STATISTICS

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Session of Conference, March, 1911.

Frederick Getty, Treasurer, in account with the St. Louis Annual Conference.

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To Balance from Conference 1910	$ 5.20	
To Conference Collections, Vouchers	61,932.00	
To Conference Collections, Cash	31,661.00	
To Book Concern Dividend	1,835.00	
To Connectional Fund, Conference Claimants	320.00	
To Chartered Fund	25.00	
To Dist. Supt's. Claim Carthage District	11.86	
To Refunded Vouchers, Jennings and Graham	206.45	
To Conference Minutes	5.00	
To Undesignated Amount	4.00	
To Temperance Society	1.00	
To Overcredit on Voucher	1.55	
To Fractional Amounts	2.00	
To Conference Permanent Fund	310.00	
To L. M. Thompson, Refund on Account of Voucher	12.45	
		$96,332.51

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By Conference Collections, Vouchers	$61,932.00
By Board of Foreign Missions	9,451.00
By Board Home Missions and Church Extension	8,625.00
By Board of Education	832.00
By Board of Sunday Schools	820.00
By Board of Conference Claimants	599.00
By Freedman's Aid Society	1,389.00
By American Bible Society	201.00
By Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	18.00
By Woman's Home Missionary Society	20.00
By Marionville College	1,200.00
By Carleton College	1,082.00
By Conference Minutes	294.00
By W. F. M. S., Special for China	22.00
By Conference Claimants, St. Louis Conference	7,577.00

By General Conference Expense	622.00	
By Central Office, Epworth League	80.00	
By Episcopal Fund	1,475.00	
By Permanent Fund, St. Louis Conference	46.00	
By Board of Sunday Schools, Tract Collections	6.00	
By R. A. Hunt, from Carthage District	11.86	
By Jennings and Graham, Refund on Account of Voucher	12.45	
By Balance	17.20	$96,332.51

FREDERICK GETTY, Treasurer.

Audited and found correct.

H. R. OSBORN.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT FUND.

Amount of Principal Reported Last Year	$9,694.59	
Added to Date	205.00	
		$9,899.59
Amount of Investments Reported Last Year	$9,489.05	
Net Amount Added	199.70	
Cash in Savings Account	65.56	
Cash on Deposit	145.28	
Present Principal, as Above		$9,899.59
Interest Carried Over	.06	
Interest Collections to Date	323.14	
Total	$ 323.20	
Expenses Allowed and Paid	10.28	
Net Interest	$ 312.92	
Paid to Conference Stewards	$ 312.92	

Correctly taken from my books, Kansas City, Mo., March 22, 1912.

I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Receipts.

Dividend from Book Concern	$2,287.00
Dividend from Charter Fund	30.00
Dividend from Preacher's Aid Society	312.92
Dividend from Connectional Fund	350.00
Support from the Charges less 5 per cent	5,435.00
From Other Sources	308.39
Total	$8,723.31

Disbursements.

Annuities to Claimants (see list)	$7,440.00	
From Necessity Fund	1 005.00	
Cash on Hand, Necessity Fund	278.31	
Total	$8,723.31	
Disciplinary Annuity, per year		$ 15.00
Annuity Actually Paid		8.50
Average Salary (not including house rent) of Effective Preachers		1,057.00

Apportionment for Support of Conference Claimants, next year, 4 per cent of pastor's salaries including house rent.

A. M. LIVINGSTON,
Secretary and Treasurer.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' DIRECTORY.

The following Claimants have voluntarily relinquished their claims for the benefit of the other Claimants: I. M. Galbraith, 21 years; I. J. K. Lunbeck, 37 years; A. H. Miller, 26 years; Mrs. L. M. Peters, 15 years; Mrs. E. J. Hunt, 32 years; W. K. Collins, 26 years; Mrs. Hallock, Mrs. Mary V. Hamel.

NAME	POSTOFFICE ADDRESS	Years Effective	Total Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Allowance from Special Fund	Total Amount Paid
M. Bell	Golden City, Mo.	16	$240	$ 136	----	$ 136
J. W. Brewington	San Diego, Cal., 2275 C St.	22	330	187	----	187
D. W. Crow	DeSoto, Mo.	29	435	246	----	246
J. W. Finley	Kansas City, Kan., 924 Sandusky Av.	31	465	263	$ 50	313
C. D. Fry	Cabool, Mo.	29	435	246	----	246
T. J. Gideon	DeSoto, Mo.	27	405	229	----	229
Joseph Harris	Los Angeles, Cal., 1513 Girard Av.	30	450	255	----	255
J. S. Harris	St. George, Ga.	25	375	212	----	212
J. H. Hurley	Epworth, Ga.	26	390	221	----	221
Samuel Jones	Clinton, Mo.	6	90	52	100	152
T. H. Knease	Seymour, Mo.	18	270	153	95	248
J. N. Moore	Kansas City, Mo.	30	450	255	----	255
Frank Oechsli	Lawrence, Kan., 1042 Ohio St.	22	330	187	----	187
James Pine	Marionville, Mo.	31	465	263	----	263
J. S. Porter	Rich Hill, Mo.	20	300	170	75	245
W. T. Pare	Leeton, Mo.	14	210	110	----	110
W. H. Rose	Butler, Mo.	33	495	280	----	280
D. C. Ridgeway	Springfield, Ohio, 26 W. Euclid Av.	36	540	264	----	264
J. W. Slusher	Stockton, Mo.	23	345	195	----	195
F. M. Stickney	Eldon, Mo.	17	255	144	----	144
E. A. Squier	Atlanta, Mo.	15	225	127	50	177
Wm. Stephens	Belton, Mo.	35	525	297	75	372
W. J. Simmons	Marionville, Mo.	32	480	272	----	272
Hervey Smith	Jamestown, Ohio	15	225	127	----	127
Henry Threlfall	Galena, Mo.	24	360	204	----	204
John Welch	Eldorado Springs, Mo.	17	255	144	60	204
W. F. Yeager	Marionville, Mo.	21	315	178	----	178
		----	----	$5417	$505	$5922

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' DIRECTORY—Continued

NAME	POSTOFFICE ADDRESS	Widows' Effective Years	Total Annuity Claim	Annuity Paid	Special Allowance	Total Amount Paid
Mrs. A. Barber	Moran, Kan.	18	$135	$ 76	----	$ 76
Mrs. W. M. Beatty	San Diego, Cal., 1130 10th St.	13	97	55	----	55
Mrs. Anna Brough	Danville, Ill., 515 Sheridan St.	16	120	68	----	68
Mrs. T. Benefield	Columbus, Kan., 4089 Florida St.	----	----	----	$ 25	25
Mrs. A. J. Clifford	Kansas City, Mo., 17 E. 32d St.	11	87	46	50	96
Mrs. H. R. Cowden	Colorado Springs, 1603 Lincoln Av.	22	165	93	25	118
Mrs. W. M. Creamer	Fredonia, Kan.	16	120	68	25	93
Mrs. Sadie Daniels	Warsaw, Mo.	17	127	72	----	72
Mrs. M. M. Durham	Lamar, Mo.	13	97	55	60	115
Mrs. E. M. Garner	Denison, Tex., 1622 Walker St.	16	120	68	----	68
Mrs. G. H. Gideon	DeSoto, Mo.	30	225	127	----	127
Mrs. G. A. Glens	DeSoto, Kan.	21	157	89	50	139
Mrs. G. W. Hughey	Galena, Mo.	41	307	174	----	174
Mrs. M. A. Houts	Centerview, Mo.	10	75	42	----	42
Mrs. M. B. January	Dixon, Mo.	24	180	102	----	102
Mrs. Harriett Jump	Kansas City, Mo., 1318 E. 7th St.	25	187	106	75	181
Mrs. J. A. Little	Plainfield, Ind.	3	22	12	----	12
Mrs. R. M. Morgan	Junction City, Kan., 229 W. 9th St.	9	67	38	----	38
Mrs. Jane Morris	New York, 1339 Intervals Av.	9	67	38	----	38
Mrs. G. P. Miller	Kansas City, Mo., 710 Olive St.	17	127	72	55	127
Mrs. A. J. Moffit	Washburn, Mo.	27	202	114	----	114
Mrs. H. G. Mais	Sedalia, Mo., 130 E. 24th St.	16	120	68	85	153
Mrs. L. A. Porter	Rich Hill, Mo.	6	45	25	----	25
Mrs. M. E. Salloway	Smithton, Mo.	22	165	93	----	93
Mrs. K. A. Turrentine	Marionville, Mo.	12	90	51	50	101
Mrs. J. B. Van Petten	Caznovia, N. Y.	34	255	144	----	144
Mrs. S. C. Woods	Los Angeles, Cal., 3556 Eagle St.	16	120	68	----	68
Mrs. C. B. Walker	Marionville, Mo.	14	105	59	----	59
		----	----	$2023	$500	$2523

STATICTICS No. 1.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Alba and Mt. Moriah	7	128	---	2	3	4	2	39	200	2	73	1	36	2	3900	1	1500	67	50	300
Anderson	6	140	---	2	1	18	1	16	140	1	65	--	----	1	3000	---	-------	-------	-----	50
Avilla	7	211	---	1	1	3	1	15	110	1	30	--	----	2	3500	1	500	-------	-----	-------
Butler	----	187	---	1	1	2	1	19	170	1	32	1	24	1	12000	1	1000	127	-----	-------
Butler Ct.	12	200	---	2	---	3	1	12	125	1	30	--	----	3½	3500	1	1200	23	-----	-------
Carl Junction	15	258	---	1	---	1	2	23	238	1	95	--	----	3	6500	1	800	2340	-----	95
Carterville	9	156	1	1	---	5	1	22	155	1	35	1	46	1	4000	1	1000	20	-----	-------
Carthage	16	690	2	7	---	10	1	53	822	1	240	1	25	1	29000	1	9000	860	300	-------
Carthage Ct.	4	185	1	2	---	3	5	55	313	2	59	--	----	4	5800	1	1500	290	-----	-------
Hume	----	215	---	3	---	----	3	35	180	-----	----	--	----	2	3000	1	1000	65	-----	-------
Jantha	10	208	---	6	1	5	4	50	420	2	39	--	----	4	5500	1	600	331	-----	-------
Jasper	14	260	---	3	---	22	2	40	240	1	60	1	43	1	3600	1	1800	570	-----	50
Joplin—Byers Ave.	27	545	4	3	2	21	1	27	665	1	298	1	177	1	23500	1	2500	135	3691	5314
Central Ave.	7	183	1	---	1	13	1	24	152	1	80	1	53	1	3000	---	-------	356	22	-------
Chitwood	----	40	---	2	---	1	2	20	200	-----	----	1	65	2	2000	---	-------	100	-----	-------
Epworth	1	62	1	---	---	1	1	13	171	1	20	1	18	1	6000	---	-------	300	-----	1500
First Church	11	500	2	9	14	6	1	37	450	1	114	1	28	1	52000	1	3000	-------	1800	16000
Lamar	10	357	1	2	---	----	1	30	350	1	30	1	25	1	10000	1	1200	100	-----	-------
Liberal	1	203	---	1	---	2	2	33	263	1	45	--	----	2	2600	1	1000	18	-----	-------
Moundville	----	85	---	---	---	4	1	14	80	1	20	--	----	1	1500	1	1000	10	250	-------
Nashville	1	196	---	1	---	10	3	40	216	1	75	--	----	2	3500	1	1000	36	-----	-------
Nevada	3	329	---	3	4	11	1	20	232	1	45	1	38	1	7000	1	1500	110	190	100
Neosho	4	230	1	3	3	5	1	29	218	1	68	1	30	1	10000	---	-------	58	550	800
Oronogo and Neck City	1	105	---	1	---	4	2	27	269	2	34	--	----	2	3500	1	400	-------	-----	-------
Rich Hill and Foster	6	151	---	4	---	8	2	28	280	1	30	--	----	2	9000	1	1200	300	-----	-------
Sarcoxie	33	143	1	3	5	18	1	19	183	1	90	1	50	1	3000	1	2500	77	120	700
Seneca	----	200	---	2	---	7	3	27	190	1	12	--	----	2	4800	1	600	90	-----	-------
Sheldon	---	104	---	2	2	3	2	20	100	1	40	--	----	2	3500	1	700	40	-----	-------
Smurgeon	21	85	---	2	---	----	3	23	150	2	50	--	----	4	3000	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Webb City	10	625	2	4	12	30	4	50	800	1	50	1	50	4	37000	1	7000	25000	-----	18000
Total	236	7081	17	73	50	220	56	859	8076	33	1859	15	708	56½	268200	24	43500	31417	6973	42909

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Sup's		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Alba and Mt. Moriah		500	100	600	480	100	580	20	24	24	54	7	7	7	618	24	92	116
Anderson	A. G. Hummer	*400	----	400	452	----	452	----	10	2	36	28	5	4	486	49	52	101
Avilla	(C. Z. Allsbury)	550	50	600	345	50	395	205	24	15	54	45	7	4	459	85	50	135
Butler	W. H. Rose	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	----	44	44	99	99	13	13	1256	270	133	403
Butler Circuit	(Fred McGumphrey)	500	100	600	477	100	577	23	24	22	54	54	7	7	660	35	40	75
Carl Junction	(Charles Henson)	850	50	900	875	50	925	----	36	36	81	78	11	11	1050	59	80	139
Carterville	(L. F. Gilbreath)	600	100	700	600	100	700	----	28	28	63	63	9	6	797	83	80	163
Carthage	Samuel Blair	2100	400	2500	2100	400	2500	----	100	100	225	225	32	32	2857	1308	710	2018
Carthage Circuit	G. M. Foster	*650	50	700	650	50	700	----	28	18	63	63	9	9	790	39	162	201
Hume	E. R. Horton	700	50	750	700	50	750	----	30	18	67	67	9	6	841	110	112	222
Iantha	J. W. Moore	590	60	650	590	60	650	----	20	20	58	58	7	7	735	150	154	304
Jasper	W. O. Thompson	700	100	800	712	100	812	----	32	32	72	72	10	10	926	137	120	257
Joplin—Byers Avenue	H. B. Foster	1600	200	1800	1600	200	1800	----	72	72	162	162	23	23	2057	985	290	1275
Central Avenue	W. R. Woodward	1000	----	1000	1000	----	1000	----	40	40	90	90	11	11	1141	117	98	215
Chitwood	W. Frank Baker	*200	----	200	30	----	30	170	8	2	18	5	2	2	39	93	57	150
Epworth	W. Frank Baker	*576	----	576	576	----	576	----	27	8	51	53	8	4	641	75	54	129
First Church	Harvey Jones	2000	300	2300	2000	300	2300	----	92	90	207	207	29	29	2626	1100	250	1350
Lamar	S. F. Stevens	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	----	40	30	90	100	11	8	118	414	200	614
Liberal	W. L. Requa	700	52	752	623	52	675	77	30	30	68	65	9	9	779	89	88	177
Moundville	O. V. Suter	600	60	660	600	60	660	----	26	24	59	18	8	8	710	----	----	----
Nashville	C. C. Crockett	520	45	565	520	45	565	----	22	23	51	51	6	7	646	65	115	180
Nevada	W. P. Jinnett	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	----	56	56	122	126	17	17	1599	430	171	601
Neosho	W. E. Brown	1200	----	1200	1200	----	1200	----	48	48	108	108	15	15	1371	200	127	327
Oronogo and Neck City	G. F. Bundy	850	50	900	900	----	900	----	36	3	81	47	11	5	955	94	120	214
Rich Hill and Foster	M. V. Heidlebaugh	750	100	850	750	100	850	----	34	34	76	76	11	11	971	150	100	250
Sarcoxie	H. B. Rhodes	750	150	900	750	150	900	----	36	36	81	81	12	12	1029	105	94	199
Seneca	(J. A. Dietrich)	*600	60	660	500	60	560	100	25	22	59	50	7	6	638	20	51	71
Sheldon	(D. Keeton)	525	45	570	500	45	545	25	22	----	51	----	6	----	545	----	----	----
Spurgeon	(Joseph Suter)	*365	----	365	222	----	222	143	14	14	33	28	4	3	267	100	70	170
Webb City	Dean C. Dutton	2000	360	2360	2000	360	2360	----	85	85	212	200	28	26	2671	650	375	1025
		25476	2882	28358	24852	2832	27684	763	1113	976	2545	2326	344	312	31298	7036	4045	11081

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																					Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS																												
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension			Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Bo'd Con. Claimants					Womans Home Mis'n'ry Society										
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Alba and Mt. Moriah	7			7						1				4	1	6			26	51			16	67	4		164
Anderson	12			12								2							26			1		1	4		32
Avilla	26			26					2					2					56	15			104	119	5	1	181
Butler	43	20	25	43	20		3		7		16	10		12	1	21	5		226	33		2	21	56	15		297
Butler Ct.	21	7		21	7		2			8				8	1				75	22		3	3	28	4		107
Carl Junction				11					4				2						17	8		2	32	42	8		67
Carterville		10			10				2		4			5	1	8			40	15		1	3	19	3	1	63
Carthage	249	156		304	156	250	10		33		25	5	5	25	5	740	21		1984	105		8	248	161		12	2357
Carthage Ct.	9	8		5	8				2		2	3	2	1	1				41	2	5	2		5	1		51
Hume	14	10		5	10			1			2	1	2	1		41			87	6		2	56	64	3		154
Iantha	34	6		34	6		2		1	4	3			8	1				99	20		2		22		1	122
Jasper	57	18		57	18		2			5	6			12	2				177	35		2	305	342	5	4	528
Joplin Byers Ave.	50	75		50	75		4		10	10	25			21	3	73	51	75	522	189		5	304	489		15	1026
Central Ave.	8	36		8	36		2			8	4			10	1				113	36		3	75	114	5		232
Chitwood																							33	33			33
Epworth	2						2												4				60	60			64
First Church	140	50		140	50				10	20				32	1	136			579	200		6	600	806		5	1390
Lamar	45	15		60			2		2	2		2	2	8	1	90			229	14	2	3	74	93	4		326
Liberal	25	5		25	5				4		9			5	2				86	25		2	9	36	4	2	122
Moundville	5	2		5	2				5					1					20	6				6	2		28
Nashville	31	14		31	14		1		13	7				6					117	10		2	80	92		3	212
Nevada	50	12		50	12			1	4	2	4			7	2	69	43		256	15		4		19	5	2	282
Neosho	19	25		19	25		1		3	13				5	1	40	19		170	30		3	10	43			213
Oronogo and Neck City		10		10			2							2	1				25	9				9	3		37
Rich Hill and Foster	33	20		33	20		2		12		7			8	1		2		138	26			50	76	10	1	225
Sarcoxie	5	10		10						2				2			1		30	16		2	156	174	5		209
Seneca	13	5		13	5						4	7		5					52	6		2		8	3		63
Sheldon		7			7						2			3					18	5		1	10	16	1		35
Spurgeon	5			5															10								10
Webb City	19	43		20	42		5		10	5		1		10	1		47	10	213	120		4		124	16		353
Total	922	564	25	1004	528	250	40	2	124	87	113	31	13	202	27	1224	189	85	5430	1010	7	62	2249	3328	110	47	8983

STATICTICS No. 1.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dept	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Belgrade	----	210	3	---	---	----	2	15	65	----	----	--	----	3	2600	1	200	-------	-----	-------
Bloomfield	----	65	---	3	2	4	1	8	50	1	40	--	----	3	6500	1	1200	16	-----	-------
Bloomfield Ct.	22	209	3	3	13	1	3	24	138	----	----	--	----	4	5600	---	-------	7	-----	-------
Bonne Terre	----	104	1	1	2	3	1	8	96	1	20	1	72	1	1200	1	600	15	-----	-------
Chapin	----	120	1	---	---	----	3	15	125	----	----	1	50	5	3000	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Cornwall	2	148	---	---	---	----	2	15	60	----	----	--	----	4	2000	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Courtois	20	73	2	1	4	8	2	7	79	----	----	--	----	3	2500	---	-------	20	-----	-------
De Soto	5	210	1	3	7	15	1	14	141	1	43	1	32	1	4000	1	1500	68	36	600
De Soto Ct.	----	84	---	---	---	----	4	16	80	----	----	--	----	2	2000	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Doe Run	----	103	---	3	---	----	1	12	180	1	37	1	30	1	7000	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Dudley	2	82	1	---	---	----	2	12	70	----	----	--	----	3	2400	1	800	-------	-----	-------
Farmington	2	272	6	---	4	1	1	25	342	1	70	1	36	1	13500	---	-------	-------	-----	800
Flat River	----	107	1	---	---	----	1	10	50	1	15	--	----	1	2500	1	1200	-------	-----	850
Fruitland	----	163	---	---	5	3	2	24	170	----	----	--	----	3	5000	1	1000	453	-----	-------
Irondale Ct.	2	198	---	---	---	----	1	7	50	----	----	--	----	2	2000	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Ironton	----	54	---	---	---	----	1	9	64	1	20	--	----	1	1000	1	500	10	-----	-------
Lutesville	3	200	1	---	---	----	2	12	80	----	----	--	----	4	4000	1	800	325	-----	-------
Mountain View	1	94	1	1	2	5	4	45	225	4	50	--	----	4	5400	---	75	-------	-----	-------
Orchard Grove	26	116	4	5	10	75	3	33	135	----	----	--	----	----	-------	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Patton	----	168	1	---	2	18	4	22	198	----	----	--	----	4	4400	1	100	200	-----	-------
Perryville	15	70	---	1	---	----	4	20	115	1	25	--	----	4	5000	1	1500	1200	-----	300
Poplar Bluff	7	126	1	2	---	----	1	16	150	1	43	--	----	1	18000	---	-------	307	603	2400
Puxico	----	128	---	3	1	7	1	14	125	----	----	--	----	1	1200	1	1000	78	-----	-------
West Plains	18	288	2	5	---	5	1	21	315	1	53	1	36	1	5000	1	2500	40	-----	-------
West Plains Ct.	2	129	---	---	---	----	2	----	50	----	----	--	----	----	-------	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Willow Springs	----	160	---	1	1	7	1	20	160	1	40	--	----	1	3500	1	1200	40	-----	175
Winona	----	49	---	---	1	11	3	22	140	----	----	--	----	3	2200	---	-------	56	-----	-------
Totals	127	3730	29	32	54	163	54	446	3453	15	456	6	256	61	111500	14	14175	2835	639	5125

STATISTICS No. 3.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						Deficiences	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total		Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc	Total
Belgrade	J. T. Maynard)	715	----	715	350	----	350	365	20	----	65	40	8	----	390	----	----	----
Bloomfield	O. R. Sides)	*700	50	750	630	50	680	70	28	10	75	64	11	9	763	120	25	145
Bloomfield Circuit	D. E. Fields)	600	----	600	420	----	420	180	24	2	60	45	9	6	473	15	34	49
Bonne Terre	A. Tremayne)	*460	120	580	200	120	320	260	16	----	68	68	6	----	388	----	----	----
Chapin	J. M. Willard)	200	----	200	175	----	175	25	8	----	40	21	3	----	196	----	----	----
Cornwall	J. H. Settle)	250	----	250	250	----	250	----	10	----	40	36	4	----	286	----	----	----
Courtois	D. P. Cole)	255	----	255	170	----	170	85	8	----	50	34	5	----	204	----	----	----
De Soto	O. W. Crow	800	120	920	555	120	675	245	32	18	90	90	12	5	788	123	47	170
DeSoto Circuit	J. H. Hicks)	400	----	400	360	----	360	40	16	1	70	60	6	3	424	40	20	60
Doe Run	J. J. Pruitt	700	100	800	630	100	730	70	28	17	105	100	12	7	852	126	60	186
Dudley	W. M. Cailfee)	360	75	435	255	75	330	105	15	----	50	21	5	----	351	----	----	----
Farmington	J. W. Borah	1350	----	1350	1350	----	1350	----	54	54	145	145	20	14	1563	175	175	350
Flat River	D. E. Barrett)	*460	100	560	250	100	350	210	16	----	68	44	6	----	394	----	----	----
Fruitland	A. H. Barnes	750	100	850	700	100	800	50	34	34	105	96	13	13	943	100	52	152
Irondale Circuit	Albert Maynard)	300	----	300	150	----	150	150	12	----	50	33	4	----	183	----	----	----
Ironton	W. F. Street)	*200	100	300	200	100	300	----	12	1	45	45	4	4	350	30	35	65
Lutesville	C. W. Jennings)	*500	75	575	284	75	359	216	23	----	65	62	10	----	421	----	----	----
Mountain View	C. V. Bryan	*650	----	650	494	----	494	156	26	12	75	64	10	6	576	100	110	210
Orchard Grove	M. O. Fivecoate)	200	----	200	144	----	144	56	8	----	40	7	3	----	151	----	----	----
Patton	A. W. Hill)	310	50	360	310	50	360	----	13	----	55	55	5	4	419	27	27	54
Perryville	M. O. Morris	*600	50	650	400	50	450	200	25	----	66	38	10	----	488	----	----	----
Poplar Bluff	F. E. DuBois	*900	----	900	600	----	600	300	44	29	130	89	16	10	728	196	80	276
Poplar Bluff Circuit	G. W. Davis)	----	----	----	50	----	50	----	----	----	----	5	----	----	55	----	----	----
Puxico	T. J. Gideon	*540	100	640	282	100	382	258	25	10	70	42	9	4	438	55	45	100
West Plains	H. A. Mitchell	1000	120	1120	1000	120	1120	----	45	45	125	125	17	17	1307	200	150	350
West Plains Circuit	Dennis Mullaney)	200	----	200	140	----	140	60	8	----	40	14	3	----	154	----	----	----
Willow Springs	J. Scarborough	*740	120	860	740	120	860	----	33	5	86	86	12	3	954	60	100	160
Winona	J. E. Stickney	*350	----	350	275	----	275	75	14	2	40	32	5	1	310	----	----	----
		14490	1280	15770	11364	1280	12644	3176	597	238	1918	1561	228	106	14549	1367	960	2327

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FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																			Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Bo'd Con. Claimants						Womans Home Mis'n'ry Society									
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																							
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Belgrade																											
Bloomfield	4			4					4										12					12			12
Bloomfield Circuit		2			2								2						6	2				8	2		10
Bonne Terre		4																	4					4			4
Chapin																											
Cornwall																											
Courtois	5			2												1	2		10					10			10
DeSoto	10	5		10	5		2	2	2	2		5	2	3	7	40	44		139	10		1		150	5	3	158
DeSoto Circuit	1			1						1		1		1	1	1	1		8	1				9	1		10
Doe Run	10	20		15	10						6		15	7	1				84	6		3		93	5		98
Dudley																											
Farmington		40		37										6	1	39			123	8795		4	44	8966	14		8980
Flat River																											
Fruitland	6			6									24						46			3	27	76	8		84
Irondale Circuit																											
Ironton												2							2	3				5			5
Lutesville	2			1								1		1			3		8	5		2		15	1		16
Mountain View	5	11		5	11			1		1		1							35	5		1	32	73	2		75
Orchard Grove																											
Patton	3			3			4												10	4				14			14
Perryville	1			1															2	1				3			3
Poplar Bluff	13	2	5	15															35	5				40			40
Poplar Bluff Circuit																											
Puxico	3			2	3		1										5		13					13			13
West Plains	25	25		25	25				11	9				8	1	9	9	24	171	50		3	30	254	7		261
West Plains Circuit																										2	2
Willow Springs		12		10									5						27	12			12	51	2	2	55
Winona		2		2								2							6	2				8	2		10
	87	123	5	139	56		7	3	17	13	6	12	24	26	11	90	64	24	741	8901		17	145	9804	49	7	9860

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NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Adrian	---	238	---	2	4	14	2	38	285	---	---	--	---	2	9600	1	1000	250	60	500
Austin	11	247	---	1	1	11	2	29	173	1	40	--	---	2	6000	1	1200	2500	86	750
Belton	---	171	---	3	---	1	2	21	102	1	27	--	---	2	2700	1	900	27	---	---
Courtney	2	41	---	---	---	---	1	7	42	1	15	--	---	1	800	---	---	---	---	---
Drexel	30	235	---	---	3	---	3	26	262	1	40	--	---	4	5500	1	1600	75	---	---
East Lynne	3	100	---	---	---	---	2	16	100	---	---	--	---	2	3700	1	1000	---	100	---
Garden City	---	146	---	---	---	---	2	27	142	1	20	1	23	3	4500	---	---	111	35	475
Holden	2	204	---	2	2	11	1	16	137	1	30	1	25	1½	7500	1	2000	25	100	500
Independence, Watson Memorial	19	269	1	3	3	5	1	25	302	1	46	1	18	1	25000	1	3500	94	75	2800
Kansas City—Arlington	21	503	---	1	18	---	1	33	325	1	60	1	40	1	2800	---	---	1000	---	7000
Bennington Heights	6	190	---	2	5	11	1	20	205	1	35	--	---	1	4000	1	2000	---	---	---
Beaumont	2	96	---	---	2	7	1	13	167	1	28	1	22	1	1200	---	---	---	---	---
Broadway	2	93	---	---	---	---	1	19	215	1	30	--	---	1	15000	---	400	---	---	775
Grace	14	170	---	1	13	11	1	30	270	1	48	1	75	1	18000	---	---	346	---	1750
Grand Ave.	12	691	1	2	10	12	1	26	237	1	115	--	---	1	875000	---	---	260000	---	385000
Howard Memorial	34	674	2	4	6	9	1	36	700	1	116	--	---	1	60000	1	5000	2500	1150	11500
Hyde Park	---	210	---	---	12	---	1	20	230	---	---	--	---	1	30000	1	5000	500	---	1000
Independence Ave.	10	900	1	8	12	8	1	50	840	1	135	--	---	1	125000	1	10000	850	---	9000
Linwood Blvd.	47	981	1	9	47	18	1	55	750	1	100	1	50	1	35000	---	---	800	---	---
Maywood	4	63	---	1	1	---	1	16	163	---	---	1	20	1	2300	1	2300	100	---	1500
Mersington Ave.	10	36	1	---	3	8	1	9	136	1	30	--	---	1	500	---	---	25	30	---
Mt. Washington	---	131	---	---	1	15	1	15	163	1	30	1	25	1	2000	1	2500	---	50	1300
Oakhurst	27	466	1	5	4	5	1	37	500	1	65	1	72	1	25000	---	---	146	1201	11924
Oakley	34	694	---	3	22	14	1	44	720	1	82	1	28	1	30000	---	---	560	200	9750
Phoenix Park	---	265	1	1	---	---	1	41	405	1	68	1	40	1	10000	---	---	---	442	3850
Slavens Memorial	18	86	---	1	4	5	1	18	174	1	25	--	---	1	5100	---	---	250	150	1175
Sugar Creek	2	29	---	---	3	3	1	7	47	---	---	1	9	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Summit Street	3	177	1	2	4	5	1	30	280	1	59	--	---	1	6000	---	---	---	---	---
Twenty-ninth St. Inst.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kingsville	6	193	---	---	1	10	2	19	145	1	30	--	---	3	2500	---	---	---	---	---
Lee's Summit	---	140	---	3	---	---	1	18	139	1	35	--	---	1	3500	1	2500	115	---	85
Oak Grove	11	158	---	4	---	20	3	34	185	1	33	--	---	3	7000	1	2500	200	---	---
Pleasant Hill	9	130	---	---	---	14	1	12	128	1	22	--	---	1	4000	1	2000	353	---	---
Totals	339	8727	10	58	181	217	42	807	8678	27	1364	13	447	44½	1335200	16	45400	270827	3679	450634

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NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Adrian	W. K. Chatten	920	80	1000	920	80	1000	----	40	10	90	90	7	----	1100	150	140	290
Austin	D. W. Britton	850	----	850	850	50	900	----	32	22	76	76	5	5	1003	150	60	210
Belton	(J. C. Needles)	*680	120	800	645	120	765	35	30	30	72	72	5	5	872	85	64	149
Courtney	J. T. Bainbridge	300	----	300	300	----	300	----	8	4	27	27	1	1	332	25	23	48
Drexel	W. S. Courtney	1060	140	1200	1000	140	1140	60	48	15	108	83	8	4	1245	170	90	260
East Lynne	A. F. Johnson	*600	60	660	591	50	641	----	19	2	59	59	3	----	702	50	77	127
Garden City	A. M. Carpenter)	†800	----	800	766	----	766	34	30	33	72	36	5	5	840	93	60	153
Holden	J. Caleb Kirk	780	120	900	800	120	920	----	32	32	81	81	5	5	1038	100	70	170
Independence—Watson Mem.	W. R. Nelson	1160	240	1400	1160	240	1400	----	56	56	126	126	9	9	1591	321	168	489
Kansas City—Arlington	Geo. H. Cosper	2000	----	2000	2000	----	2000	----	68	16	180	200	11	4	2220	412	223	635
Bennington Heights	E. H. Sapp	†1000	150	1150	1000	150	1150	----	40	20	103	103	7	5	1278	95	100	195
Beaumont	J. N. Moore	†450	----	450	450	----	450	----	18	12	40	40	3	3	505	75	60	135
Broadway	H. G. Humphrey	1500	----	1500	1500	----	1500	----	60	60	135	135	10	10	1705	388	154	542
Grace	F. M. Moore	†1000	----	1000	1000	----	1000	----	40	40	90	90	7	7	1137	169	222	391
Grand Avenue	E. B. Olmstead	3600	----	3600	3600	----	3600	----	144	144	324	324	24	24	4092	3600	350	3950
Howard Memorial	W. F. Sheridan	4300	----	4300	4300	----	4300	----	172	180	387	387	29	30	4897	3050	480	3530
Hyde Park	N. Luccock	2400	600	3000	2400	600	3000	----	132	132	270	270	22	22	3424	1200	125	1325
Independence Avenue	Lincoln A. Ferris	4000	600	4600	3250	600	3850	----	224	200	414	346	38	70	4466	7104	750	7854
Linwood Boulevard	E. Combie Smith	3600	----	3600	3600	----	3600	----	132	132	324	324	22	22	4078	3500	500	4000
Maywood	J. T. Bainbridge	†650	200	850	850	----	850	----	36	36	76	76	6	6	968	131	80	211
Mersington Avenue	(Mills M. Anderson)	†200	----	200	80	----	80	120	2	2	18	7	1	1	90	18	35	53
Mt. Washington	R. H. Lint	†830	180	1000	820	180	1000	----	40	40	90	90	7	7	1137	100	150	250
Oakhurst	W. R. McCormack	1800	----	1800	1800	----	1800	----	64	64	162	162	10	20	2046	1480	270	1750
Oakley	F. W. Simpson	2000	----	2000	2000	----	2000	----	80	80	180	180	14	12	2272	1210	680	1890
Phoenix Park	Thomas Stone	1200	----	1200	1200	----	1200	----	48	48	108	108	8	8	1364	213	150	363
Slavens Memorial	J. Charles Gilbreath	†800	----	800	800	----	800	----	32	32	72	72	5	5	909	142	100	242
Sugar Creek	(J. F. Stephens)	†200	----	200	48	----	48	----	3	----	18	5	1	----	53	40	40	80
Summit Street	O. M. Stewart	1200	----	1200	1200	----	1200	----	44	44	108	108	7	7	1359	321	338	659
Twenty-ninth St. Inst.	J. R. Postlethwait	1200	----	1200	1200	----	1200	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	1200	----	----	----
Kingsville	Warren Forepaugh	*525	60	585	440	60	500	85	20	21	47	48	4	3	572	50	58	108
Lee's Summit	Frederick Getty	800	100	900	800	100	900	----	36	36	81	81	6	6	1023	168	105	273
Oak Grove	C. V. Bigler	678	100	778	678	100	778	----	30	30	70	72	5	5	885	97	60	157
Pleasant Hill	Claud S. Hanby	*600	150	750	600	150	750	----	30	30	67	67	5	5	852	106	37	143
		43673	2900	46573	42648	2740	45388	334	1790	1603	4075	3948	300	316	51255	24813	5819	30632

*Have Missionary Appropriation. †Aid from City Church Extension Society.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																					Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS						Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Bo'rd Con. Claimants						Womans Home Mis'n'ry Society											
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension																									
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Adrian	---	45	---	---	5	---	---	---	5	---	---	---	---	---	---	12	16	---	83	---	---	2	---	85	---	---	85
Austin	63	17	---	60	---	---	---	---	12	5	---	6	---	5	1	---	---	---	169	25	---	---	53	247	8	2	257
Belton	10	15	---	10	15	---	1	---	---	5	---	7	---	4	1	---	19	---	87	33	---	2	515	627	---	1	628
Courtney	5	4	3	5	4	---	---	---	---	3	---	3	---	3	1	---	1	4	36	2	---	1	---	39	2	---	41
Drexel	5	---	---	5	---	---	---	---	2	2	---	---	---	3	1	17	---	---	35	3	---	3	102	143	3	---	146
East Lynne	18	6	---	18	6	---	---	---	4	3	---	---	---	2	1	---	23	---	81	9	---	---	4	94	2	---	96
Garden City	15	---	---	15	---	---	22	---	---	1	---	---	---	5	1	---	---	---	59	---	---	---	---	59	---	1	60
Holden	10	20	---	10	20	---	---	---	---	2	6	8	---	5	---	33	---	---	114	25	25	2	13	179	---	2	181
Independence—Watson Mem.	37	23	---	28	23	---	---	---	3	20	---	14	---	10	---	137	---	---	295	58	---	4	25	382	4	2	388
Kansas City—Arlington	4	26	---	15	25	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	180	219	---	479	17	---	---	71	567	---	---	567
Bennington Heights	15	---	---	15	---	---	---	---	3	---	3	---	---	5	2	---	30	---	73	25	---	---	42	140	7	2	149
Beaumont	5	5	---	5	5	---	1	---	---	1	---	4	---	1	---	---	---	---	27	---	---	---	5	32	---	1	33
Broadway	50	60	---	80	---	---	---	---	---	10	5	---	---	5	5	---	---	---	215	5	---	---	1134	1354	5	1	1360
Grace	30	30	19	30	30	---	---	---	5	6	9	10	---	---	---	20	24	21	234	50	---	4	27	315	---	2	317
Grand Avenue	175	75	110	178	72	---	5	---	12	---	5	5	5	30	5	339	245	70	1331	28	---	10	172	1541	36	---	1577
Howard Memorial	270	133	315	270	133	---	---	---	38	---	40	40	---	67	15	280	108	50	1759	100	---	10	1395	3264	18	---	3282
Hyde Park	107	36	---	107	36	---	---	---	12	20	10	33	---	10	6	123	36	---	536	50	---	10	1114	1710	---	---	1710
Independence Avenue	540	100	260	296	100	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	---	100	10	911	438	440	3205	50	---	10	882	4147	20	---	4167
Linwood Boulevard	497	94	200	370	94	---	---	---	39	35	65	33	---	70	5	585	411	451	2930	60	---	10	550	3550	33	---	3583
Maywood	19	15	13	19	15	---	---	---	---	10	3	9	---	4	1	---	2	---	110	12	---	2	10	134	7	---	141
Mersington Avenue	5	5	2	10	---	---	---	---	2	---	1	1	---	1	1	---	---	---	28	5	---	---	---	33	1	---	34
Mt. Washington	6	10	---	4	10	---	---	---	---	3	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	37	9	---	3	---	49	---	---	49
Oakhurst	50	44	---	50	44	---	---	---	5	---	2	---	---	5	---	138	96	68	502	12	---	2	15	531	---	---	531
Oakley	105	55	42	105	55	---	---	---	17	---	5	---	---	25	3	130	177	30	749	40	---	4	160	953	10	---	963
Phoenix Park	21	8	1	21	9	---	---	---	---	---	5	---	---	---	---	82	---	---	147	10	---	---	26	183	9	3	195
Slavens Memorial	18	---	---	18	---	---	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	39	20	---	---	10	69	2	---	71
Sugar Creek	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	5	---	1	15	21	---	---	21
Summit Street	41	20	---	41	20	---	8	---	8	16	---	5	5	12	2	87	---	---	265	30	---	3	207	505	7	4	516
Twenty ninth St. Inst.	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Kingsville	4	---	---	4	---	---	1	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	10	---	---	---	---	10	---	---	10
Lee's Summit	10	10	---	15	10	---	---	---	4	---	3	5	---	4	2	2	10	---	75	20	5	2	27	129	2	2	133
Oak Grove	24	---	---	24	---	---	5	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	55	6	---	1	---	62	4	---	66
Pleasant Hill	4	---	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	4	---	2	3	17	---	2	19
	2163	856	965	1812	731	---	43	---	174	143	174	187	10	386	63	3077	1855	1134	13773	703	30	88	6577	21171	180	25	21376

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	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Ava and Mansfield	---	89	1	1	---	---	1	10	36	---	---	--	---	3	5500	1	700	25	---	---
Buffalo	4	91	1	2	3	---	1	10	80	1	35	1	36	1	7000	1	1500	252	---	---
Buffalo Ct.	---	117	1	1	---	---	1	6	75	1	20	--	---	5	3000	1	300	---	---	---
Cabool	4	61	---	---	---	---	1	13	80	---	---	--	---	1	1300	1	800	100	---	---
Conway	---	253	1	2	---	4	5	20	150	1	38	--	---	5	4430	1	1000	---	12	---
Eldon	---	167	---	2	---	---	1	20	153	---	---	--	---	1	2500	1	2500	1000	---	---
Gainesville	15	144	2	---	---	40	4	35	170	---	---	--	---	3	3050	1	300	40	---	---
Hartville	---	195	2	3	1	2	1	12	60	1	37	--	---	4	6000	1	1000	50	---	---
High Point	15	148	---	1	---	5	2	15	95	---	---	--	---	2½	5700	---	---	20	---	85
Houston	1	111	2	1	2	19	1	8	75	1	32	--	---	1	2500	1	1200	122	---	---
Iberia	11	235	2	3	2	25	4	26	175	---	---	--	---	5½	6325	---	---	250	---	---
Lebanon	9	232	1	4	---	32	1	21	141	1	40	1	22	1	10000	1	1800	---	400	360
Lebanon Ct.	3	150	1	---	---	---	1	5	45	---	---	--	---	2	1800	---	---	---	---	---
Licking	1	191	1	2	1	2	5	32	188	1	35	1	22	3⅓	4500	1	600	525	---	---
Linn Creek	---	153	3	1	---	27	4	32	214	---	---	--	---	5	7200	1	1000	1200	75	---
Marshfield	---	201	---	3	2	5	1	22	175	1	30	1	25	1	3500	1	1500	50	---	---
Mountain Grove	16	285	3	1	4	8	1	20	280	1	30	1	76	1	4500	1	2000	150	---	---
Mountain Grove Ct.	6	46	---	---	---	---	1	9	25	2	53	--	---	1¼	1250	---	---	---	---	---
Newburg and Dixon	---	131	1	---	---	---	3	18	174	2	40	1	30	4	8550	1	1000	---	410	160
Orla	40	200	3	5	---	22	1	9	55	---	---	--	---	4	2800	---	---	100	---	---
Phillipsburg	2	164	1	1	2	15	2	19	150	1	26	1	45	3	3000	1	650	87	---	---
Plato	---	165	3	---	---	31	---	---	---	---	---	--	---	5⅓	3000	---	---	---	---	---
Richland	6	235	---	3	---	9	1	16	192	1	---	--	---	2	3500	1	800	---	---	---
Rolla	3	175	1	2	3	---	1	22	194	1	100	1	30	1	9000	1	2000	80	215	62
Seymour	6	175	1	---	---	6	1	15	160	1	35	--	---	1	2500	1	1000	75	---	---
Upshaw	2	115	5	---	---	37	3	14	120	1	50	--	---	4	3940	---	---	140	---	---
Urbana	15	233	1	---	10	5	2	10	150	1	35	--	---	3	3500	1	600	---	---	---
Vichy	5	96	2	1	---	---	3	18	150	1	14	--	---	3	4000	1	500	1425	---	---
Totals	164	4558	39	39	30	294	53	457	3571	20	1550	8	286	77	123845	21	22750	5691	1112	667

STATISTICS No. 3.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT: Claims: Salary	Claims: House Rent	Claims: Total	Receipts: Salary	Receipts: House Rent	Receipts: Total	Deficiences	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Apportioned	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Paid	Support of District Sup'ts: Amount Apportioned	Support of District Sup'ts: Amount Paid	Support of Bishops: Amount Apportioned	Support of Bishops: Amount Paid	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES: Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Ava and Mansfield	N. Hoc'ensmith	550	60	610	295	----	295	315	24	----	78	----	6	6	301	----	33	33
Buffalo	(E. Sternberg)	*475	50	525	410	50	460	65	20	5	63	41	5	----	508	102	24	126
Buffalo Circuit	(E. Sternberg)	*430	25	455	150	25	175	280	16	----	54	34	4	----	209	40	10	50
Cabool	(J. L. Medsker)	*450	60	510	450	60	510	----	20	16	61	61	5	5	592	27	40	67
Conway	C. F. Tippin	625	50	675	616	50	666	9	26	27	81	81	6	6	780	40	53	93
Eldon	B. D. Jones	650	50	700	650	50	700	----	28	28	84	84	7	7	819	110	60	170
Gainesville	(J. W. Bivins)	*300	30	330	125	30	155	175	12	----	40	26	3	----	181	45	36	81
Hartville	*526	60	586	376	60	436	150	24	4	70	54	6	3	497	35	15	50
High Point	(J. A. McFarland)	*400	----	400	269	----	269	131	16	4	48	38	4	2	313	----	32	32
Houston	J. T. Carnett	*300	60	360	281	60	341	19	14	8	43	40	3	2	391	37	41	78
Iberia	(L. V. Hassell)	500	----	500	389	----	389	120	20	4	60	43	5	1	428	60	45	105
Lebanon	W. A. A. Fortner	1100	100	1200	1100	100	1200	----	48	30	144	144	12	8	1382	140	91	231
Lebanon Circuit	(W. M. McCartney)	200	----	200	200	----	200	----	8	----	24	6	2	----	206	30	8	38
Licking	W. E. Matthews	600	60	660	450	60	510	150	26	1	79	58	6	3	583	65	55	120
Linn Creek	(J. F. Spaddin)	*475	75	550	258	75	333	167	20	----	66	49	5	1	383	50	85	135
Marshfield	J. W. Needham	700	50	750	700	50	750	----	30	30	82	82	7	7	839	135	112	247
Mountain Grove	A. M. Livingston	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	----	44	44	132	132	11	11	1287	110	125	235
Mountain Grove Circuit	(D. D. Killam)	150	----	150	35	----	35	115	6	5	18	6	1	----	46	4	20	24
Newburg and Dixon	(J. F. Youngman)	710	100	810	710	100	810	----	32	16	97	97	8	4	927	150	50	200
Orla	(W. McClanahan)	165	----	165	113	----	113	52	6	2	25	22	1	1	138	30	12	42
Phillipsburg	(J. J. Wolfe)	*440	60	500	440	60	500	----	20	2	60	60	5	2	564	27	67	94
Plato	(J. M. McGoodwin)	200	----	200	150	----	150	50	8	----	24	10	2	----	160	10	----	10
Richland	B. E. Niblack	600	75	675	600	75	675	----	27	28	81	81	6	7	763	104	65	169
Rolla	G. J. Hunt	900	180	1080	900	180	1080	----	46	40	130	130	11	10	1260	192	105	297
Seymour	James W. Null	*650	50	700	540	50	590	110	28	28	84	59	7	----	184	50	35	85
Upshaw	(Ira Moore)	*150	----	150	175	----	175	----	6	----	18	14	1	----	189	55	25	80
Urbana	(E. S. Dean)	550	60	610	550	60	610	----	24	----	73	49	6	----	659	40	25	65
Vichy	(G. T. Bishop)	*400	30	430	336	30	366	64	16	8	52	40	4	3	417	36	28	64
		14195	1385	15581	12259	1325	13584	2022	615	341	1871	1541	149	91	15593	1724	1297	3021

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																			Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS																										
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension			Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Bo'd Con. Claimants					Womans Home Mis'n'ry Society										
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Ava and Mansfield	20			25								24			1				70						6		76
Buffalo	5	5		5	5				3	1									24			2	5	7	3	1	35
Buffalo Ct.	1			1															2								2
Cabool	6	2		6	2		3			1		4		2					26			1		1	1		28
Conway	35			35					4	5		6		2	1				88	17		2		19		1	108
Eldon	30	6		30	6		2		3	4				4			10		95	7		2		9			104
Gainesville																									1		1
Hartville				2															2						4		6
High Point																											
Houston	8	5		8	5		1		1	1				1					30						4		34
Iberia	5			5															10	2				2	4		16
Lebanon	37	4		36	3		3		5	7	7			3	1	9			115	11		3	144	158	7	2	282
Lebanon Ct.																											
Licking	15			15					5			5	2	2					44			2		2	3		49
Linn Creek	1			2			1		1		1								7			1	4	5	5		17
Marshfield	53	20		53	20		2		5	6	2	7		4		40			212	34		2	41	77		2	291
Mountain Grove	35	8		36	7				5									13	104	26		3	85	108	10	1	223
Mountain Grove Ct.	2			2															4								4
Newburg and Dixon	10			10					2		2			1	1				26						6		32
Orla	1			1										1					3						1		4
Phillipsburg	17	4		5	7		1		4	2		5		2	1	1	2		51	5		1	30	36	4	1	92
Plato																											
Richland	12			16							1				1				30	14				14	8		52
Rolla	32	8		32	8				6	2				5	1	65			149	25		3		28	6	3	186
Seymour	10			10							2	5							27		1			1	8	2	38
Upshaw																											
Urbana	2			3			1					1							7								7
Vichy	8			7								4							19				8	8	3		30
Totals	345	42		346	63		14		44	29	15	61	2	27	7	115	12	13	1145	135	1	22	317	475	84	13	1717

STATICTICS No. 1.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Cuba	14	151	1	1	---	4	1	14	125	1	30	--	----	3	3000	1	500	-------	-----	-------
Pacific	----	43	---	---	---	1	1	7	40	-----	-----	--	----	1	3000	---	-------	2	-----	-------
St. Louis—Bowman	20	300	2	3	20	10	1	45	420	1	50	--	----	1	30000	---	-------	300	3800	8000
Carondelet	66	258	3	1	12	5	1	22	244	1	56	1	26	1	12000	---	-------	100	100	750
Chouteau	8	225	2	2	14	15	1	25	220	1	51	1	25	1	25000	---	-------	-------	1400	9500
Dr. Fry Memorial	30	259	1	---	10	----	1	29	266	1	35	1	50	1	27000	1	5000	1062	790	6500
Hagerty Memorial	----	170	2	1	14	4	2	19	260	1	65	1	31	1	14000	---	-------	785	270	4430
Harlem Place	1	120	---	2	1	1	1	23	176	1	30	1	74	1	3800	1	3300	-------	-----	1500
Jennings and Waldo Park	----	66	1	1	9	2	2	20	150	1	12	--	----	2	4500	---	-------	-------	300	275
Lindell Ave	4	380	---	3	2	1	1	21	204	-----	-----	--	----	1	140000	1	15000	2000	-----	-------
Maple Ave	----	539	---	6	12	2	1	37	368	-----	-----	--	----	1	75000	1	11000	151	-----	25000
Maplewood	----	106	---	1	7	----	1	15	140	1	25	--	----	1	7000	---	-------	300	-----	1350
St. Luke's	5	133	---	1	6	8	1	21	150	1	40	--	----	1	9000	1	7000	921	-----	7000
Shrewsbury	----	17	---	---	1	1	1	4	25	1	19	1	12	1	1500	---	-------	114	-----	-------
Trinity	52	298	---	2	34	19	1	32	306	1	60	1	64	1	25000	---	-------	375	-----	-------
Union	27	779	9	7	5	26	2	81	722	1	159	1	29	1	76000	1	12000	39851	-----	-------
University	----	----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-----	-----	--	----	---	-------	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Wagoner Memorial	7	309	2	2	9	15	1	30	400	1	55	1	55	1	40000	---	-------	100	700	8000
Winsor Memorial	7	38	---	1	8	3	1	10	97	1	18	1	25	1	12000	1	1000	100	-----	5000
Salem	13	97	---	---	---	18	2	12	100	-----	-----	--	----	2	2700	1	1000	75	-----	-------
Sligo	----	69	---	1	6	3	1	19	131	1	18	--	----	----	-------	---	-------	-------	-----	-------
Sullivan	----	85	---	1	8	2	1	14	97	-----	-----	--	----	1	1500	---	-------	10	-----	200
Totals	254	4442	23	36	178	140	25	500	4641	16	713	10	391	24	512000	9	55800	46246	7360	77505

STATISTICS No. 3.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT						Deficiences	Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total		Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church, Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Cuba	(L. K. Armentrout)	*500	100	600	471	100	571	29	20	20	60	57	6	6	654	25	35	60
Pacific	(L. M. Alexander)	*300	----	300	253	----	253	47	10	12	30	30	3	3	298	50	25	75
St. Louis—Bowman	A. D. Ball	1800	----	1800	1800	----	1800	----	72	72	180	180	18	18	2070	1000	200	1200
Carondelet	Peter R. Hoos	1000	----	1000	1000	----	1000	----	40	30	100	100	10	10	1140	244	237	481
Chouteau	H. C. Leonard	1100	----	1100	1400	----	1400	----	44	44	110	110	11	11	1565	375	155	530
Dr. Fry Memorial	J. W. Coontz	1800	420	2220	1800	420	2220	----	88	88	222	222	22	22	2552	214	86	300
Hagerty Memorial	F. L. Geyer	1100	----	1100	1500	----	1500	----	44	44	110	110	11	8	1662	325	160	485
Harlem Place	H. R. Osborne	900	200	1100	900	200	1100	----	44	44	110	110	11	11	1265	185	161	346
Jennings and Waldo Park	C. A. Erdman	600	----	600	550	240	790	----	24	22	60	55	6	5	872	30	150	180
Lindell Ave.	W. W. King	4000	1000	5000	4000	1000	5000	----	200	250	500	500	55	55	5805	7612	420	8032
Maple Ave.	M. H. Lichliter	3300	700	4000	3300	700	4000	----	160	160	400	400	45	45	4605	5680	350	6030
Maplewood	J. B. Johnson	800	----	900	900	----	900	----	32	32	80	80	8	8	1020	175	60	235
St. Luke's	J. F. King	800	200	1000	800	200	1000	----	40	40	100	100	10	12	1152	204	222	426
Shrewsbury	----	----	----	----	26	----	26	----	----	7	----	----	----	3	26	106	40	146
Trinity	W. C. Wheeler	1400	----	1400	1400	----	1400	----	56	56	140	140	14	14	1610	652	272	924
Union	Geo. Wood Anderson	3600	900	4500	3600	900	4500	----	180	250	500	450	50	50	5250	10325	511	10836
University	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----
Wagoner Memorial	E. W. Elayer	1600	----	1600	1600	----	1600	----	64	64	160	160	16	18	1842	500	225	725
Winsor Memorial	(L. S. DeBurgh)	200	200	400	----	240	240	160	16	3	40	3	4	----	246	60	50	110
Salem	(W. Ward Smith)	*300	100	400	200	100	300	100	16	12	40	30	4	3	345	35	50	85
Sligo	A. B. Garrison	500	100	600	500	100	600	----	24	20	60	60	6	6	686	48	25	73
Sullivan	(L. M. Alexander)	*240	----	240	223	----	223	17	9	10	24	24	3	3	247	50	40	90
		25840	3920	29760	26223	4200	30423	353	1183	1286	2976	2921	315	311	34912	27895	3474	31369

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

STATISTICS No. 4.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																			Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS																										
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension			Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Bo'rd Con. Claimants					Woman's Home Mis'ry Society										
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Cuba	2	1	----	2	1	---	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	2	---	---	---	10	2	---	12
Pacific	---	4	----	---	4	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	---	---	---	---	8	---	---	8
St. Louis—Bowman	109	---	----	100	---	---	---	4	5	---	8	5	---	18	2	100	---	---	342	50	---	--	---	392	18	---	410
Carondelet	12	13	15	12	13	---	---	--	5	---	5	---	---	3	1	51	60	---	199	3	---	---	11	204	2	3	209
Chouteau	40	10	10	40	10	---	1	--	5	---	2	---	---	5	1	60	16	---	209	5	---	2	69	276	5	1	282
Dr. Fry Memorial	110	57	----	110	57	---	5	--	16	26	---	5	---	22	5	107	93	---	616	25	---	3	146	790	20	---	810
Hagerty Memorial	15	24	----	15	24	---	---	--	3	1	---	1	---	1	---	73	---	---	157	33	---	---	17	207	5	---	212
Harlem Place	50	20	----	49	21	---	2	--	7	10	---	2	---	5	1	23	24	7	219	10	---	---	---	229	12	---	241
Jennings and Wal. Pk.	4	---	----	4	---	---	---	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	---	---	---	---	8	2	---	10
Lindell Avenue	1270	50	237	750	50	---	1724	--	22	25	25	40	---	90	10	400	---	93	5699	215	100	10	8848	14781	---	---	14782
Maple Avenue	367	133	----	267	133	---	10	5	35	20	5	15	---	60	31	853	568	81	2583	200	---	16	1655	4454	---	---	4454
Maplewood	15	---	----	15	---	---	---	--	2	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	32	---	---	---	---	32	3	---	35
St. Luke's	---	16	7	---	16	---	---	--	8	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	104	---	151	25	---	---	27	203	13	---	216
Shrewsbury	---	---	----	---	---	---	---	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	2	---	---	---	2	---	---	2
Trinity	90	10	----	90	10	---	3	--	5	10	10	---	---	20	3	44	3	---	298	50	---	---	250	598	8	3	609
Union	1121	75	4315	925	75	250	2883	--	90	75	---	36	15	189	510	459	283	11	11404	189	---	14	13795	25393	25	1	25419
University	---	---	----	---	---	---	---	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wagoner Memorial	65	25	----	55	25	5	2	--	5	2	---	---	---	5	---	25	---	---	214	30	---	3	199	446	18	---	464
Winsor Memorial	4	---	----	4	---	---	---	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	8	---	---	1	---	9	---	---	9
Salem	---	5	----	---	5	---	---	--	1	---	---	---	---	3	1	1	1	---	17	---	---	1	---	18	---	---	18
Sligo	15	---	----	15	---	---	1	--	2	2	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	36	13	---	---	---	49	3	1	53
Sullivan	---	---	----	---	---	---	---	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
	3269	443	4584	2453	444	255	4633	9	211	171	55	104	15	413	565	2196	1155	1134	22100	843	100	50	27017	48110	136	9	48255

STATICTICS No. 1.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Alberta	----	225	1	---	---	13	3	15	120	----	----	--	----	4	4500	1	400	12	400	-------
Appleton City	1	228	---	4	---	----	1	15	126	1	41	1	18	1	5000	1	1000	66	----	-------
Centerview	1	148	---	---	---	----	2	21	81	2	45	--	----	2	1400	1	300	42	----	-------
Clinton	8	319	1	7	8	14	1	30	260	1	65	1	36	1	18000	---	-------	-------	335	1400
Deepwater	----	286	---	---	3	45	2	28	230	1	95	2	80	2	6000	1	1000	58	----	-------
Dresden	2	110	1	3	---	3	2	18	130	1	26	1	46	2	2750	1	800	22	----	-------
Eldorado Springs	19	283	3	7	---	3	1	21	300	1	60	1	115	1	5000	1	1000	49	----	-------
Eldorado Springs Ct.	4	54	1	1	4	----	3	16	70	----	----	--	----	2½	1800	---	-------	50	----	-------
Green Ridge	1	171	1	4	---	1	2	10	100	1	45	--	----	3	6000	1	1000	-------	----	-------
Huntingdale	----	111	---	1	---	----	2	20	55	----	----	--	----	2	2700	1	600	-------	----	-------
Knob Noster	3	200	---	1	2	----	2	20	100	1	19	--	----	2½	5300	1	1000	250	----	-------
Lincoln and Warsaw	----	16	---	---	---	----	--	----	----	----	----	--	----	1½	1700	1	600	-------	----	-------
Malta Bend	7	128	1	4	---	6	2	18	158	1	50	--	----	2	4500	1	1500	150	----	-------
Montrose	3	93	---	2	2	11	4	30	95	1	37	--	----	4	4400	1	900	140	----	-------
Odessa and Aullville	28	103	---	1	---	19	2	16	70	1	25	1	20	2	3400	1	1500	294	----	66
Pilot Grove	8	114	---	---	10	18	1	15	65	1	26	--	----	1	1300	1	700	36	----	-------
Rockville	----	150	---	2	---	----	3	23	155	2	40	--	----	3	2600	1	500	30	----	-------
Schell City	4	120	---	3	1	----	2	20	130	2	45	--	----	2	2800	1	800	205	----	-------
Sedalia—Epworth	2	458	3	5	8	23	2	27	260	2	85	1	19	2	12500	---	-------	350	----	-------
First Church	5	578	1	6	7	6	1	36	341	1	80	1	75	1	40000	---	-------	1351	175	90
Smithton	----	207	---	3	---	14	1	17	153	1	46	1	38	1	4500	1	1200	465	----	-------
Tipton	----	148	---	2	7	7	1	14	80	1	30	--	----	2	4000	1	800	278	----	-------
Urich	5	175	---	1	---	----	3	25	125	1	25	--	----	3	5000	1	1000	-------	----	56
Warrensburg	23	380	3	8	2	15	1	25	250	1	65	1	75	1	23000	1	4000	2600	----	1200
Windsor	3	211	1	3	3	----	2	24	200	1	24	--	----	2	5500	2	2500	143	----	-------
Totals	127	5019	17	68	57	198	46	508	3654	25	974	11	522	50½	173650	22	23100	6591	910	2812

STATISTICS No. 3.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
		Claims			Receipts													
		Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiences	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Alberta	(F. M. Allison)	*535	50	585	444	50	494	91	29	----	70	61	7	4	559	----	----	----
Appleton City	H. L. Glover	1000	75	1075	1000	75	1075	----	44	28	118	117	14	14	1234	190	145	335
Centerview	(Lee Cross)	550	50	600	396	50	446	154	26	15	66	40	8	5	506	77	67	144
Clinton	Ralph Wakefield	1600	----	1600	1600	----	1600	----	60	60	176	176	19	19	1855	407	140	547
Deepwater	P. E. Bingman	600	100	700	589	100	689	20	28	28	77	72	9	9	789	100	80	180
Dresden	(R. O. Williams)	*325	50	375	345	50	395	----	21	8	46	31	7	4	438	60	60	120
Eldorado Springs	G. G. Yeoman	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	----	40	40	110	110	13	12	1162	139	176	315
Eldorado Springs Circuit	(I. M. Galbraith)	90	----	90	29	----	29	61	10	2	24	19	2	1	51	20	18	38
Green Ridge	(J. W. Manuel)	570	80	650	541	60	401	249	22	3	72	49	7	----	453	92	22	114
Huntingdale	G. T. Beard	*500	50	550	434	50	484	66	22	12	68	44	7	1	541	30	29	59
Knob Noster	(C. C. Hull)	*550	100	650	600	100	700	----	28	24	77	77	10	7	808	118	44	162
Lincoln and Warsaw	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----	3	2	20	----	1	1	3	----	----	----
Malta Bend	Wm. Leatherman	900	75	975	900	75	975	----	39	39	107	107	12	11	1132	115	73	188
Montrose	(J. C. Lee)	*320	50	370	210	50	260	110	18	----	52	29	6	----	289	12	34	46
Odessa and Aullville	W. F. Baker	*450	120	570	390	120	510	----	23	16	69	55	7	4	585	100	25	125
Pilot Grove	Laban Anderson	525	50	575	525	50	575	----	22	22	63	63	6	6	666	60	45	105
Rockville	(J. M. Mason)	*440	60	500	365	60	425	75	19	7	66	49	6	2	483	85	54	139
Schell City	V. C. Clark	*600	60	660	600	60	660	----	24	5	78	78	7	5	748	50	35	85
Sedalia—Epworth	F. P. Leckliter	1200	----	1200	1200	----	1200	----	48	48	132	132	15	15	1395	325	200	525
First Church	G. A. Robins	2200	----	2200	2200	----	2200	----	88	100	242	242	28	27	2569	1102	368	1470
Smithton	Zed Wright	700	100	800	700	100	800	----	32	32	88	88	11	10	930	130	50	180
Tipton	J. A. Webb	650	50	700	620	50	670	30	28	25	77	74	9	8	777	170	30	200
Urich	(Zwingle Meyers)	*530	----	530	470	100	570	----	21	10	66	62	8	5	647	60	80	140
Warrensburg	P. E. Pierce	1200	200	1400	1200	200	1400	----	56	56	154	154	18	18	1628	560	150	710
Windsor	C. F. McLean	775	100	875	537	100	637	238	36	25	96	70	12	10	742	44	86	130
		17710	1520	19230	16586	1600	18186	1154	787	607	2214	1999	249	198	20990	4046	2011	6057

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Benevolent Collections (Disciplinary): Missions: Board of Foreign Missions (a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension [a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	Board of Education [a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	Board of Sunday Schools [a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Bo'd Con. Claimants Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Womans Home Mis'n'ry Society [a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Other Benevolent Collections: Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Alberta	17			26					6			6							55		2	1		3	6		64
Appleton City	19	13		19	13		11			3				3	1	71	4		157			4		4	14	2	177
Centerview	3	9		3	8														23			1		1	2		26
Clinton	148	35	15	118	35		10			10		15		20	1	60			497	20	92	5	70	187	2	3	689
Deepwater	10			5															15								15
Dresden	7	3		7	3				4			3		4					31	7		1		8	3		42
Eldorado Springs	45	19		45	18		8			10	4			15					114	20		3	14	37			151
Eldorado Springs Circuit	2			2															4								4
Green Ridge	12			5			2					2		3		2	2		28			2		2			30
Huntingdale	8	1	2	8	1		3			1		1		7		21			53	2		2		4			57
Knob Noster	32	3		35			2			4		4		5					85	10		2		12	3	1	101
Lincoln and Warsaw	2			1															3								3
Malta Bend	40	7		40	6		3		8	3	1	5	2	4	1				120	14	15	4		33	8	2	163
Montrose	2	3		2	3				3										13								13
Odessa and Aullville	25			20	5		2			2	2	4		4	1				65							2	67
Pilot Grove	20			20					8					5					53	18		2		20	3	1	77
Rockville	7			7			1			1				2	1				19	3				3	2		24
Schell City	20			20										2	1				43			2	12	14	2	2	61
Sedalia Epworth	22	11		23	11				10	2				3	1	78			162	8		4	112	124	8	3	297
Sedalia First Church	175	50		175	50		16		16	15		10		35	5	243	37	70	897	75		7	1192	1274	26	5	2202
Smithton	80	5	50	80	5		4		8	2			5	8	1	68	8		324	24		3		27	8		359
Tipton	40			28	12		5		11			3		1	2	68			170	5	3	2		10	2	1	183
Urich	7			7										1	1				16			2		2			18
Warrensburg	67	13		67	13				7	5				12		145			329	35		5	15	55	9	1	394
Windsor	8	13		8	12		2							6					49	14		3	18	35	6		90
	819	185	67	891	195	---	69	--	81	58	7	53	7	140	16	756	51	70	3325	255	112	55	1433	1855	104	23	5307

STATICTICS No. 1.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't.	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Ash Grove	11	150	1	1	---	---	2	20	85	---	---	---	---	4	4200	1	1000	21	46	275
Aurora	8	134	1	---	1	5	1	17	233	1	55	1	70	1	3000	1	1500	---	---	400
Billings	---	143	---	3	3	23	1	18	160	1	24	1	15	1	2000	1	800	375	---	---
Bolivar	---	228	---	1	1	6	2	25	160	1	35	1	24	2	4500	1	1500	190	---	---
Cassville	10	178	1	2	1	24	4	24	160	1	35	--	---	4½	3000	1	300	90	---	---
Clever Ct.	11	267	1	3	1	25	3	20	125	---	---	1	75	4	2400	---	---	50	---	---
Dadeville	---	110	---	---	---	1	2	14	60	---	---	--	---	5	4000	1	600	---	---	112
Fair Play	27	181	2	4	1	30	1	13	80	1	22	--	---	4	5300	1	1000	140	---	---
Galena	17	150	1	---	1	7	1	13	60	---	---	--	---	3	3400	---	---	50	---	---
Golden City	1	226	1	2	---	2	1	23	195	1	20	--	---	1	3500	1	1500	---	---	---
Greenfield	9	165	3	1	---	5	1	20	145	1	50	1	50	1	2000	1	1500	28	---	400
Humansville	27	234	3	---	5	1	2	22	190	2	60	--	---	3	4500	1	300	45	---	---
La Russell	29	176	1	---	---	---	3	20	100	1	20	--	---	4	4800	---	---	67	250	---
Lockwood	4	130	1	1	---	1	1	23	121	1	24	1	33	1	2500	1	1000	163	---	---
Marionville	8	350	1	1	6	5	1	22	360	1	115	1	58	1	3000	1	2800	120	100	450
Marionville Ct.	3	66	1	2	---	---	1	4	25	---	---	--	---	4	4000	---	---	---	---	---
Mouett	34	219	---	4	6	18	1	21	165	1	34	--	---	1	4300	1	1700	50	---	---
Mount Vernon	7	123	2	4	2	3	1	15	152	1	40	1	34	1	6000	2	3000	125	---	---
Osceola	2	161	---	1	---	15	1	19	190	1	40	1	30	1	10000	1	1800	---	75	475
Pierce City	2	72	---	---	---	6	1	16	88	1	38	--	---	1	2500	1	1100	28	---	---
Republic	12	162	---	2	---	---	1	21	176	1	48	1	31	1	4500	1	900	14	50	150
Springfield Ct.	4	135	---	2	---	---	1	7	40	---	---	--	---	2	2500	---	---	---	---	---
Daily Memorial	---	25	---	1	---	---	1	6	63	---	---	--	---	2	12000	1	2000	200	---	600
Devers Benton Ave.	11	290	2	6	2	11	1	28	272	1	36	--	---	1	16000	1	4000	275	700	750
Grace	19	660	3	5	2	1	1	23	472	1	135	--	---	1	40000	1	6000	280	563	400
Mt. Carmel	2	94	2	2	1	20	2	16	175	2	45	--	---	2	3500	1	1500	30	---	120
Stockton	3	290	---	9	1	57	2	21	174	2	85	1	30	4	6500	1	1000	800	---	650
Taneyville	3	47	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	---	1	500	---	---	---	---	---
Weaubleau	---	215	1	---	---	2	3	24	171	---	---	--	---	3	2500	1	300	---	50	---
Totals	264	5381	29	57	34	268	43	515	4397	23	961	11	450	64½	166900	24	37100	3141	1834	4782

STATISTICS No. 3.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	PASTOR'S SUPPORT: Claims: Salary	Claims: House Rent	Claims: Total	Receipts: Salary	Receipts: House Rent	Receipts: Total	Deficiences	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Apportioned	Support of Conference Claimants: Amount Paid	Support of District Supts: Amount Apportioned	Support of District Supts: Amount Paid	Support of Bishops: Amount Apportioned	Support of Bishops: Amount Paid	Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES: Church; Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	CURRENT EXPENSES: Sunday Schools, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	CURRENT EXPENSES: Total
Ash Grove	(Wm. Gerald, Rector)	*420	40	460	234	40	274	186	24	----	55	19	6	----	293	35	43	78
Aurora	F. R. Cubit	600	100	700	500	100	600	100	40	17	70	70	10	7	684	100	55	155
Billings	H. F. Dorcas	600	60	660	460	60	520	140	33	24	66	52	8	6	602	80	65	145
Bolivar	A. M. Dixon	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	----	45	35	100	92	11	8	1135	130	90	220
Cassville	(Jas. Lokey)	*460	50	510	425	50	475	35	24	10	55	30	6	2	517	----	68	68
Clever Ct.	(A. C. Tharp)	*300	----	300	263	----	263	46	19	2	34	----	5	1	266	15	25	40
Dadeville	(D. W. Giberson)	*305	55	360	137	55	192	168	20	2	40	23	5	1	218	----	----	----
Fair Play	W. O. Tolbart	575	60	635	575	60	635	----	33	25	64	63	8	6	729	50	40	90
Galena	James Pine	*255	----	255	161	----	161	94	12	3	30	30	3	1	195	75	25	100
Golden City	J. E. Owens	800	100	900	535	100	635	265	45	30	90	90	11	8	763	102	105	207
Greenfield	W. G. Rector	750	60	810	750	60	810	----	41	41	81	81	8	8	940	116	76	192
Humansville	N. A. Selden	*550	50	600	550	50	600	----	28	28	64	64	7	7	699	75	70	145
La Russell	(E. N. Garrett)	*375	----	375	358	----	358	17	19	5	41	35	5	2	400	25	26	51
Lockwood	(C. L. Oswald)	675	75	750	675	75	750	----	35	22	75	75	9	9	856	80	78	158
Marionville	W. D. Sidman	1000	200	1200	1000	200	1200	----	60	48	100	100	15	15	1383	175	140	315
Marionville Ct.	(W. F. Yeager)	*255	----	255	40	----	40	215	10	----	25	10	3	----	50	----	25	25
Monett	Clinton Senneff	950	100	1050	950	100	1050	----	50	50	105	105	12	12	1217	275	125	400
Mt. Vernon	Everett Simpson	1000	100	1100	1000	100	1100	----	58	58	110	110	14	14	1282	160	120	280
Osceola	D. T. Simmons	900	100	1000	900	100	1000	----	50	50	100	100	12	12	1162	167	45	212
Pierce City	(W. J. Simmons)	*300	75	375	300	75	375	----	23	12	45	38	5	3	428	46	60	106
Republic	T. E. Prall	800	75	875	800	75	875	----	43	30	88	88	11	8	1001	125	68	193
Springfield Ct.	C. D. Fry	*370	----	370	298	----	298	72	22	17	41	25	5	4	344	36	28	64
Daily Memorial	F. S. Beggs	170	180	350	50	180	230	120	40	4	35	12	8	2	248	15	45	60
Devers Benton Ave.	T. P. Shaffer	1100	240	1340	1100	240	1340	----	67	36	134	134	16	5	1515	225	210	435
Grace	S. B. Campbell	2000	400	2400	2000	400	2400	----	120	100	240	240	30	30	2790	1422	255	1677
Mt. Carmel	F. S. Beggs	*400	120	520	400	120	520	----	29	10	59	59	6	5	594	65	40	105
Stockton	J. W. Slusher	*700	72	772	460	72	532	240	39	25	82	50	9	5	612	100	50	150
Taneyville	----	----	----	----	25	----	25	----	----	1	----	10	----	1	37	----	----	----
Weaubleau	(W. L. Baker)	*525	24	549	216	24	240	309	27	4	58	32	7	1	276	35	46	81
		18044	2436	20480	16062	2436	18498	2007	1056	709	2107	1847	255	183	21237	3729	2023	5752

*Have Missionary Appropriations.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																			Other Benevolent Collections							
	MISSIONS																										
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension			Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Bo'rd Con. Claimants					Womans Home Mis'ry Society									
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Ash Grove	3			3															6	5		1		6	4		16
Aurora	5	5		5	5					2				2	1	32			57	8		2	22	32	1		90
Billings	15	2		15	2		2		2	3				4	1				46	6		2	85	93		1	140
Bolivar	40	10		36	4					5	6			5	1	4			111	20		2	19	41	5	1	158
Cassville			10	5			1							1		1	1		19	4				4	2		25
Clever Circuit	2			2						1				1	1			9	16						4		20
Dadeville																											
Fair Play	5	7	10	5	7				4	1				3	1			6	49	9		2	93	104		1	154
Galena	7			2					4					2					15				2	2			17
Golden City	22	35	5	24	35				6		12			8	2				149	9		2	30	41	8	1	199
Greenfield				29	6				8	1							10	15	69	17		2	8	27		2	98
Humansville		13			14				6					8		29	21		91	14		2	6	22			113
La Russell	3			3															6						3	1	10
Lockwood	23	10		20	10				3	3				3	1		4	3	80	25		2	27	54	5	1	140
Marionville	37	23		37	23				2		5			10	2	79	29		247	50			9	59	11	3	320
Marionville Circuit				5															5								5
Monett	34	25	22	34	25				9	11				10	3	27		66	266	45		4		49	7	2	324
Mount Vernon	10	12		10	12				5	2				3	1	21	20		93			4	9	13	5		114
Osceola	50	40	5	56	40				3	14				11	3	107			332	45		3	217	265		2	590
Pierce City	5	7		5	7									2					26	15			10	25	1		52
Republic	5	15		5	15					4				3	1				48	14		3		17			65
Springfield Circuit	9			10			2							2	1				24			1		1			25
Daily Memorial				2						2									6								6
Devers Benton Avenue	25		75	25							3					103	419		650	15		4	3101	3120	2	1	3773
Grace	253	47		252	48				11	34		24		47	8	96	48	63	931	100		7	8037	8174			9105
Mount Carmel	2	3		7	3		2			1				1				3	22							1	23
Stockton	6	6		6	6				3	3				2	1				33	10				10	5	2	50
Taneyville	1			1															2								2
Weaubleau	4			4						1				1	1				11	1		1		2	2		15
	568	260	127	602	262		7		66	88	26	24		129	29	499	552	165	3404	412		44	11705	12161	65	19	15649

STATICTICS No. 1.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	Church Membership				Baptisms		Sunday Schools			EPWORTH LEAGUES				CHURCH PROPERTY						
	No. of Probationers	No. of Full Members	No. of Local Preachers	No. of Deaths	No. of Children Baptized	No. of Adults Baptized	No. of Schools	No. Officers & Teachers	No. of Scholars including Cradle Roll, Home Dep't	No. of Senior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Junior Chapters	No. of Members	No. of Churches	Probable Value	No. of Parsonages	Probable Value	Paid for building and improving Churches and Parsonages	Paid on old Indebtedness on Church Property	Present indebtedness on Church Property
Carthage	236	7081	17	73	50	220	56	851	8076	34	1924	14	643	56½	268200	24	43500	31417	6973	42909
Farmington	127	3730	29	32	54	163	54	440	3453	15	456	6	256	61	111500	14	14175	2835	639	5125
Kansas City	339	8727	10	58	181	217	42	807	8678	27	1364	13	447	45	1335200	16	45400	270827	3679	450634
Lebanon	164	4558	39	39	30	294	53	457	3571	20	1550	8	286	77	123845	21	22750	5691	1112	667
Sedalia	127	5019	17	68	57	198	46	508	3654	25	974	11	522	50½	173650	22	23100	6591	910	2812
St. Louis	254	4442	23	36	178	140	25	500	4641	16	713	10	391	24	512000	9	55800	46246	7360	77505
Springfield	264	5381	29	57	54	268	43	515	4397	23	961	11	450	64½	166900	24	37100	3141	1834	4782
Totals	1511	38938	164	363	584	1500	319	4078	36470	160	7942	73	2995	378½	2691295	130	241825	366748	22507	584434
Totals Last Year	1338	38774	154	362	435	1331	307	4006	35049	161	6828	74	2705	375¾	2282880	129	249150	198279	22806	364626
Increase	173	164	10	1	49	169	12	72	421	----	114	--	290	2¾	408415	1	2675	168469	----	219808
Decrease	----	----	---	---	---	----	---	----	----	1	----	1	----	----	-------	---	------	------	299	------

STATISTICS No. 3.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	PASTORS SUPPORT							Support of Conference Claimants		Support of District Supts.		Support of Bishops		Total Support: Pastors, Conference Claimants, District Superintendents and Bishops	CURRENT EXPENSES		
	Claims			Receipts													
	Salary	House Rent	Total	Salary	House Rent	Total	Deficiencies	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid	Amount Apportioned	Amount Paid		Church Sexton, Fuel, Light, etc.	Sunday School, Lesson Leaves, Books, etc.	Total
Carthage	25476	2882	28358	24852	2832	27684	763	1113	998	2545	2326	344	315	31323	7036	4045	11081
Farmington	14490	1280	15770	11364	1280	12644	3176	597	238	1918	1561	228	106	14549	1367	960	2327
Kansas City	43673	2900	46573	42648	2740	45388	334	1790	1598	3065	3948	300	319	51253	24813	5819	30632
Lebanon	14196	1385	15581	12259	1325	13584	2022	615	367	1871	1541	149	91	15562	1724	1297	3021
Sedalia	17710	1520	19230	16586	1600	18186	1154	787	613	2214	1999	249	198	20096	4046	2011	6057
St. Louis	25840	3920	29760	26223	4200	30423	353	1183	1280	2976	2921	315	311	34912	27895	3474	31369
Springfield	18044	2436	20480	16062	2436	18498	2007	1056	659	2107	1847	255	170	21174	3729	2023	5752
Totals	159429	16323	175752	149992	16413	166407	9809	7141	5253	16706	16143	1840	1510	188869	70610	19629	90239
Last Year	154205	15888	170031	143897	15992	159889	11565	6661	5319	16969	15530	1926	1517	181145	65049	18439	83488
Increase	5224	435	5721	6095	421	6518	------	480	------	------	613	------	------	7724	15561	1190	6751
Decrease	------	------	------	------	------	------	1756	------	66	263	------	86	7	------	------	------	------

STATISTICS No. 4.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF CHARGES	BENEVOLENT COLLECTIONS (DISCIPLINARY)																					Other Benevolent Collections								
	MISSIONS																													
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board Home Mis. and Ch. Extension			Board of Education			Board of Sunday Schools		Bo'rd Con. Claimants						Womans Home Mis'n'ry Society										
	(a) Church	(b) Sunday Schools	(c) Special Gifts	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Special Gifts	[a] Church Gen. Education	[b] Sunday Schools	[c] Children's Fund	[a] Church	[b] Sunday Schools	Connectional Fund	Permanent Fund	Freedman's Aid Society	American Bible Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	[a] Cash	[b] Supplies	Total Disciplinary Collections	Local Educational Interests	Permanent Fund	Conference Minutes	Other Benevolence	Total Benevolent Collections	General Conference Expenses	Cent. Office Expenses of Epworth League	Grand Total
Carthage	942	564	25	1004	528	250	40	2	124	87	113	31	13	202	27	1224	189	85	5430	1010	7	62	2249	3328	110	47	8983
Farmington	87	123	5	139	56	---	7	3	17	13	6	12	24	26	11	90	64	24	741	8001	---	17	145	9804	49	7	9860
Kansas City	2163	856	965	1812	731	---	43	--	174	143	174	187	10	386	63	3077	1855	1134	13773	703	30	88	6577	21171	180	25	21376
Lebanon	345	42	----	346	63	---	14	--	44	29	15	61	2	27	7	115	12	13	1155	135	1	22	317	475	84	13	1717
St. Louis	3260	443	4584	2463	444	255	4633	9	211	171	55	104	15	413	565	2196	1155	1134	22100	843	100	50	25017	48110	136	9	48255
Sedalia	819	185	67	801	195	---	69	--	81	58	7	53	7	140	16	756	51	70	3325	255	112	55	1433	1856	104	23	5307
Springfield	568	260	128	602	262	---	7	--	66	88	26	24	---	129	29	499	552	165	3404	412	---	44	11705	12161	65	19	15649
	8164	2493	5774	7157	2279	505	4773	14	717	589	396	470	71	1323	718	7957	3878	2615	36155	12259	250	338	47413	70528	748	143	97306

REPORT OF STATISTICAL SECRETARY, 1912.

	Total	Increase	Decrease
Probationers	1511	173	
Full Members	38938	164	
Local Preachers	164	10	
Number of Deaths	363	1	
Number of Children Baptized	584	49	
Number of Adults Baptized	1500	169	
Number of Churches	378½	2¾	
Probable Value of Churches	2691295	408415	
Number of Parsonages	130	1	
Probable Value of Parsonages	241825	2675	
Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	366748	168279	
Paid on Old Indebtedness	22507		299
Present Indebtedness	584434	219808	
Paid for Ministerial Support	166407	6518	
Current Expenses	90239	6751	
Sunday Schools	319	12	
Number of Officers and Teachers	4078	72	
Scholars of All Ages	36470	421	
Average Attendance	30531		
Paid for Sunday School Supplies	19629	1190	
Epworth Leagues	160		1
Junior Leagues	74		1
Number of Senior Epworth Leagues	7942	114	
Number of Junior Epworth Leagues	2995	290	

BUILDING FUND FOR COLLEGES.

CHARGES	Marionville College	Carleton College
Malta Bend		12
Clinton		20
Poplar Bluff		5
Harlem Place Church		10
St. Luke's		25
Conway		17
Hagerty Memorial		25
DeSoto		10
Iantha	62	
DeSoto and Robertsville		1
Iberia		2
Summit Street	30	
Ironton	3	
Golden City	12	
Humansville	50	
Devers Benton Avenue	3050	
Lockwood	25	
Windsor	7	7
Rich Hill and Foster	18	
Moundville	6	
Liberal	7	
Avilla	21	
Jasper	10	
Alba and Mt. Moriah	51	
Carthage	92	
Butler Circuit	3	
Carl Junction	8	
Byers Avenue	100	
Nevada	5	
Broadway	5	
Linwood Boulevard	60	
Carthage Circuit	30	

ADDENDUM

The following was received too late to be placed with the other reports:

COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE.

The following is a digest of the memorials presented through the committee and recommended by the Conference:

1. A memorial requesting the appointment of a commission of persons not directly connected with any of our three forms of Deaconess administration with authority to bring all Deaconess work under one management.

2. A memorial setting forth the advantages of Kansas City, Mo., as a place of Episcopal residence and requesting that a Bishop be assigned to that city.

3. A memorial requesting that similar legislation be passed for the trial and defense of effective men in Home Mission fields, as now applies to supernumerary and superannuated ministers living beyond the bounds of their own Conference.

4. A memorial requesting the removal of the office of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension from Philadelphia, Pa., to Kansas City, Mo.

5. A memorial for a commission to whom shall be given the task of analyzing labor conditions with a view of presenting to the church plans that may be utilized in bridging the chasm between the laboring man and the church.

6. A memorial praying for such disciplinary changes as will provide for the holding by improvement of down-town church property by granting additional powers to the trustees of the church society or incorporation allowing for the needed improvements. This memorial amends sections 334, 335 and 336 for this purpose, and further provides for Quarterly Conference power to create a "Managing Board" to control, for the church society or incorporation, of all improvements upon its property.

7. A memorial requesting the appointment of a Board of Hospitals and Nurse-Training Schools of the Methodist Episcopal Church, to provide for the prosecution and extension of such work and the sanction of which Board is required before public appeals shall be permitted in our congregations on behalf of such institutions.

D. W. CROW, Chairman.
RALPH WAKEFIELD, Secretary.

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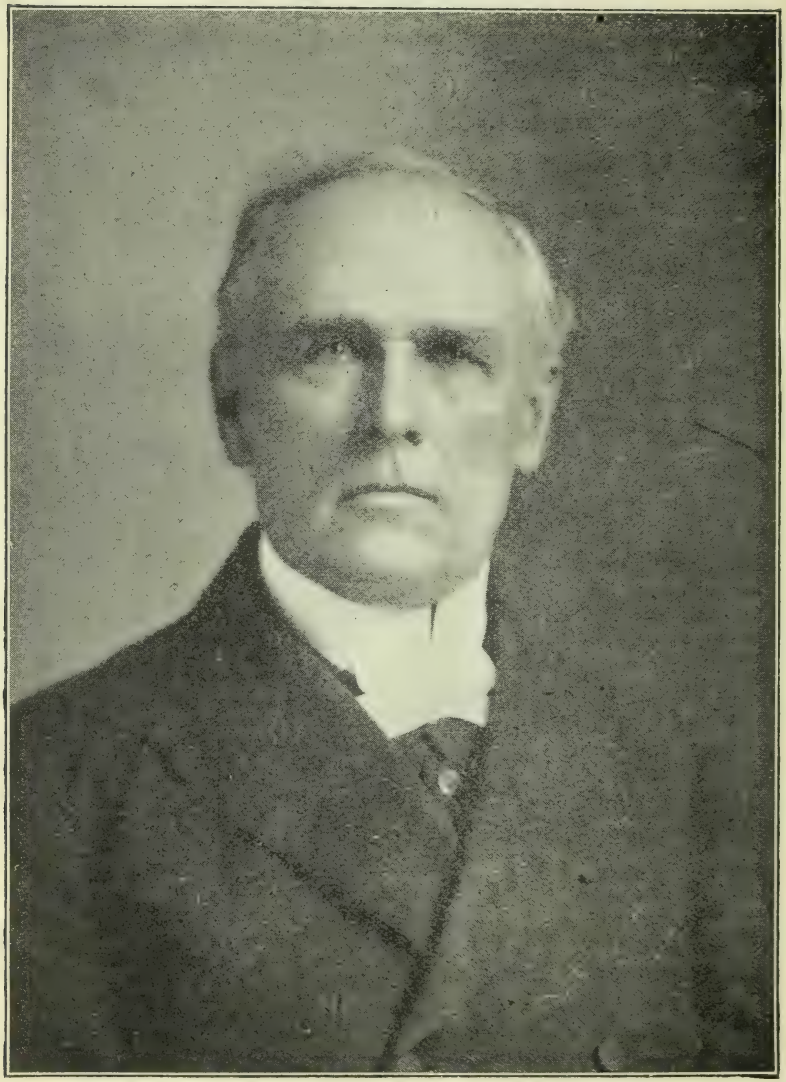

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APPOINTMENTS

(Supplies in Parenthesis).

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

WM. F. JONES, Superintendent, 3.

Alba and Mt. Moriah.....
.....Amos G. Hummer 1
Anderson.....J. W. Stewart 1
Avilla.....C. O. Crocket 2
Butler.....Claude S. Hanby 2
Butler Ct.....(J. E. Bengtson) 1
Carl Junction.....J. W. Moore 1
Carterville....W. Frank Baker 2
Carthage. .....Samuel Blair 3
Carthage Ct. ...(Chas. Henson) 2
Hume. .....C. C. Hull 1
Iantha. .....(C. Z. Allesbury)
Jasper.....W. O. Thompson 2
Joplin—
Byers Ave....H. B. Foster 3
Central Ave...P. E. Bingman 1
Chitwood.....D. C. Mallory 1
Epworth.....D. C. Mallory 1
First Church....H. A. Jones 3
Lamar.....Walter E. Brown 1
Liberal.....Wm. R. Woodward 1
Moundville.....G. A. Deitrich 2
Nashville..Wm. Gerald Rector 1
Nevada.....J. F. Odom 2
Neosho.....W. K. Chatten 1
Oronogo and Neck City.....
.....W. L. Requa 2
Rich Hill.....E. R. Horton 1
.....J. J. Martin 1
Sarcoxie.....Mills M. Anderson 1
Seneca.....Elza N. Garrett 1
Sheldon and Milo.(J. W. Osment) 1
Spurgeon.....To be supplied
Webb City...John W. Coontz 1
Webb City Ct....To be supplied

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

W. C. McCURDY, Superintendent, 3.

Belgrade.....(J. H. Hicks) 1
Bloomfield.....O. R. Sides 2
Bloomfield Ct....To be supplied
Bonne Terre....(H. A. Barnes) 1
Cornwall.....W. R. Magee 1
Curtois.....(D. P. Cole) 1
De Soto.....A. A. Halter 2
De Soto Ct.....(D. W. Crow) 1
Doe Run.....W. F. Street 1
Dudley.....(D. E. Fields) 1
Farmington.....J. W. Borah 2
Flat River.....C. H. Ocheltree 1
Fruitland....Will O. Thompson 1
Irondale and Graniteville.....
.....To be supplied
Ironton.....(Jas. A. Kirkham) 1
Lutesville.....(A. W. Hill) 1
Mountain View...C. V. Bryan 3
Patten.....(C. W. Jennings) 1
Perryville.....M. O. Morris 2
Poplar Bluff.....P. E. Pierce 1
Poplar Bluff Ct..To be supplied
Puxico.....G. F. Bundy 1
West Plains...H. A. Mitchell 3
West Plains Ct....(Ira Moore) 1
Willow Springs.Frederick Getty 1
Winona.....(M. O. Fivecoate) 2

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

E. P. ANDERSON, Superintendent, 3.

Adrain.....C. A. Erdman 2
Austin.....S. F. Stevens 1
Belton.....J. C. Needles 3
Buckner.....C. F. McLean 1
Courtney.....(Roy Kuhns) 1
Cleveland...(Albert F. Haynes) 1
Drexel.....W. S. Courtney 4
East Lynne.....T. E. Prall 1
Garden City..L. K. Armentrout 1
Holden.....J. C. Kirk 4
Independence.....W. R. Nelson 4
Kansas City—
Agnes Ave.....Zed Wright 1
Arlington.....G. H. Cosper 4
Beaumont. ....(Thos. Martin) 4
Bennington Heights.....
.....E. H. Sapp 3
Broadway.....H. B. Rhodes 1
City Missions..To be supplied
Dickey Memorial.....
.....To be supplied
Grace.....F. O. Moore 3
Grand Ave....To be supplied
Howard Memorial. .....
..... Chesteen Smith 2
Hyde Park....W. G. Clinton 2
Independence....L. A. Ferris 3
Linwood Boulevard. .....
.....E. Combie Smith 5
Maywood...J. T. Bainbridge 4
Mersington Ave..S. A. French 1
Mt. Washington. .....
..... Samuel Warner 2
North Kansas City.....
.....(T. B. Gray) 1
Oakhurst...W. R. McCormack 3
Oakley.....Dean C. Dutton 2
Phoenix Park....Thos. Stone 2
Slaven's Memorial .....
.....Peter R. Hoos 2
Stewart Chapel..S. A. French 1
Sugar Creek....(Roy Kuhns) 1
Summit Street.....R. H. Lint 2
Kingsville..(Albert F. Haynes) 1
Lee's Summit.....R. N. Jones 1
Oak Grove.....C. F. McLean 1
Pleasant Hill.....W. R. Ward 2

LEBANON DISTRICT.

J. W. NEEDHAM, Superintendent, 2, Mountain Grove, Mo.

Ava. .....(E. M. Hoff) 1
Belle.....J. L. Beard 1
Buffalo.....O. V. Suter 1
Buffalo Ct.....To be supplied
Cabool.....(T. J. Gideon) 1
Conway.....C. F. Tippin 6
Eldon.....B. D. Jones 4
Gainesville. .....(Wm. Kirk) 1
Hartville.....J. F. Carnett 2
Houston.....(A. E. McCall) 1
Iberia.....(G. T. Bishop) 2
Lebanon.....A. M. Livingston 1
Lebanon Ct(W. C. McClanahan) 2
Licking.....(F. L. Lawless) 1
Linn Creek...(J. F. McSpadden) 3
Marshfield.....B. E. Niblack 1
Mountain Grove. .....
.....W. A. A. Fortner 1
Mountain Grove Ct. .....
.....To be supplied
Newburg and Dixon.....
.....W. E. Matthews 2
Olean.....Glen A. Moss 1
Phillipsburg.....H. F. Miller 1
Plato.....(J. G. Crow) 1
Richland.....Jos. Scarborough 2
Richland Ct....(E. Sternberg) 1
Rolla.....G. J. Hunt 4
Seymour and Mansfield.....
.....J. J. Wolf 1
Upshaw.....(Jas. W. Newell) 1
Urbana.....L. V. Hassell 1

SAINT LOUIS DISTRICT.

W. T. WRIGHT, Superintendent, 6, 6137 Columbia Ave., St. Louis.

Cuba.....(G. F. Fons) 1
Pacific.....C. R. Disney 1
Saint Louis—
Bowman.....A. D. Ball 3
Carondolet....J. C. Gilbreath 2
Chouteau Place. .....
.....H. C. Leonard 8
Dr. Fry Memorial.....
.....H. G. Humphrey 1
Hagerty Memorial. .....
.....F. L. Geyer 4
Harlem Place..H. R. Osborne 4
Jennings and Walnut Park..
.....F. I. Finch 2
Lindell Ave.....W. W. King 4
Maple Ave.....E. J. Kulp
Maplewood. . .....
.....J. R. Postlethwait 1
St. Luke's.....J. F. King 3
Shrewsbury...To be supplied
Trinity.....R. A. Hunt 2
Union.....G. A. Robbins 2
Wagoner Memorial. .....
.....L. M. Birkhead 1
Winsor Memorial .....
.....To be supplied
Salem.....(W. Ward Smith) 3
Sligo.....A. B. Garrison 3
Sullivan.....(C. R. Disney) 1

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

W. D. SIDMAN, Superintendent, 1, Springfield, Mo.

Ash Grove.....To be supplied
Aurora.....F. S. Beggs 2
Billings....M. V. Heidlebaugh 1
Bolivar.....A. M. Dixon 3
Clever Ct.....To be supplied
Dadeville.....To be supplied
Fair Play.....J. E. Owen 1
Galena. .....(Jas. Pine) 2
Golden City.....G. M. Foster 2
Greenfield.....H. F. Dorcas 1
Humansville....(F. L. Harris) 2
La Russell.....J. P. Hurd 1
Lockwood.....W. O. Tolbart 1
Marionville.....D. W. Britton 1
Marionville Ct...To be supplied
Monett.....H. H. St. Louis 2
Mount Vernon.Everett Simpson 4
Osceola.....D. T. Simmons 4
Pierce City and Purdy.....
.....E. C. Wadlow 1
Republic.....G. W. Schroeder 1
Springfield Ct...To be supplied
Springfield—
Dailey Memorial. .....
.....(W. T. Farley) 2
Devers, Benton Ave.....
.....T. P. Shaffer 4
Grace Church..S. B. Campbell 3
Mount Carmel..C. L. Oswald 1
Hagerty Memorial. .....
.....To be supplied
Stockton.....F. R. Cubit 2
Taneyville.....To be supplied
Weaubleau.....To be supplied
Wheaton.....To be supplied

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

C. V. CRISS, Superintendent, 3, Sedalia, Mo.

Alberta.....(J. C. Lee) 2
Appleton City....G. G. Yeoman 2
Centerview.....To be supplied
Clinton. .....Ralph Wakefield 3
Deepwater...(W. J. Simmons) 1
Dresden.....To be supplied
Eldorado Springs. .....
.....J. C. DuPlantis 2
Eldorado Springs Ct.....
.....(I. M. Galbraith) 5
Green Ridge.....G. T. Beard 2
Huntingdale.....R. O. Williams 2
Knob Noster.....J. M. Mason 1
Lincoln and Warsaw.....
.....To be supplied
Malta Bend..Wm. Leatherman 4
Montrose.....To be supplied
Odessa.....W. F. Baker 3
Pilot Grove.....D. S. Kelly 1
Rockville. ....Laban Anderson 1
Schell City...(Ross A. Marcus) 1
Sedalia—
Epworth Church..V. C. Clark 2
First Church..B. F. Crissman 2
Smithton .....R. N. Jones 1
Tipton.....J. A. Webb 3
Urich.....R. E. Hurd 1
Warrensburg.....C. C. James 1
Windsor.....W. G. Rector 2

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS.

A. J. McCulloch, Professor in Southwestern College.....
.....Howard Memorial, Q. C.
Julius Smith, Agent Kansas State Temperance Association.....
.....Grand Ave., Q. C.
T. H. Hagerty, Chaplain The City Institutions of St. Louis..Union, Q. C.
H. A. Toland, Missionary to Wyoming.
C. T. Harrison, Missionary to Wyoming.
L. G. Reser, President of Marionville College.....Marionville, Q. C.
C. V. Gilliland, President Carleton College.....Farmington, Q. C.
J. H. Gillespie, Agent Nebraska Methodist Episcopal Hospital.....
.....Arlington, Q. C.
O. M. Stewart, Field Secretary of Bethany Methodist Hospital.....
.....Grand Ave., Q. C.
L. H. Sweetland, left without an appointment to attend school.....
..... Farmington
Carl Stevenson, left without an appointment to attend school.....
.....Farmington, Q. C.
T. H. Otwell, left without an appointment to attend school.....
.....Grand Ave., Q. C.
Rowland Hill, left without an appointment to attend school.....
.....Kingsville, Q. C.
C. G. Davis, left without an appointment to attend school.....
.....Webb City, Q. C.
Rector Greene, left without an appointment to attend school....
.....Byers Ave., Q. C.
T. A. Dowler, left without an appointment to attend school.....
.....First Church, Sedalia, Q. C.
C. V. Bigler, left without an appointment to attend school.....
.....Oak Grove, Q. C.
Jesse J. Pruitt, left without an appointment to attend school....
.....Farmington, Q. C.
F. E. DuBois, Conference Evangelist.....Cabool, Q. C.
Scott F. Stevens, Conference Evangelist.....First Church, Joplin, Q. C.
R. V. Maloney, Conference Evangelist....Hyde Park, Kansas City, Q. C.
F. P. Leckliter, Superintendent Indianapolis District Anti-Saloon League. .....First Church, Sedalia
NAPHTALI LUCCOCK.....Bishop M. E. Church
W. F. Sheridan.....General Secretary of Epworth League
Elmer L. Hobbs, left without appointment to attend school.

To Preach Missionary Sermon—B. F. Crissman; alternate, W. R. Nelson.

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Anderson, Eli P.....	1888	1888	...2624 Brooklyn Ave., Kansas City
Anderson, Laban	1891	1904	.....Rockville
Ashley, John*	1872	1872	.....Bloomfield
Bainbridge, James T.....	1899	1910	.....Maywood, Kansas City
Baker, William F.....	1880	1880	.....Odessa
Baker, William Frank..	1904	1904	.....Carterville
Ball A. D.	....	....	.....
Beard, John L.....	1891	1912	.....Belle
Beard, George T.**.....	1907	1907	.....Green Ridge
Beggs, Francis S.....	1855	1895	.....Aurora
Bell, Mordecai*	1877	1877	.....Golden City
Bingman, Purnell E.**..	1910	1910	.....Joplin
Birkhead, Leon M.**...	1910	1913	.....St. Louis
Bitler, James S.*.....	1877	1899	.....Boston, Mass.
Blair, Samuel	1888	1911	.....Carthage
Borah, John W.....	1894	1905	.....Farmington
Brewington, James B.*..	1880	1880	.....537 Tenth St., San Diego, Cal.
Britton, D. Wesley.....	1895	1907	.....Marionville
Brown, Walter E.....	1904	1904	.....Lamar
Bryan, Claire V.....	1907	1907	.....Mountain View
Bunday, George F.....	1908	1908	.....Puxico
Campbell, Stephen B...	1887	1903	.....428 Pearl St., Springfield
Carnett, James T.**....	1911	1911	.....Hartville
Chatten, William K....	1904	1906	.....Neosho
Clark, Vestal C.**.....	1911	1911	.....Sedalia
Clinton, W. G.....	1892	1912	.....Kansas City
Collins, William K.*....	1876	1883	.....Lee Summit
Coontz, John W.....	1889	1903	.....Webb City
Cosper, George H.....	1885	1893	....2019 Montgall Ave, Kansas City
Courtney, William S....	1887	1908	.....Drexel
Criss, Curtis V.....	1877	1877	.....Sedalia
Crissman, Benjamin F..	1893	1912	.....Sedalia
Crow, David W.*.....	1881	1881	.....DeSoto
Cubit, Frank R.**.....	1910	1910	.....5471 Clemons Ave., St. Louis
Davis, Claire G.**.....	1908	1908	.....Delaware, O.
Dixon, Artie M.....	1900	1904	.....Bolivar
Dorcas, Harry F.....	1897	1910	.....Greenfield
Dowler, Theodore A.**.	1911	1911	.....
Dubois, Frank E.....	1882	1908	.....Cabool
DuPlantis, J. C.....	1908	1913	.....ElDorado Springs
Dutton, Dean C.....	1901	1907	.....617 Cypress, Kansas City
Erdman, Charles A.....	1906	1910	.....Adrian

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Everhard, R. O.*	....	1912	
Ferris, Lincoln A.	1896	1912	2411 Independence, Kansas City
Fortner, William A. A.	1895	1912	Mountain Grove
Foster, George M.	1890	1890	Golden City
Foster, Henry B.	1889	1890	1724 Byers Ave., Joplin
French, Silas A.	1884	1895	6216 E. 18th St., Kansas City
Fry, Charles D.*	1875	1887	Cabool
Galbraith, Isaac M.*	1881	1881	ElDorado Springs
Garrison, Alva B.**	1911	1911	Sligo
Getty, Frederick	1889	1907	Willow Springs
Geyer, Francis L.	1902	1911	St. Louis
Gideon, Thomas J.	1882	1890	Cabool
Gilbreath, J. Charles	1907	1907	7026 Virginia Ave., St. Louis
Gilliland, Clarence V.	1898	1912	Farmington
Gillespie, John H.	1873	1873	Sheridan, Wyo.
Green, T. E.*	....	1912	
Hagerty, Thomas H.	1855	1863	1909 N. Grand Ave.
Hanby, Claude S.**	1910	1910	Butler
Harris, Jacob S.*	1870	1892	Cuba
Harrison, Cyrus T.	1904	1904	
Heidlebaugh, Martin V.	1910	1910	Billings
Hill, Rowland**	1909	1909	
Hoos, Peter R.	1905	1905	Kansas City
Horton, Edward R.	1886	1911	Rich Hill
Hummer, Amos G.	1897	1911	Alba
Humphrey, Harry G.	....	....	
Hunt, George J.	1893	1893	Rolla
Hunt, Robert A.	1907	1907	St. Louis
Hurley, John H.*	1881	1893	Epworth, Ga.
James, Charles C.	1891	1908	Warrensburg
Jones, B. Douglas	1878	1894	Eldon
Jones, Harvey A.	1891	1911	509 W. Fourth St., Joplin
Jones, R. N.	1906	1913	Smithton
Jones, Samuel*	1873	1873	Clinton
Jones, William F.	1887	1887	Carthage
Kelly, Dwight S.	1913	1913	Pilot Grove
King, James F.	1907	1907	2617 Potomac Ave., St. Louis
King, William W.	1882	1910	4412 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis
Kirk, J. Caleb	1904	1904	Holden
Kulp, E. J.	1895	1913	5471 Clemons Ave., St. Louis
Leatherman, William	1887	1900	Malta Bend
Leckliter, Frances P.	1899	1899	Indianapolis
Leonard, Harry C.	1902	1902	3821 Greer Ave., St. Louis
Lint, Richard H.	1894	1908	Kansas City
Livingstone, Alva M.	1897	1905	Lebanon
Lokey, James*	1879	1889	Clever

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LUCCOCK, NAPHTALI.	1874	1889	Helena, Mont.
Lunbeck, Isaac J. K.*..	1870	1870	3918 E. 18th St., Kansas City
Macurdy, William C....	1910	1910	Farmington
Maloney, Robert V.....	1896	1910	Kansas City
Martin, John J.....	1878	1878	Rich Hill
Mason, James M.....	1907	1907	Knob Noster
Matthews, Walter E...	1893	1911	Newburg
McClean, Clarence F.**.	1911	1911	Oak Grove
McCormack, William R.	1894	1894	1817 Kensington Ave., Kansas City
McCulloch, Alfred J....	1898	1909	Winfield, Kans.
Miller, Edwin F.**.....	1903	1903	Baldwin, Kans.
Mitchell, Henry A.....	1900	1900	West Plains, Mo.
Moore, Floyd O.....	1904	1904	820 W. 29th St., Kansas City
Moore, John N.*.....	1874	1907	524 Wallace Ave., Kansas City
Moore, John W.**.....	1910	1910	Carl Junction
Morris, Marvin O.**....	1908	1908	Perryville
Moss, Glenn A.**.....	1909	1909	Olean
Needham, John W.....	1890	1890	Mountain Grove
Needles, Joseph C.**....	1911	1911	Belton
Nelson, W. Riley.....	1897	1910	Independence
Niblack, Basil E.....	1892	1897	Marshfield
Ocheltree, C. H.....	....	1913	Flat River
Odom, John F.....	1906	1906	Nevada
Oechsli, Frank*	1872	1872	Baldwin, Kans.
Olmstead, Edwin B.*...	1882	1909	Norwich, N. Y.
Osborn, Harry R.....	1892	1909	2841 Harrison, St. Louis
Otwell, Thomas H.**...	1910	1910	
Owen, Josiah E.....	1892	1912	Fair Play
Pare, William T.*.....	1886	1886	Humansville
Pierce, John N.....	1859	1865	Clinton
Pierce, Perry E.....	1896	1896	Poplar Bluff
Pine, James*	1879	1879	Marionville
Porter, James S.*.....	1873	1873	Knob Noster
Postlethwait, James R..	1909	1909	Maplewood, St. Louis
Prall, Thomas E.....	1897	1897	East Lynn
Pruitt, Jesse J.**.....	1910	1910	Farmington
Quayle, Bishop Wm. A.	....	....	St. Paul, Minn.
Reser, Grant A.....	1892	1892	Oronogo
Requa, William L.....	1902	1902	Kansas City
Rhodes, Herbert B.**...	1910	1910	Marionville
Ridgway, David C.*....	1863	1895	66 Pearl St., Springfield, O.
Robbins, Grant A.....	1888	1909	3008 Lucas Ave.
Rose, William H.*.....	1877	1911	Montrose, Colo., R. R. 3
Sapp, Electious H.....	1888	1899	923 Newton Ave., Kansas City
Scarborough, Joseph ...	1909	1909	Richland
Schroeder, G. W.....	1888	1912	

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Shaffer, Thomas P.....	1899	1899	.....1610 Benton Ave., Springfield
Sidman, William D....	1895	1895	.....Springfield
Simmons, William J.*..	1876	1887	..... Deepwater
Simmons, David T.....	1892	1892	.....Osceola
Simpson, Everett	1899	1910	.....Mt. Vernon
Slusher, John W.*.....	1887	1904	.....
Sheridan, Wilbur F....	1885	1909	.....Evanston, Ill.
Smith, E. Combie.....	1892	1909	.....2916 Olive St., Kansas City
Smith, Chesteen W.....	1893	1913	.....Kansas City
Smith, Hervey*	1887	1887	.....Jamestown, O.
Smith, Julius	1884	1906	.....Baldwin, Kans.
Squier, Edgar A.*.....	1862	1900	.....Atlanta, Ill.
St. Louis, H. H.....	1892	1913	.....Monett
Stephens, William*	1866	1866	.....Belton
Stevens, Scott F.....	1885	1902	.....
Stevenson, Carl**	1908	1908	.....Farmington
Stewart, John W.....	1877	1897	.....Anderson
Stewart, Oliver M.....	1864	1869	.....1610 Jefferson, Kansas City
Stickney, Francis M.*..	1872	1872	.....Eldon
Stille, John C.....	1905	1905	.....
Stone, Thomas	1903	1910	....2545 Norton Ave., Kansas City
Suter, Oscar V.....	1905	1905	.....Buffalo
Sweetland, Leon H.....	1907	1907	.....Evanston, Ill.
Thompson, Leon M.*...	1895	1895	.....
Thompson, Will G.**...	1913	1913	.....Fruitland
Thompson, William O.**	1910	1910	.....Jasper
Threlfall, Henry*	1866	1895	.....Galena, R. R. 1
Tippin, Charles F.....	1896	1896	.....Conway
Toland, Henry	1885	1885	.....Sheridan, Wyo.
Tolbart, William O.....	1907	1907	.....Lockwood
Wakefield, Ralph	1903	1903	.....Clinton
Ward, William R.**....	1906	1906	.....Pleasant Hill
Warner, Samuel	1881	1881	.....Mt. Washington, Kansas City
Webb, J. Allen.....	1908	1911	.....Tipton
Woodward, William R..	1910	1910	.....Liberal
Wright, William T.....	1886	1886	.....6137 Columbia Ave., St. Louis
Wright, Zed**	1901	1910	.....Kansas City
Yeager, Wilbur F.*.....	1880	1880	.....Marionville
Yeoman, Grant G.**....	1911	1911	.....Appleton City

PROBATIONERS

NAME	Admitted on Trial	POSTOFFICE
4 Charles C. Hull	1912	Hume
2 Mills M. Anderson	1912	Sarcoxie
2 Lewis K. Armentrout	1912	Garden City
2 Charles O. Crockett	1912	Avilla
2 Elza N. Garrett	1912	Seneca
2 Arthur A. Halter	1912	DeSoto
2 Lewis V. Hassell	1912	Urbana
2 Christian L. Oswald	1912	1112 Prospect, Springfield
2 William Gerald Rector	1912	Nashville
2 Oscar R. Sides	1912	Bloomfield
2 John J. Wolf	1912	Seymour
2 Herbert F. Miller	1912	
1 Rector Green	1912	Baldwin, Kans.
1 Charles V. Bigler	1912	Boston, Mass.
1 Richard O. Williams	1912	Huntingdale
1 Carl R. Disney	1913	Pacific
1 Frank I. Finch	1913	St. Louis
1 Elmer L. Hobbs	1913	
1 John P. Hurd	1913	LaRussell
1 Ralph E. Hurd	1913	Urich
1 Charles Henson	1913	Carthage
1 DeWitte C. Mallory	1913	Joplin
1 William T. Street	1913	Doe Run
1 Ernest C. Wadlow	1913	Pierce City

RULES FOR GOVERNMENT OF CONFERENCE

Re-Adopted March 26, 1913.

I. The Conference shall meet at 8:30 o'clock a. m. and hold religious services for half an hour, and adjourn at 12 m.

II. The President shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Conference, but in the case of such an appeal, the question shall be taken without debate (except that the President may state the grounds of his decision, and the appellant may state the grounds of his appeal).

III. He shall appoint all committees not otherwise especially ordered by the Conference; but any member may decline serving on more than one committee at the same time.

IV. The Secretary shall keep a journal of the proceedings, and shall take charge of the journals and other papers of the Conference, preserve them with care, and suffer no person to take a copy of any papers during the interval of Conference, except with the consent of the Conference.

V. All motions or resolutions introduced by any member of the Conference shall be reduced to writing, if the President, Secretary or any member requests it, and no report from committees shall be received until duplicate copies are placed in the hands of the Secretary.

VI. When a motion or resolution is made and seconded, or a report presented and read by the Secretary, or stated by the President, it shall be deemed in possession of the Conference; but any motion or resolution may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before decision or amendment.

VII. No new motion or resolution shall be made until the one under consideration shall be disposed of, which may be by adoption or rejection, unless one of the following motions shall intervene—namely, to fix the time to which to adjourn, to adjourn, to take a recess, to lay on the table, call for previous questions, to postpone to a given time, to refer, to substitute, to amend, to postpone indefinitely, and the motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are placed.

VIII. No person shall speak more than twice on the same question, nor more than fifteen minutes at any time, without leave of the Conference, nor shall any member speak more than once, till everyone desiring to speak shall have spoken.

IX. When any member of the Conference shall think that the discussion of a question has been sufficiently protracted, he may move that the vote on the main question be now taken, which motion, if seconded, shall be immediately put, and if two-thirds of the members present sustain the motion, the vote shall be taken on the question pending, without further debate.

X. When any motion or resolution shall have been acted upon, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority to move a reconsideration.

XI. No member shall be allowed to vote on any question who is not within the bar at the time when such question is put by the President, except by leave of the Conference, when such member shall have been necessarily absent; and every member who shall be within the bar at the time the question shall be put shall give his vote, unless for special reasons the Conference shall excuse him.

XII. No member shall absent himself from the service of Conference without leave, unless he is sick or unable to attend.

XIII. No member shall prefer charges of immorality against another in open Conference unless he shall have given previous and sufficient notice to the brother accused, and a copy of the charges in writing.

XIV. On the first day of the Conference session, immediately after organization for business, the roll of charges shall be called, and each preacher who has been in charge shall at that time report his statistics, and make his financial report to the Treasurer, and during the morning session of the second day of the Conference the name of each preacher who has been in charge of a work up to the time of Conference, and has not yet presented his statistical and financial reports, and correctly, may be called and he be asked the following questions: 1. Have you read all the instructions furnished you respecting your statistical and financial reports? 2. Have you carefully prepared your reports according to these instructions? 3. Did you hand in your statistical and financial reports at the first session of this Conference?

XV. The Secretary, Statistical Secretary, Treasurer, and the Officers of the different Conference societies shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and the Officers and Managers of each society are authorized to nominate persons to fill any vacancies which may occur.

XVI. No one shall be admitted or ordained by this Conference who uses tobacco.

XVII. The examination of classes in the course of study shall be conducted in writing. No one shall be passed in any study in which he fails to make 70 in the scale of 100. And no one shall be admitted on trial who does not make the required grade in all the studies.

XVIII. All applicants for aid from the Necessitous Fund shall be accompanied with answers, by the applicant, to the following questions: 1. What is your age and present state of health? 2. How many years of service in the itinerant ministry? 3. Number in family? 4. Number and sex of children? 5. Ages of children? 6. Real estate owned, of what kind and value? 7. What other sources of income, if any? 8. What amount of personal property and what kind? 9. What are your present means of support?

XIX. Beginning with 1913 any pastor, whose report does not show that on his charge the claims for Ministerial Support have been pro-rated, shall before the adjournment of the session be called to the bar of the Conference to explain why it has not been done.

THE JOURNAL

FIRST DAY.

Wednesday, March 26, 1913.

The St. Louis Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened for its forty-fifth session in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Carthage, Missouri, Bishop Charles W. Smith presiding.

Opening Service—The Conference was called to order at 9 a. m. and hymn No. 560, beginning, "And Are We Yet Alive and See Each Others Face?" was announced and sung. Bishop Smith offered prayer and read the third chapter of the Epistle of the Ephesians.

Roll Call—The Secretary of the last session of the Conference called the roll and the following members and probationers were present, viz.: E. P. Anderson, Laban Anderson, J. T. Bainbridge, W. F. Baker, William Frank Baker, A. D. Ball, J. L. Beard, G. T. Beard, F. S. Beggs, P. E. Bingham, Samuel Blair, J. W. Borah, D. W. Britton, W. E. Brown, S. B. Campbell, W. K. Chatten, W. G. Clinton, J. W Coontz, G. H. Cosper, C. V. Criss, A. M. Dixon, H. F. Dorcas, F. E. Dubois, D. C. Dutton, W. A. A. Fortner, G. M. Foster, H. B. Foster, S. A. French, Frederick Getty, T. H. Hagerty, P. R. Hoos, E. R. Horton, A. G. Hummer, H. G. Humphrey, G. J. Hunt, R. A. Hunt, C. C. James, H. A. Jones, Samuel Jones, W. F. Jones, J. F. King, W. W. King, William Leatherman, H. C. Leonard, R. H. Lint, A. M. Livingstone, James Lokey, W. C. Macurdy, R. V. Maloney, J. M. Mason, W. E. Matthews, W. R. McCormack, H. A. Mitchell, J. W. Needham, J. C. Needles, W. R. Nelson, B. E. Niblack, J. F. Odom, J. E. Owen, J. N. Pierce, P. E. Pierce, James Pine, J. S. Postlethwait, W. G. Rector, W. L. Requa, H. B. Rhodes, L. G. Reser, G. A. Robbins, E. H. Sapp, G. W. Schroeder, T. P. Shaffer, W. D. Sidman, D. T. Simmons, Everett Simpson, E. C. Smith, E. A. Squier, O. M. Stewart, Thomas Stone, W. O. Thompson, Henry Threlfall, C. F. Tippin, W. O. Tolbart, Samuel Warner, W. R. Woodward, W. T. Wright.

Probationers—C. C. Hull, G. G. Yeomans, V. C. Clark, J. T. Carnett, T. A. Dowler, C. F. McClean, Alva Garrison,

W. R. Ward, F. R. Cubit, M. M. Anderson, C. E. Crockett, E. N. Garrett, L. V. Hassell, C. L. Oswald, W. G. Rector, J. J. Wolf, R. O. Williams.

Transfers—The following transfers into this Conference were announced, and those present were introduced, viz.: W. G. Clinton, from the Indiana; J. C. DuPlantis, from the Gulf; Chesteen W. Smith, from the North Indiana; H. H. St. Louis, from the North Nebraska; E. J. Kulp, from the New Jersey; Wallace I. Torbert, from the Oklahoma.

The following transfers out of this Conference were announced, viz.: Fred McGlumphrey, to the DesMoines; M. H. Lichliter, to the Baltimore; Frank Neff, E. E. Dagley, Wallace I. Torbert and W. C. Wheeler, to the Oklahoma; Clinton Senneff, to the North Nebraska; W. P. Jinnett, to the Columbia River, and Henry L. Glover, to the Colorado.

Organization—On nomination of W. F. Jones, Perry E. Pierce was re-elected Secretary, and on his nomination, T. P. Shaffer and G. G. Yeoman were elected assistants.

On motion of T. H. Hagerty, William Stephens was continued Secretary Emeritus.

On nomination of T. H. Hagerty, Frederick Getty was re-elected Treasurer, and on his nomination, Claude S. Hanby, A. M. Dixon, W. L. Requa, A. A. Halter, Thomas Stone and A. B. Garrison were elected Financial Assistants, and W. O. Thompson, T. E. Prall, W. R. Ward, J. T. Carnett, J. C. Needles and J. A. Webb were elected Statistical Assistants.

Frederick Getty spoke feelingly in appreciation of I. J. K. Lunbeck, who is unable to attend this session of the Conference.

On motion of C. C. James, W. D. Sidman was re-elected Statistical Secretary, and on his nomination, H. B. Rhodes, H. F. Dorcas, W. G. Rector, E. N. Garrett, V. C. Clark, G. A. Moss, T. A. Dowler and J. F. King were elected assistants.

Standing Committees—The standing committees nominated by the Cabinet were read by C. C. James and elected by the Conference.

On motion of C. V. Criss, the bar of the Conference was fixed to include the first seven rows of seats.

Reforms—On motion of T. H. Hagerty, the Committee on Reforms was requested to confer with Dr. Edward Thompson in reference to Sabbath observance.

On motion of F. S. Beggs, the Bishop was requested to appoint a committee of five to draft a resolution commending President Woodrow Wilson for having no inaugural ball, and for banishing intoxicating liquors from the White House.

Address of Welcome—Judge M. G. McGregor was introduced and delivered an address of welcome, to which Bishop Smith responded.

Gift—T. H. Hagerty presented Bishop Smith a Bible, on the cover of which was veneered a piece of wood from McKendree Chapel.

Introduction—Samuel Konizeski, Treasurer of the Kansas City Depository of the Book Concern, was introduced and read a letter from Dr. J. W. Jennings concerning the publishing interests of the Church.

Central Christian Advocate—H. G. Humphrey was appointed to represent the Central Christian Advocate during this session of the Conference.

Education—On motion of S. B. Campbell it was ordered that the collections for the Marionville-Carleton Educational Fund be credited in the column "Other Benevolences."

Drafts—The Bishop announced drafts of $2,287 from the Book Concern and $30 from the Chartered Fund.

QUESTION XIV. The Fourteenth Question was taken up, viz.: **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

Carthage District—The character of William F. Jones, District Superintendent, passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders passed in character and those present reported, viz.: A. G. Hummer, William R. Woodward, William Frank Baker, Samuel Blair, E. R. Horton, O. V. Suter, H. B. Foster, T. E. Prall, H. A. Jones, S. F. Stevens, W. E. Brown, W. L. Requa, M. V. Heidlebaugh, R. C. Everhard and J. F. Odom.

Kansas City District—The character of Eli P. Anderson passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders passed in character and those present reported, viz.: C. E. Erdman, D. W. Britton, J. T. Bainbridge, W. S. Courtney, J. C. Kirk, W. R. Nelson, G. H. Cosper, E. H. Sapp, H. G. Humphrey, F. O. Moore, E. B. Olmstead, W. G. Clinton, C. W. Smith, R. V. Maloney, Lincoln

A. Ferris, E. C. Smith, W. R. McCormack, D. C. Dutton, Thomas Stone, P. R. Hoos, R. H. Lint, Frederick Getty and Samuel Warner.

Order of the Day—On motion of T. H. Hagerty the union of the Missouri and the St. Louis Conferences, as authorized by the General Conference, was made the order of the day at 10 a. m. Thursday.

Addresses—The following were introduced and addressed the Conference, viz.: Dr. Edwin Locke, Recording Secretary of the Church Temperance Society; Dr. Edward Thompson, Secretary of the International Sunday League of America; O. M. Stewart, Field Secretary of Bethany Hospital, and Miss Eunice Britt, representing the Kansas City National Training School.

Episcopal Fund—Bishop Smith announced the apportionment of the Episcopal Fund for this Conference, and it was referred to the District Superintendents for distribution.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Edwin Locke.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday, 8:30 a. m.

Opening—The Conference met at 8:30 a. m., and opened with Scripture lesson. Hymn No. 235, beginning, "Jesus Spreads His Banner Over Us," was announced and sung.

Sacrament—Bishop Smith led in the consecration of the elements and Dr. William F. Jones assisted by the remainder of the Cabinet and Dr. Samuel Blair, the pastor of this Church, administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Minutes—The minutes of yesterday's session were read, amended and approved.

Education—On motion of G. A. Robbins, the Treasurer was requested to place an additional column in the minutes marked "Educational Special," in which were to be placed the amounts paid to the Marionville-Carleton Educational Fund.

On motion of S. B. Campbell, the secretary of the Marionville-Carleton Educational Fund was requested to present a detailed report to be printed in the minutes.

Delinquent Reports—The Statistical Secretary and the Treasurer read the list of the charges from which reports had not been received.

QUESTION The Fourteenth Question was resumed, viz.:

XIV. **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

Farmington District—The character of W. C. McCurdy, District Superintendent, passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders were passed in character and those present reported, viz.: J. W. Borah, F. E. DuBois, H. A. Mitchell and W. K. Chatten.

Order of the Day—The order of the day, the union of the Missouri and St. Louis Conferences, was called.

Drs. Bentley, DeBra and Burress, a committee from the Missouri Conference, were introduced.

On motion of W. W. King, the discussion on this subject was limited to one hour.

The Secretary read the action of the Missouri Conference and Drs. Bentley and DeBra addressed the Conference on the subject.

The union of the two Conferences was discussed by S. B. Campbell (the time was extended one-half hour), G. A. Robbins and O. M. Stewart.

G. J. Hunt moved that we record our appreciation of the invitation to unite with the Missouri Conference, also our appreciation of the speeches made by the members of their committee, but that we decline the invitation.

W. W. King called for a division of the question.

The first and second clauses of the resolution were unanimously adopted.

The third clause was adopted by a vote of 77 to 21.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Conference, viz.: Dr. J. M. Carter, District Superintendent, Fort Smith District, Arkansas Conference; Dr. Allen, of the M. E. Church, South, Carthage; Dr. J. P. Pierce, Missouri Conference; Dr. Chesteen Smith and E. J. Kulp, of this Conference; Dr. Gilbert, DesMoines Conference.

Transfers—The transfer of R. N. Jones from the South Illinois Conference was announced and he was introduced to the Conference.

Address—Dr. E. J. Moore, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

On motion of W. T. Wright, S. B. Campbell and Christian Burnett were elected Trustees of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League.

Special Committees—On motion of W. C. Macurdy, a committee of five was ordered to consider the case of John Ashley, and the secretary of the Cabinet announced the following committee, viz.: H. A. Jones, J. W. Borah, W. R. Nelson, B. F. Crissman and H. C. Leonard.

C. C. James, for the Cabinet, announced the following special committees, viz.:

Finance Commission—The District Superintendents, Samuel Blair, G. J. Kusterer, Webb City; H. A. Mitchell, D. A. Randall, Poplar Bluff; G. J. Hunt, Joseph Warren, Conway; W. W. King, George Warren Brown, St. Louis; W. R. Nelson, George N. Neff, Drovers Telegram, Kansas City; G. G. Yeoman, George McLaughlin, Sedalia; S. B. Campbell, W. L. Whaples, 205 South Street, Springfield.

Social Service—W. W. King, Grant A. Robbins, B. F. Crissman, H. A. Jones, R. H. Lint, S. B. Campbell, E. Combie Smith.

Witten Monument—T. P. Shaffer, Samuel Warner, P. E. Pierce.

Resolution to President Wilson—L. A. Ferris, F. S. Beggs, G. A. Robbins, Ralph Wakefield, Samuel Blair.

Adjournment—It was ordered that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 3:15 this afternoon.

Education—C. V. Gilliland and H. A. Jones were added to the Committee on Education.

Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Bentley.

SECOND DAY—SECOND SESSION.

Thursday, 3:15 p. m.

The Conference met at 3:15 p. m., Bishop Smith presiding.

Minutes—The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

QUESTION The Fourteenth Question was resumed, viz.:

XIV. **Was the Character of Each Preacher Examined?**

Lebanon District—The character of J. W. Needham passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders passed in character and those present reported, viz.: G. F. Bunday, C. F. Tippin, B. D. Jones, W. A. A. Fortner, J. L. Beard, A. M. Livingstone, W. E. Matthews, Joseph Scarborough, G. J. Hunt and B. E. Niblack.

St. Louis District—The character of W. T. Wright passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders passed in character and those present reported, viz.: A. D. Ball, J. C. Gilbreath, H. C. Leonard, J. W. Coontz, F. L. Geyer, H. R. Osborn, W. W. King, E. J. Kulp, R. N. Jones, J. F. King, R. A. Hunt, G. A. Robbins, J. J. Martin.

Sedalia District—The character of C. V. Criss, District Superintendent, passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders passed in character and those present reported, viz.: Laban Anderson, William Leatherman, W. F. Baker, B. F. Crissman, J. A. Webb, P. E. Pierce, W. G. Rector, J. C. DuPlantis.

Springfield District—The character of C. C. James, District Superintendent, passed and he read his report.

The following effective Elders passed in character and those present reported, viz.: F. S. Beggs, W. O. Tolbart, A. M. Dixon, H. F. Dorcas, G. M. Foster, W. D. Sidman, H. H. St. Louis, Everett Simpson, D. T. Simmons, J. E. Owen, Thomas P. Shaffer, S. B. Campbell.

Gift—F. S. Beggs commended the life and work of Brother James and in testimony of the affection of the preachers of Springfield District presented him for them a purse of gold.

The character of following effective Elders having special appointments passed, viz: A. J. McCulloch, S. A. French, G. W. Schroeder, J. S. Bitler, Julius Smith, T. H. Hagerty, L. G. Reser, C. V. Gilliland, J. H. Gillespie, O. M. Stewart, C. T. Harrison, H. A. Toland, E. F. Miller, L. H. Sweetland, W. C. Wheeler, E. E. Dagley, Frank Neff.

Orley Freeman spoke of the Epworth League Institute to be held at Marionville, presenting the advantages to be secured and urging attendance upon it.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Burris.

THIRD DAY.

Friday, 8:30 a. m.

Opening—The Conference met at 8:30, and opened with song service, led by G. H. Cosper. Dr. E. J. Kulp offered prayer and read and expounded the Scriptures.

Minutes—The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Secretary offered a resolution concerning the Conference Printing Fund, which was referred to a committee of three, composed of G. J. Hunt, W. R. McCormack and H. C. Leonard.

Draft—A draft of $150 from the Board of Conference Claimants was ordered.

Introductions—Dr. Satterlee, of Fort Scott, Kans., representing the Board of Conference Claimants, and Dr. Smith, of Japan, representing the Board of Foreign Missions, were introduced and each addressed the Conference.

QUESTION The Sixth Question was taken up, viz.:

VI. **Who Have Been Continued on Trial?**

The following passed in character and in their studies and were advanced to the class of the second year, viz.: Mills M. Anderson, Lewis K. Armentrout, Charles O. Crockett, Elza N. Garrett, Arthur A. Halter, Lewis V. Hassell, Christian L. Oswald, William Gerald Rector, Oscar R. Sides, John J. Wolf, Herbert F. Miller.

Rector Green and Charles V. Bigler were passed in character and continued in the studies of the first year.

Charles C. Hull was passed in character and in his studies and advanced to the class of the fourth year.

Richard O. Williams was passed in character, credited with studies passed and continued in the class of the first year.

Shirley Peters was announced as transferred into the Kansas Conference.

A. H. Barnes was discontinued at his own request.

QUESTION The Tenth Question was taken up, viz.:

X. **What Members Are in Studies of the Fourth Year?**

The following were passed in character and in their studies and advanced to the class of the fourth year, viz.: Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, Jesse J. Pruitt, Herbert B. Rhodes, William O. Thompson, Rowland Hill, James R. Postlethwaite, Marvin O. Morris, James M. Mason, Claire V. Bryan.

The following were passed in character and continued in the class of the third year, viz.: George T. Beard, Glenn A. Moss, Joseph C. Needles, Claire G. Davis.

Purnell E. Bingman, Zed Wright, Carl Stevenson and Thomas H. Otwell were passed in character and continued in the class of the fourth year.

Address—Dr. P. J. Maveety, Corresponding Secretary of the Freed Men's Aid Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Transfer—Arthur P. Keast was announced as transferred to the DesMoines Conference.

QUESTION The Eighth Question was taken up, viz.:

VIII. **Who Have Been Admitted Into Full Membership?**

Grant G. Yeoman, Vestal C. Clark, Theodore A. Dowler, Clarence F. McClean, Alva B. Harrison, William R. Ward were passed in character and in their studies, admitted into full membership, elected to Deacon's orders, and advanced to the class of the third year.

James T. Carnett, Frank R. Cubit, Leon M. Birkhead were passed in character and in their studies admitted into full membership, and advanced to the class of the third year.

Will G. Thompson was received from the United Brethren Church, admitted into full membership, elected to Deacon's orders, and placed in the class of the third year.

Norman A. Seldon was discontinued at his own request.

Reports—The Board of Trustees presented their report and loans embodied in their report were approved.

The report of the Treasurer of the Board of Trustees was received and referred to the Auditing Committee.

Resolution—The following resolution was received from the Board of Trustees and adopted:

Resolved, that the Conference Treasurer be, and hereby is, instructed to pay to the Treasurer of the Board of Conference Trustees the fund now on time deposit with the Fidelity Trust Company, of Kansas City, Mo., at maturity of said deposit, together with such interest as shall have accrued thereon, and that the said Trustees be, and hereby are, authorized to set apart $900 of said money as an investment fund, retaining the balance of said money to meet the necessary expenses of the Board.

Trustees—A set of rules for the Board of Trustees was presented and adopted.

On recommendation of the Board of Trustees the resignation of William Stephens was accepted, and J. W. Needham was elected to fill the vacancy.

The officers nominated by the Board of Trustees were elected as follows: President, O. M. Steward; Vice-President, Samuel Warner; Secretary, I. J. K. Lunbeck; Treasurer, Frederick Getty.

Transfer of Funds—On motion of C. V. Criss, the balance of $2,251.15 in settlement of the sale of the lot in Marshall, Mo., was turned over to the Treasurer of the Board of Conference Trustees.

On motion of C. C. James the Conference confirmed the disbursement of funds received from the sale of the parsonage at Cassville, and the church at Rogersville, as follows: Hagerty Memorial, Springfield, $100; Dadeville, $50; Ash Grove, $50; Stockton, $25.

On motion of W. C. Macurdy, $368 from the sale of the Hillsboro, Mo., parsonage was left in the hands of the Superintendent of Farmington District to be used either at Poplar Bluff, Flat River, Bonne Terre, or DeSoto Circuit, as needed in paying debts or in improving Church property.

Order of the Day—On motion of O. M. Stewart, fixing the place of the next session of the Conference was made the order of the day, Saturday, immediately after the reading of the Journal.

Introductions—The following were introduced to the Con-

ference, viz.: Dr. Draper, District Superintendent, Little Rock District, Arkansas Conference; Dr. Bailey, District Superintendent, Fort Scott District, South Kansas Conference; Dr. Bollman, representing the Society for the Friendless; Dr. Bohannon, pastor of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church, Carthage.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Draper.

FOURTH DAY.

Saturday, 8:30 a. m.

Conference met at 8:30 a. m. and opened with song and prayer. Dr. L. G. Reser led the devotions.

Minutes—The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

Methodist Review—H. G. Humphrey was announced as agent for the Methodist Review.

Reports—The delinquent reports were called for.

Order of the Day—The order of the day, fixing the seat of the next Conference, was called for. F. E. DuBois presented an invitation from Poplar Bluff to hold the next session of the Conference at that place. The invitation was unanimously accepted.

QUESTION XXIII. The Twenty-third Question was taken up, viz.: **Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for What Number of Years Consecutively Has Each Held This Relation?**

On motion of H. A. Jones, Chairman of Committee, John Ashley was requested to located at the next session of the Conference, under the provision of the Discipline, Paragraph 254.

J. C. Stille and L. M. Thompson were continued in the Supernumerary relation.

James Lokey was given the Retired relation.

J. W. Stewart was made effective.

QUESTION XXIV. The Twenty-fourth Question was taken up, viz.: **Who Are the Retired Ministers?**

The following Retired Ministers were called; they were passed in character and they were continued in the same rela-

tion, viz.: M. Bell, J. S. Porter, Henry Threlfall, F. M. Stickney, D. C. Ridgeway, William Stephens, W. F. Yeager, C. D. Fry, Samuel Jones, J. N. Pierce, I. M. Galbraith, Hervey Smith, J. H. Hurley, J. B. Brewington, I. J. K. Lunbeck, E. A. Squier, Frank Oechsli, W. T. Pare, W. J. Simmons, W. H. Rose, D. W. Crow, J. W. Slusher, T. J. Gideon, James Pine, W. K. Collins, J. S. Harris.

Change of Relation—E. B. Olmstead was granted the Supernumerary relation.

QUESTION The Fifth Question was taken up, viz.:

V. **Who Have Been Received on Trial?**

The following were recommended by their respective District Conferences, passed in their studies, recommended by the committee on Conference Relations, represented by their District Superintendents, admitted on trial, and placed in the class of the first year, viz.: DeWitte C. Mallary, Charles Henson, Ralph E. Hurd, John P. Hurd, Frank I. Finch, Carl R. Disney, Ernest C. Wadlow, Elmer L. Hobbs and William T. Street.

Triers of Appeals—The triers of appeal were nominated and elected as follows: Samuel Warner, W. A. A. Fortner, H. B. Foster, H. C. Leonard, Ralph Wakefield. **Reserves**—T. P. Shaffer, J. W. Borah.

Missionary Sermon—The Bishop appointed B. F. Crissman to preach the Missionary sermon at the next session of the Conference, with W. R. Nelson as alternate.

Board of Examiners—The list of the Board of Examiners appointed by the Bishop was read, as follows: A. D. Ball, W. E. Brown, W. G. Clinton, G. H. Cosper, H. B. Foster, H. G. Humphrey, H. A. Jones, H. R. Osborne, T. P. Shaffer, Chesteen Smith, J. W. Borah, S. B. Campbell, B. F. Crissman, J. W. Coontz, W. A. A. Fortner, G. J. Hunt, A. M. Livingstone, L. G. Reser, H. A. Mitchell, Ralph Wakefield.

Minutes—The committee on Conference printing reported recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the column marked "Conference Minutes" be dropped from the statistical tables and that the Treasurer be excused from taking account of this fund.

That the Statistical Secretary be instructed to prepare and send with the blanks for statistical reports, envelopes in which the money for Conference printing is to be placed.

That the assessment for Conference printing be an amount

from each pastor and District Superintendent equal to one-third of 1 per cent of his total salary, including house rent.

That on the first day of the Conference session at the time when reports are collected each pastor and District Superintendent shall hand to the committee on "Publication of Minutes" the envelope containing his subscription for the printing fund.

That Question III of Rule XIV of the rules for governing the Conference be so construed as to include the Conference printing fund.

That each pastor and District Superintendent shall receive by mail or express, prepaid, Conference Minutes to the value of his subscription.

That the committee on Publication of Minutes be requested to publish annually a statement and the receipts and disbursements of this fund.

Correction—On motion of H. C. Leonard the Joplin Tribune was requested to correct its misquotation from Dr. Smith's address Thursday night.

QUESTION The Twelfth Question was taken up, viz.:

XII. **What Others Have Been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**

Judson J. McKim was elected to Deacon's orders as a local preacher.

Arthur A. Halter was elected on Deacon's orders under the Seminary rule.

QUESTION The Fourth Question was taken up, viz.:

IV. **Who Have Been Received on Credentials, and From What Churches?**

Dwight S. Kelly was received from the Presbyterian Church, he was asked the Disciplinary questions, his orders as an Elder were recognized. He was admitted into full membership and excused from the course of study.

Report—The Board of Stewards made their preliminary report.

Addresses—Dr. C. V. Gilliland addressed the Conference representing Carleton College, and Dr. L. G. Reser represented Marionville College.

Report—S. B. Campbell, treasurer of the Marionville-

Carleton Educational Fund represented a report and it was referred to the auditing committee.

A subscription amounting to $1760 was taken for the benefit of the above fund.

Minutes—A subscription amounting to $85 was taken for the Conference printing fund.

Addresses—Dr. James B. Bollman representing the Society for the Friendless, and Miss Edith Thrall, representing Epworth Institute, were introduced and each addressed the Conference.

The announcements were made and the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. Hagerty.

FIFTH DAY.

Monday, 8:30 a. m.

The Conference met at 8:30 a. m. and opened with song and prayer. Bishop Smith led the devotions.

Minutes—The minutes of Saturday's session were read and approved.

G. H. Cosper, W. R. Nelson, J. T. Bainbridge and F. L. Geyer were excused from further attendance at this session.

Reports—The following reports were read and adopted, viz.: Treasurer of Conference Permanent Fund, (referred to auditing committee), Reforms, Hospitals, Resolutions, Benevolences, Home Missions and Church Extension, Education, Board of Stewards, Publications, Deaconess Board, Young People's Work, Treasurer, Statistical Secretary, Methodist Brotherhood, Woman's Work, Auditing Committee.

Peace Congress—G. J. Hunt presented the following resolution, which was adopted:

We endorse the Fourth American Peace Congress which shall be held in St. Louis, Mo., May 1-4, in its efforts to have all inter-national difficulties settled by arbitration, and authorize our secretary to send a copy of this resolution to the president or secretary of the Congress.

GEO. J. HUNT.
J. E. OWEN.
JOHN L. BEARD.

Requests for Appointments—The Conference requested the Bishop to make the following special appointments, and members to be left without appointment to attend school, viz.: (See special appointments).

Change of Relation—T. E. Green and R. O. Everhard were given the Supernumerary relation.

Home Mission—The Home Missionary appropriations were read and approved.

Conference Boards—The Conference Boards were read and confirmed.

Deaconesses—On motion of W. R. McCormack the Conference authorized the Board of Nine to license for consecration, Deaconess students when they shall have completed their studies and met all requirements of the Discipline.

Collection—A collection for the janitor was taken.

Permanent Fund—On motion of W. R. McCormack, C. C. James was made a member and president of the Board of Trustees of the Conference Permanent Fund in place of H. L. Hunter, who has removed from the bounds of the Conference.

Standing Committees—The Standing Committees for next year were ordered printed in the Minutes.

Historical Society—On motion of S. B. Campbell, O. M. Stewart was made a member of the Historical Society in place of F. W. Simpson.

Central Christian Advocate—The Bishop represented the interests of the Central Christian Advocate in the absence of the editor, Dr. C. B. Spencer.

C. B. Campbell was appointed to preside and the Bishop and Cabinet retired.

Edit Reports—On motion of G. J. Hunt, the Secretary was authorized to edit reports in so far as the omissions do not interfere with any Conference action.

Address—Dr. W. F. Sheridan, General Secretary of the Epworth League, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Appreciation—Grant A. Robbins presented the following resolution which was adopted:

The St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in session at Carthage, Missouri, unanimously

and with enthusiasm adopted the following resolution, and instructed the secretary of the Conference to forward a copy of the resolution to the names mentioned:

Resolved, That we, the members of the St. Louis Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, express our deep appreciation of the action of President Woodrow Wilson in requesting that the usual inaugural ball be omitted from the ceremonies connected with his inauguration as president of the United States; and also that we record our hearty endorsement of his and Mrs. Wilson's orders in excluding the use of intoxicating liquors from the White House during his administration.

We also desire to express our appreciation of the same stand with reference to intoxicating liquors taken by Vice-President Marshall and Mrs. Marshall and Secretary of State Bryan and his wife.

L. A. FERRIS,
GRANT A. ROBBINS.
F. S. BEGGS.

Addresses—C. V. Gilliland addressed the Conference, representing the Educational Society.

Miss Laura Haupt, represented the Burge Deaconess Hospital.

Dr. O. M. Stewart represented Bethany Hospital.

Letter of Respect—On motion of T. H. Hagerty, the Secretary was authorized to send to Wm. Stephens an expression of our love and esteem.

Solo—D. T. Simmons, by request of the Conference, sang a solo, after which the Conference spent some time in song and prayer.

Commission—The following resolution was presented by Grant A. Robbins, which was adopted:

That Drs. W. T. Wright and S. B. Campbell be appointed as members of a commission to meet with a like number from the St. Louis German and the Missouri Conferences to consider the taking care of German churches where the abandonment of the work is being considered, and any other work in which the three Conferences are jointly interested.

Change of Relation—J. S. Bitler was granted the Supernumerary relation.

Home Mission—The askings of the Conference for Home Missionary appropriation for ensuing year were read and approved.

Address—The Bishop delivered a closing address to the Conference.

Minutes—The journal was read and approved.

Appointments—The Bishop read the appointments and the Conference adjourned, sine die.

Charles W. Smith
President.

Perry E. Pierce.
Secretary.

I hereby certify that at Carthage, Mo., on the 30th day of March, 1913, I ordained as Deacons, Grant G. Yeoman, Vestal C. Clark, Theodore A. Dowler, Clarence F. McLean, Alva B. Garrison, William R. Ward, Will G. Thompson, Judson J. McKim, and Arthur A. Halter, under authority of election by the St. Louis Annual Conference.

CHARLES W. SMITH,
Bishop.

This is to certify that on the 30th day of March, 1913, at Carthage, Mo., I consecrated as Deaconesses Lula Patterson and Lucy Maritta Shakle.

CHARLES W. SMITH,
Bishop.

DISCIPLINARY QUESTIONS

1. **Is this Annual Conference Incorporated According to the Requirement of the Discipline?**
   It is.

2. **Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conference?**
   W. G. Clinton, Indiana; J. C. DuPlantis, Gulf; Chesteen W. Smith, N. Ind.; Wallace I. Torbert, Col.; H. H. St. Louis, Neb.; E. J. Kulp, N. J.; R. N. Jones, S. Ill.; Leon M. Birkhead, S. Illinois; C. H. Ocheltree, W. Va.

3. **Who have been Readmitted?**
   None.

4. **Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?**
   Dwight S. Kelly, as an Elder from the Presbyterian Church; Will G. Thompson, from U. B. Church, unordained.

5. **Who have been Received on Trial?**
   (a) In Studies of First Year.
   Carl R. Disney, Frank I. Finch, Elmer L. Hobbs, John P. Hurd, Ralph E. Hurd, Charles Henson, DeWitt C. Mallory, Wm. T. Street, Ernest C. Wadlow.
   (b) In Studies of Third Year.
   None.

6. **Who have been Continued on Trial?**
   (a) In Studies of First Year.
   Rector Green, Charles V. Bigler, Richard O. Williams.
   (b) In Studies of Second Year.
   Mills M. Anderson, Lewis K. Armentrout, Charles O. Crockett, Elza N. Garrett, Arthur A. Halter, Lewis V. Hassell, Christian L. Oswald, Wm. Gerald Rector, Oscar R. Sides, John J. Wolf, Herbert F. Miller.
   (c) In Studies of Third Year.
   None.
   (d) In Studies of Fourth Year.
   Charles C. Hull.

7. **Who have been Discontinued?**
   A. H. Barnes, Norman A. Seldon.

8. **Who have been admitted to Full Membership?**
   (a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.
   Grant G. Yeoman, Vestal C. Clark, Theodore A. Dowler, Clarence F. McClean, Alva B. Garrison, William R .Ward, Will G. Thompson.
   (b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.
   James T. Carnett, Frank R. Cubit, Leon M. Birkhead.

9. **What Members are in Studies of Third Year?**
   (a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.
   Grant G. Yeoman, Vestal C. Clark, Theodore A. Dowler, Clarence F. McClean, Alva B. Garrison, William R. Ward, James T. Carnett, Frank R. Cubit, Leon M. Birkhead, Will G. Thompson.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.
George T. Beard, Glenn A. Moss, Joseph C. Needles, Claire G. Davis.

10. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?
Claude S. Hanby, John W. Moore, Jesse J. Pruitt, Herbert B. Rhodes, William O. Thompson, Rowland Hill, James R. Postlethwaite, Marvin O. Morris, James M. Mason, Claire V. Bryan, Purnell E. Bigman, Zed Wright, Carl Stevenson, Thomas H. Otwell.

11 What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?
(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.
None.
(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.
None.

12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?
(a) As Local Preachers.
Judson H. McKim.
(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
(c) Under Seminary Rule.
Arthur A. Halter.

13. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?
(a) As Local Deacons.
None.
(b) Under Missionary Rule.
None.
(c) Under Seminary Rule.
None.

14. Was the Character of each Preacher examined?
This was strictly done, as the name of each preacher was called in open Conference.

15. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?
Fred McGlumphrey, Des Moines; M. H. Lichliter, Baltimore; Clinton Senneff, N. Neb.; W. P. Jennett, Col. R., W. I. Torbert, Frank Neff, E. E. Dagley and W. C. Wheeler, Oklahoma; Henry L. Glover, Colo.; Shirley Peters, Kansas; A. P. Keast, Des Moines; E. F. Miller, N. H.; J. B. Johnson, S. Ill.

16. Who have Died?
F. L. Thompson, A. H. Miller, J. W. Finley, John Welch, T. H. Knease, Joseph Harris.

17. Who have been Located at their own Request?
None.

18. Who have been Located?
None.

19. Who have Withdrawn?
None.

20. Who have been permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?
None.

21. Who have been expelled?
None.

22. What other personal Notation should be made?
None.

23. Who are the Supernumerary Ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this Relation?
John Ashley, four years; J. C. Stille, three years; L. M. Thompson, two years; E. B. Olmstead, one year; T. E. Green, one year; R. O. Everhard, one year; J. S. Bitler, one year.

24. Who are the Retired Ministers?
Mordecai Bell, J. B. Brewington, W. K. Collins, D. W. Crow, C. D. Fry, I. M. Galbraith, T. J. Gideon, J. S. Harris, J. H. Hurley, Samuel Jones, I. J. K. Lunbeck, J. N. Moore, Frank Oechsli, W. T. Pare, J. S. Porter, J. N. Pierce, James Pine, W. H. Rose, J. W. Slusher, E. A. Squier, Hervey Smith, W. J. Simmons, D. C. Ridgway, F. M. Stickney, William Stephens, Henry Threlfall, W. F. Yeager, Jas. Lokey.

25. Who are the Triers of Appeals?
Samuel Warner, W. A. A. Fortner, H. B. Foster, H. C. Leonard, Ralph Wakefield; Reserves—T. P. Shaffer, J. W. Borah.

26. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension?
$9,402.

27. What is the Annual Report of the Conference Board of Foreign Missions?
$11,913.

28. What is the Statistical Report?
See the Statistician's Report.

29. What is the Conference Treasurer's Report?
See the Conference Treasurer's Report.

30. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?
$55,145.

31. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?
$15,443.

32. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?
$8,669—See Report of Conference Stewards.

33. What is the Five Per Cent of the amount raised for the support of Conference Claimants, and paid by the Conference Treasurer to the Board of Conference Claimants for Cennectional Relief?
$307.

34. What amount has been apportioned to the Pastoral Charges within the Conference to be raised for the support of Conference Claimants?
$6,652.

35. Where are the Preachers Stationed?
See List of Appointments.

36. Where shall the Next Conference be held?
Poplar Bluff.

REPORTS

I hereby certify that the following reports were adopted by the St. Louis Annual Conference at its session March 26-31, 1913.

PERRY E. PIERCE,
Secretary.

DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

Anderson, $80.00; Carthage Circuit, $55.00; Carterville, $50.00; Chitwood, $55.00; Epworth, $100.00; Seneca, $50.00; Spurgeon, $70.00; Shelden and Milo, $50.00. Total, $510.00.

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

Bonne Terre, $200; Flat River, $130; Mountain View, $75; Perryville, $100; Poplar Bluff, $300; Willow Springs, $60; District, $200. Total, $1,065.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

East Lynne, $100; Kingsville, $54; Pleasant Hill, $100. Total, $254.

LEBANON DISTRICT.

Ava, $50; Belle, $50; Cabool, $50; Gainesville, $50; Hartville, $50; Houston, $50; Iberia, $50; Lebanon Circuit, $25; Linn Creek, $50; Olean, $100; Phillipsburg, $60; Plato, $50; Richland Circuit, $75; Upshaw, $100; District, $100. Total, $910.

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

Cuba, $100; Pacific, $70; Salem, $70; Sullivan, $70. Total, $310.

SEDALIA DISTRICT.

Alberta, $40; Centerview, $60; Dresden, $40; Green Ridge, $60; Huntingdale, $60; Knob Noster, $40; Montrose, $60; Odessa, $60; Rockville, $100; Schell City, $40; Urich, $40. Total, $600.

SPRINGFIELD DISTRICT.

Ash Grove, $85; Clever Circuit, $40; Dadeville Circuit, $50; Galena, $50; Humansville, $40; La Russell, $40; Marionville Circuit, $45; Pierce City and Purdy, $100; Springfield Circuit, $40; Stockton, $50; Taneyville, $25; Weaubleau, $45; Wheaton, $41. Total, $651.

TOTAL APPROPRIATION.

Carthage	$ 510
Farmington	1,065
Kansas City	254
Lebanon	910
St. Louis	310
Sedalia	600
Springfield	651
Total Appropriation	$4,300

Approved.

CHARLES W. SMITH.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON REFORMS.

The Committee on Reforms submits the following report:

We express our gratitude to Almighty God for the great advancement made in temperance legislation both in state and nation.

We commend the heroic work of Representative C. M. Hay and Senator Anderson Craig and their associates in behalf of the County Unit Bill and gratefully note the fact that all the Congressmen from Missouri, with the exception of the St. Louis delegation, voted for the Webb-McCumber Interstate Shipment Bill.

The Sabbath.

The Sabbath is the heart of our civilization.

We deplore the continued and growing desecrations of the same. In the interest of state and church, we must preserve this institution. We therefore call upon the ministers to lift their voices like trumpets to warn the nation of the dangerous shoals toward which it is drifting. We call our people to a greater reverence for and a more strict observance of the Sabbath day and a more careful training of the children along these lines.

Sunday toil must be reduced to the minimum of strict necessity and mercy. We stand for one day of rest for all who toil. We rejoice in the splendid work accomplished by the Sunday League of America under the efficient leadership of Dr. Edward Thomson, whose presence at the conference has been greatly appreciated. He will receive a welcome to our pulpits.

We believe that a living wage is the inalienable right of all who work; that low wages to women and the social vice are very closely associated and is a prolific cause of the same. We therefore advocate a national minimum wage law for women, both on the grounds of justice and protection for womanhood.

We are amazed at the recent revelations concerning the awful proportions of the white slave traffic and send forth an insistent

call to the Federal Government to pass drastic laws to end this frightful traffic in womanhood.

Respectfully submitted.

W. G. CLINTON, Chairman,
J. F. ODOM, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCES.

The word "benevolence" carries with it the idea or principle upon which our Christian religion is based. The church must see to it that the demands made upon her are met, or she will lose her power for the greatest good to humanity, and to this end we would advise that our pastors endeavor to educate the people upon this subject. When we consider how little our home churches are doing, considering their wealth, in comparison to our Japanese members, who are giving from one-eighth to one-seventh of their income to the support of Christ's kingdom, your committee believe that the pastors in the home conferences should start a campaign of education upon benevolences.

Our church is rapidly solving the Negro problem of the present day, but the white conferences are not keeping pace with the colored on this line. The Friedman's Aid Society gave by direct appropriation for the maintenance of the schools last year, $103,040.66. The twenty conferences among the colored people gave for the support of the schools, $26,999.25, or about one-fourth of the entire amount appropriated by the board. In addition to this the students paid to the school direct in tuition, room and board, $163,146.67. Thus it will be seen that the colored brothers themselves gave last year for the support and maintenance of the schools, $190,145.92. It would be well for us to take notice of what the colored man is doing to help himself.

The work of the Home and the Foreign Missions comes with added emphasis to us as never before. Never in the history of the church was there a field so white unto the harvest, and we should reap it.

We endorse the various publications pertaining to the Home and Foreign Missions and suggest that they be carefully read by pastor and layman. We also believe in and endorse Organized Mission Study Classes, which we believe will vastly increase the interest and enthusiasm.

J. L. BEARD, Chairman,
J. T. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary.

THE CONFERENCE DEACONESS BOARD.

We rejoice in the growth and development of the Deaconess work within the bounds of our conference.

The reports from the Kansas City National Training School, the St. Louis Deaconess Association and the Burge Deaconess Hospital indicate an aggressive spirit in Christian work.

The FitzGerald Deaconess Home is temporarily suspended.

We find the financial condition to be as follows:

Kansas City National Training School—Value of property, $175,000.00; increase during the year, $84,000.00, with no debt and $104.89 in the treasury. We rejoice especially in the near completion of the Schoellkopf Hall, which is the main building of this institution.

St. Louis Deaconess Association—Value of property, $40,000.00; debt, $22,100.00; amount in treasury, $140.79.

FitzGerald Home—Furnishings stored, $400.00; no debt; amount in treasury, $36.00.

The following have been transferred to other conferences—

Miss Elizabeth Hartman to North Neb. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Amie Johnson to North Minn. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Gertie Orear to Okla. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Stella M. Crouse to the North Neb. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Lucy Howard to the Southwest Kans. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Bertha Griffitts to the Kans. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Edith Porter to the Northwest Iowa Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Orpha Moffet to the Minn. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Alverda Brode to the North Minn. Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Etta Babbett to the Erie Conf., Sept. 18, 1912.
Miss Hildur Gustafson to the Oregon Conf., Nov. 11, 1912.
Miss Florence A. Allison to the Rock River Conf., Nov. 14, 1912.
Miss Lena Moffet to Vermont Conf., Feb. 26, 1913.
Miss Ruby Davis to Delaware Conf., Feb. 26, 1913.
Miss Ercelia C. Yates to the Philadelphia Conf., March 5, 1913.

The following have been received from other conferences—

Miss Mable Crow from Rock River Conf., Nov. 11, 1912.
Miss Hildur Gustafson, from Rock River Conf., Nov. 11, 1912.

Licenses have been granted to—

Miss Elizabeth Hartman, April 19, 1912.
Inez V. Wolthall, April 19, 1912.
Lena Moffett, April 19, 1912.
Lucy R. Howard, April 19, 1912.
Bertha Griffetts, April 19, 1912.
Maritta Shake, March 28, 1913.
Lulu Patterson.

Miss Luna Anderson and Miss Myrtle Barnes have been honorably discharged.

The licenses of the following have been renewed: Anna Neiderheiser, Eva Rigg, Ethel Adkins, Elizabeth Curry, Aletta M. Garretson, Bertha Cowles, Mary F. Smith, Minnie Pike, Mary Blaschko, Eunice Britt, Nettie Harris, Blanche Kinison, Sarah Church, Nellie M. Cramer, Lucy Curtis, Ella M. Orme, Irene Warrell. Inez Walthall, Isabelle Horton, Edith Thrall, Charlotte Howland, Mabelle Crow, Frances Ingersoll, Ethel Guilkey, Louise Peterson, Anna Jernigan, Rae Lawton, Leone Rice, Viola Miller, Carine M. Calvert, Elsa Gustafson, Bertha Ragland.

WM. R. McCORMACK, Chairman.
W. RILEY NELSON, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WOMEN'S WORK.

We rejoice in the splendid reports from all our Deaconess work, the large achievements and consecrated efforts of our Women's Foreign and Home Missionary Societies, the abundant labors and great efficiency of our Ladies' Aid Societies, and the fruitful service of the hand, brain and heart of our Methodist womanhood in all our church activities.

We urge upon our ministers of the gospel to give their co-operation and sympathy to all women who seek to anoint our Savior with the outpouring of their devotion and love.

W. F. BAKER, Chairman ,
D. W. BRITTON, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS.

Our Methodist Episcopal Church has always believed in religious use of good literature. The founder of our Methodism was not only a producer of good literature but took pains to circulate it widely. America was sown down with religious literature before our Methodist Book Concern began its work.

We heartily recommend our Sunday School publications as up-to-date, clean, strong, as well adapted to the best interests of our work in the kingdom of God and belonging in every one of our Sunday Schools.

We recognize our Advocates as the advance agents of our benevolences, Christian colleges and reforms.

We recommend the wisdom of putting our Central Christian Advocate on a one dollar per year basis, and believe that a copy in every home would be a wise investment for every yearly budget of every Methodist Church.

We congratulate our splendid Epworth Herald on its steady growth in popularity, versatility and usefulness to our young people, especially the increased attention to the devotional study of the Sunday evening topic for study. We pray God's continued blessings upon our editors, contributors, publishers and readers.

F. E. DuBOIS, President.
H. G. HUMPHREY, Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS.

Carthage, Mo., March 28, 1913.

Inasmuch as we have been permitted again in the Providence of God to assemble in conference session in the beautiful city of Carthage, and have had a most profitable session, we wish to record our appreciation.

First, of our beloved resident, Bishop Charles W. Smith, for the masterly way in which he has presided over the session of the Conference.

Second, to the secretaries, Perry E. Pierce and W. D. Sidman and their assistants, also to Fredric Getty, the treasurer and assistants, who have so faithfully performed the duties assigned to them.

Third, to the Pastor, Dr. Samuel Blair, and to the District Superintendent, Dr. Wm. F. Jones, also to the Official Board, who have so wisely and so graciously planned for our every comfort and enjoyment.

Fourth, to the good people of Carthage, who have so hospitably entertained us.

Fifth, to the Carthage Press and the Carthage Democrat for the generous courtesies extended to the Conference, also to the railroads for the grant of reduced fares.

Sixth, to the Bank of Carthage for the handling of our Conference funds and providing rooms for our secretarial force, also to the Y. M. C. A. for providing rooms for committee meetings.

Further, that we record our thanks to Dr. W. F. Sheridon and the Board of Control for establishing in our midst, one of the Summer Epworth League Institutes at Marionville, the seat of our Marionville College, and pledge our enthusiastic support.

Respectfully submitted,

L. G. RESER, Chairman,
WM. K. CHATTEN, Secretary.

REPORT OF TREASURER BOARD OF TRUSTEES, ST. LOUIS CONFERENCE.

Frederick Getty, Treasurer, in account with Board of Trustees, St. Louis Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church:

1912—	DR.		
Dec. 12.	To proceeds of insurance on property at Marshall, Mo., per Rev. Wm. Leatherman.....		$4,300.00
1912—	CR.		
Dec. 18.	By loan to Mt. Washington M. E. Church..	$3,500.00	
1913—			
Jan. 22.	By loan to C. V. Criss.....	800.00	
Jan. 27.	By Expense from Dec. 14 to Jan. 27.....	5.49	
			$4,305.49

Respectfully submitted.

FREDERICK GETTY,
Treasurer.

March 25, 1913.

Audited March 28, 1913.

J. CHAS. GILBREATH.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK.

The Committee on Young People's Work submit the following report:

We were glad to hear of the election by the General Conference of Dr. Wilbur F. Sheridan of our conference, to the General Secretaryship of the Epworth League, and, offering our sincere congratulations, we assure him of our interest and prayers in his work.

We commend to all our young people the Epworth League Institute to be held at Marionville on August 4th to 10th, under the direction of the Central Office, and ask all our pastors to use their influence in urging all our young people to attend by setting before them the advantages to be gained, among which we may mention association training and inspiration.

We consider ourselves very fortunate in having with us for the Epworth League Anniversary this year, Dr. Sheridan. We are glad to note the increased interest of the young people of our church and urge that the church do all in its power to help the spiritual and social life of these young people.

We nominate as officers of the Conference Epworth League: J. R. Postlethwaite, President; W. C. Thompson, Secretary.

Respectfully submitted.

H. B. RHODES, Chairman.
T. STONE, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HOSPITALS.

We have two hospitals, Bethany Methodist Hospital, of Greater Kansas City, and the Burge Deaconess Hospital of Springfield, Mo.

Bethany Hospital has had a year of prosperity. The new hospital building is not yet complete. It occupies a great Methodistic, commercial and industrial center. A park has been purchased by the city, the dwellings removed from nine acres and this beautiful park is called Bethany Park. No more central, attractive and yet more retired and desirable surroundings for a hospital, although in the center of the city, can be found in America. This is a great Methodistic Western center and belongs to a great territory, and demands a great hospital. This requires time and money. Anything less than a two hundred thousand dollar investment—with the hope of a million—would discredit our vision and prove inadequate for the future. The trustees announce that free hospital services shall be given to all co-operating pastors and their families within the five patronizing Conferences. This we appreciate as unusual and far reaching. We therefore the more promptly pledge our united co-operation and invite into our charge the representatives of these two hospitals. And we invite our own denominational claims preferably to outside organizations.

The Burge Deaconess Hospital has done well in the past year. An additional building is now necessary and expected. One thousand three hundred and fifty-nine dollars has been expended for improvements and three hundred patients have been cared for during the year. Two hundred and fifty-eight dollars worth of fruits have been thankfully received. To the care of excellent physicians and our eleven devoted Christian nurses and to the wholesome atmosphere of the Ozark mountains we commend the patronage of our people and the hearty co-operation of our pastors and churches. Let us cheer the work and plant the hospital spirit in our charges.

THOMAS P. SHAFFER, Secretary.
GRANT A. ROBBINS, President.

PUBLISHING COMMITTEES REPORT.

Sale of Minutes including bound copies	$ 65.60
Received from Conference Treasurer	332.00
Collection at Conference for which Minutes were sent	85.86
Net on Ads	29.05
Total	$512.51

Disbursements.

Deficit for 1911	$ 4.25	
Express on Minutes	36.77	
Postage	12.46	
Office supplies	4.35	
Printing Minutes	363.30	
Drayage on Conference trunk	1.50	
Personal expense while publishing Minutes including railroad fare, room, board, etc	33.05	
Delivering copies in Kansas City	1.25	
Expenses of Statistical office	11.00	
Telegram ordered by Conference	.60	
Typewriter rental at Kansas City	4.50	$473.03
Cash on hand March 26, 1913		$ 39.48

Approved by Auditing Committee March 28, 1913.

Report of the Conference Board of Home Missions and Church Extension to the St. Louis Annual Conference for the year ending April 1, 1913:

Home Missions.

Regular—Receipts.

Date 1912	Received from Philadelphia	Amount
March 13	Conference	$1,075.00
March 28	City	875.00
June 10	Conference	1,075.00
July 3	City	875.00
Sept. 6	Conference	1,075.00
Oct. 1	City	875.00
Dec. 21	City and Conference	2,069.44
Total		$7,919.44

Disbursements—Receipts.

Date 1912	To Whom Paid	Amount
March 25	Dist. Supts	$1,075.00
March 25	Drs. Wright, James & Anderson	875.00
June 10	Dist. Supts	1,075.00
July 3	Drs. Wright, James & Anderson	875.00
Sept. 16	Dist. Supts	1,075.00
Oct. 1	Drs. Wright, James & Anderson	875.00
Dec. 21	Drs. Wright, James & Anderson	875.00
Dec. 21	Drs. Wright, James & Anderson	1,075.00
On hand		119.44
Total		$7,919.44

Church Extension.

Donations—Receipts.

Date	Amount
1912	
July 18	$250.00
1913	
Jan. 20	150.00
Feb. 8	200.00
Total.	$600.00

Donations—Disbursements.

Date	Name of Church	Amount
1912		
July 18	Pleasant Valley	$250.00
1913		
Jan. 20	Aurora.	150.00
Feb. 8	Mt. Vernon	200.00
Total.		$600.00

Loans.

Date	Amount
1912	
Oct. 19	$750.00
Total.	$750.00

Date	Name of Church	Amount
1912		
Oct. 19	Pleasant Valley	$750.00
Total.		$750.00

Recommendations and Resolutions.

Resolved:—That we record our high appreciation of the work of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension and urge our pastors and churches to render it the most loyal support.

C. E. JAMES, President.
W. Z. WHAPLES, Secretary.
H. M. SMITH, Treasurer.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON METHODIST BROTHERHOOD.

The first wave of enthusiasm in the Brotherhood Movement is passed, and the question is now asked: will the Brotherhood survive, or will it go the way of many other movements and die?

We believe it ought to live and what ought to be done can and will be done.

But to make this movement effective, definite and wholesome plans must be arranged and prosecuted.

1. Study courses must be arranged in which definite plans in civic, social and evangelistic work be studied, so that the laymen may be tied together and a nation wide movement for bringing in the Kingdom of God.

2. Team work for evangelizing our cities and surrounding communities, which is proving valuable in other states, should be planned and carried out among the men of the St. Louis Conference.

Believing that the men of the church are the most vital force in winning the unchurched men to Christ, we urge each church organization to convert its men to this great service. We recommend the following as conference officers for the coming Conference year.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

We rejoice in the interest manifest throughout Methodism in our educational institutions. We urge all our candidates for the Methodist ministry, after they have graduated from one of our colleges, to attend one of our theological seminaries. We pledge on our part, and recommend on the part of all our people, a loyal support to the cause of education, both local and general.

CARLTON COLLEGE.

We congratulate the trustees and faculty of Carleton College on the progress of the first year. Under the efficient leadership of President C. V. Gilliland the new Science Hall has been completed and is now in use and a fund sufficient to meet all bills connected with the completion and furnishing of the new building, defraying all running expenses till school opens next fall, and materially reducing the indebtedness of the school, has been provided.

With the introduction of strong courses in agriculture and normal training in addition to the present courses, we look for a larger attendance next year. We recommend that the following persons be elected trustees: For the year ending 1914, J. J. McKim, in lieu of Rev. J. W. Needham, resigned. For the year ending 1916, Edmund Janes Kulp, in place of Rev M. H. Lichliter, removed. For the year

ending 1917, M. A. Young, Esq., Edw. Klein, Esq., H. E. Denman, Rev. J. W. Borah, J. W. McCarthy, Esq., U. S. G. Evans, Esq., Rev. W. C. Macurdy.

MARIONVILLE COLLEGE.

We congratulate President L. G. Reser, the trustees and faculty, on another year of success. Substantial improvements have been made on the property. About ten thousand dollars have been raised for the reduction of the indebtedness. The student enrollment will show an advance over that of last year. New courses will be introduced—Normal Training and Home Economics.

We recommend the trustees whose term expires in 1913 be reelected.

We make the following nomination of visitors to our educational institutions:

Garrett—R. A. Hunt.
Drew—H. G. Humphrey.
Iliff—F. S. Beggs.
Boston—W. W. King.
Goucher—Grant A. Robbins.
Illinois Woman's College—H. A. Jones.
Carlton—Edmund James Kulp and Perry E. Pierce.
Marionville—Chesteen Smith and pastor of Sarcoxie.

We nominate for the Conference Board of Education the following:

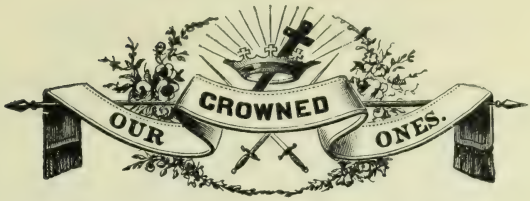
Carthage District—J. W. Freeman, Rev. Samuel Blair.
Farmington District—C. H. Denman, J. W. Borah.
Kansas City District—J. W. Jenkins, Rev. E. Combie Smith.
Lebanon District—W. C. Shannon, G. J. Hunt.
St. Louis District—Fred Lang, Rev. W. T. Wright.
Sedalia District—George Crissman, Rev. B. F. Crissman.
Springfield District—F. P. Siser, T. P. Shaffer.

We recommend that an account equal to six per cent of the pastor's salary, not including house rent, be apportioned to the charge for local education.

We recommend the continuation of S. B. Campbell and W. F. Wright as a committee to meet a like committee from the Missouri Conference to consider the establishment of a Wesleyan Guild to care for the spiritual interests of the young people of our church attending the Missouri State University at Columbia.

S. B. CAMPBELL, Chairman.
J. W. BORAH, Secretary.

IN MEMORIAM.



"They rest from their labors and their works do follow them."

NAMES.	Entered Itinerant Ministry.	Time of Death.	Place of Death.	Age.	Conference Relation.	Years in Traveling Ministry.
Lucien W. Berry . .	183[illegible]	June 23, '58	Cincinnati, O . .	43	Effective.	26
Robert Wilson. . . .	1849	July 8, '60	Versailles, Mo. .	58	Effective.	11
Benj. F Wilson . . .	1850	June 24, '65	Versailles, Mo. .	51	Superannuated .	15
Cyrus E. Carpenter .	1859	May 21, '67	Fairfield, Ia . . .	29	Superannuated .	8
Norman H. Mitchell.	1856	Sept. 14, '71	Holden, Mo. . . .	38	Effective.	15
James Lee	1851	Feb. 16, '73	Kansas City, Mo.	63	Superannuated .	20
George McKee. . . .	1856	April 2, '72	Little Rock, Ark.	41	Superannuated .	16
Nathan Jewett. . . .	1838	Sept. 13, '72	Bolivar, Mo . . .	61	Effective.	34
James A. Little . . .	1871	July 21, '74	Lebanon, Mo. . .	34	Effective.	3
John W. D. Ensey. .	1860	May 2, '75	Henry Co., Mo.. .	35	Superannuated .	15
Addison P. Colton. .	1866	May 17, '75	Mt. Jackson, Pa .	45	Superannuated .	9
John H. Lutz.	1873	Feb. 26, '77	Knob Noster, Mo.	27	Supernumerary..	4
John C. Berry	1870	April 19, '77	Des Moines, Ia. .	44	Superannuated .	7
Geo. W. Durment . .	1857	June 21, '79	Paoli, Ind.	41	Superannuated .	22
Wm. S. Hubbard. . .	1866	Aug. 21, '79	Urbana, Mo . . .	43	Effective.	12
Eli E. Condo.	1866	April 18, '80	Marshfield, Mo. .	39	Effective.	14
Chas. H. Woolley. .	1874	April 28, '80	Osceola, Mo . . .	34	Effective	6
John W. Acres . . .	1872	Sept. 19, '80	Lincoln, Mo . . .	54	Effective	8
John Garner	1854	Sept. 28, '80	Dennison, Texas.	54	Supernumerary..	26
Robert A. Foster . .	1848	Mar. 10, '81	Warrensburg, Mo	68	Superannuated .	33
Jasper B. Lee	1867	Jan. 19, '82	Farmington, Mo..	52	Effective	15
Jesse L. Walker. . .	1856	July 16, '82	Marionville, Mo..	51	Effective.	26
Jno. E. Morris	1867	April 30, '83	Zion, Mo	41	Supernumerary.	16
Green V. Houts . . .	1874	April 13, '84	Butler, Mo.. . . .	47	Effective	10
Samuel H. Mortland.	1855	Mar. 27, '85	Indep'dence, Mo.	49	Effective	30
Alonzo J. Clifford. .	1874	Dec. 3, '85	Kansas City, Mo.	39	Effective	11
Patterson McNutt. .	1858	Feb. 9, '86	Del Norte, Col. .	53	Effective	28
John W. Tally	1828	May 28, '86	Lonoke, Ark. . .	74	Superannuated .	58
Richard R. Pierce. . .	1866	Oct. 28, '86	Kansas City, Mo.	54	Effective	20
Chas. E. Evans. . . .	1884	July 29, '87	Conley Sp'gs, Mo.	33	Effective.	3
David Kivett	1882	Feb. 29, '88	Austin, Texas.. .	28	Effective	6
Arthur P. Sallaway .	1867	Dec. 22, '89	Tipton, Mo. . . .	62	Effective	22
Russell M. Morgan .	1847	Feb. 17, '90	Eureka S'gs, Ark.	81	Superannuated .	43
Aaron H. Heinlein .	1866	June 22, '90	Marionville, Mo..	52	Effective	24
Wm. DeMotte	1857	July 28, '90	Kansas City, Ks.	73	Superannuated .	33
Benj. St. James Fry.	1847	Feb. 5, '92	St. Louis, Mo. . .	68	Effective	45
John B. Jacobs . . .	1892	Aug. 23, '92	Webb City, Mo. ,	28	Probationer . . .	—
Jos. K. Tuttle	1838	Mar. 15, '93	Sedalia, Mo. . . .	76	Superannuated .	55
Anderson J. Gaither	1855	Jan. 10, '94	Kansas City, Mo.	86	Superannuated .	39

IN MEMORIAM—Continued

Robert I. Fleming	1886 Aug. 28, '94.	Seattle, Wash. .	34 Effective.....	8
Benj. F. Poole....	1875 Nov. 25, '04.	St. Louis, Mo...	43 Effective.....	19
Thos. M. Durham.	1872 July 30, '95.	Irwin, Mo.	49 Supernumerary	13
Roland Moffat. ..	1851 Aug. 27, '95.	Washburn, Mo. .	80 Superannuated.	44
Erastus A. Porter.	1872 Oct. 21, '95.	Rich Hill, Mo...	50 Superannuated.	23
Jas. W. Cowden..	1866 Aug. 23, '96.	Lebanon, Mo. ...	72 Superannuated.	30
W. G. Williams...	1876 April 16, '97	St. Louis, Mo....	44 Effective.....	20
William Jones. ..	1862 Jan. 1, '98..	Kansas City, Mo.	64 Effective.....	34
Francis Ballaine..	1880 Aug. 15, '98.	Horine, Mo.	65 Superannuated.	18
Jacob Miller.	1859 April 16, '99	Kelleysville, I. N.	73 Superannuated.	40
Cyrus Brough. ...	1878 May 8, '99..	St. Louis, Mo....	52 Superannuated.	21
Wm. M. Beatty...	1887 Sept. 17, '99.	Marshall, Mo. ...	51 Effective.....	12
Harry M. Hackney	1875 Dec. 3, '99..	Ashland, Neb. ..	50 Superannuated.	24
Jas. H. Vaughan..	1859 April 15, '00	St. Clair Co., Mo.	80 Superannuated.	41
Jas. B. Daniel....	1867 Aug. 28, '00.	Sedalia, Mo.	65 Superannuated.	33
Albert Jump.	1877 Jan. 5, '01..	Holden, Mo.	60 Effective.....	24
Clark B. Beaty...	1876 May 9, '02..	Buffalo, Mo. ...	52 Superannuated.	16
Isaac Entwisle. ..	1866 July 30, '02.	Indianapolis, Ind.	78 Superannuated.	36
Stanford Ing.	1858 Nov. 11, '84.	Thomsonville, Ill.	84 Superannuated.	46
Benj. F. January..	1880 Nov. 15, '04.	Dixon, Mo.	71 Effective.....	24
Theo. S. Benefiel.	1866 Aug. 28, '05.	Lamar, Mo.	77 Superannuated.	39
Alanson Barber. ..	1865 Mar. 27, '06.	Baxter Spgs, Ks.	72 Superannuated.	41
Levi W. Munsell..	1841 April 24, '06	Peggy, Mo.	88 Superannuated.	21
George P. Miller..	1889 May 7, '06..	Tipton, Mo.	52 Effective.....	16
Milton B. Wood..	1867 Feb. 15, '07.	Cal.	66 Superannuated.	16
Wm. V. Hamel....	1878 Mar. 30, '07.	Clinton, Mo.	49 Effective.....	29
Jas. F. Corrington.	1873 Sept. 5, '07..	Chautauqua, Ill..	67 Supernumerary	35
Wm. O. Turrentine	1896 Feb. 16, '08.	Greenfield, Mo. .	33 Effective.....	12
Noble H. Buck....	1870 Sept. 29, '08.	Tulsa, Okla.	73 Superannuated.	38
Willshire R. Peters	1891 June 2, '08..	Springfield, Mo..	43 Effective.....	16
J. B. Van Petten.	1852 Oct. 31, '08.	Cazenovia, N. Y..	81 Superannuated.	42
Edw. H. Baird....	1859 Aug. 31, '09.	Marionville, Mo..	77 Superannuated.	50
Geo. W. Hughey..	1850 Oct. 5, '09..	Galena, Mo.	77 Superannuated.	59
Chas. A. Mitchell.	1896 Feb. 21, '10.	Cherokee, Okla. .	49 Supernumerary	14
Wesley M. Creamer	1873 July 14, '09.	Fredonia, Kans..	66 Superannuated.	31
Lewis R. Carpenter	1874 June 16, '10.	Baldwin, Kans..	76 Superannuated.	11
Henry G. Mais....	1892 Aug. 27, '10.	Independ'ce, Mo.	47 Effective.....	18
Leander Hallock..	1854 Dec. 7, '10..	St. Louis, Mo....	70 Superannuated.	38
Geo. H. Gideon...	1878 Jan. 25, '11.	DeSoto, Mo.	62 Superannuated.	31
Enoch J. Hunt....	1878 Mar. 10, '11.	Carthage, Mo. ..	56 Effective.....	33
Geo. A. Glens....	1885 June 7, '11..	Kansas City, Mo.	59 Superannuated.	22
F. L. Thompson...	1885 April 26, '12.	E. Orange, N. J..	50 Effective.....	27
John Welch.	1858 July 6, '12..	Wichita, Kans. .	86 Superannuated.	33
John W. Finley...	1869 Oct. 20, '12.	Perry, Okla.	73 Superannuated.	31
Aaron H. Miller..	1873 Dec. 14, '12.	St. Louis, Mo....	68 Superannuated.	26
Thomas H. Knease	1872 Jan. 8, '13..	Seymour, Mo. ...	80 Superannuated.	20

REV. JOHN WESLEY FINLEY.

Rev. John Wesley Finley was born January 20, 1838, in Concord, Franklin County, Pa. He was the son of Robert and Sophia Finley. The father was of Scotch-Irish descent, the mother of Friend descent. In boyhood and early manhood he worked on farms, and in the mountains cutting tan-bark, in the tan factory and saw mills. Under many difficulties, he qualified to teach in the public and graded schools; spent several terms as a student in the Loysville Academy; after which he taught school in Perry, Cumberland and Clarion counties, Pa. He came to Missouri in May, 1868, traveled Lamar Circuit as supply under Rev. Jesse L. Walker, P. E., and received into the M. E. Church that year seventy-three members, mostly converted in meetings he held. He was admitted on trial in the St. Louis Conference at the first session after its formation from the Missouri and Arkansas Conference, 1869; admitted in full and ordained deacon, 1871, and ordained elder, 1873. He served the following appointments: 1869, Poplar Bluff; 1870-71, Pilot Knob and Ironton; 1872, Marble Hill; 1873-74, Patterson; 1874-75, Ironton; 1876, Clinton Circuit; 1877-79, Warsaw; 1880, Supernumerary; 1881, Bolivar; 1882, Humansville; 1883, Cassville; 1884-85, Supernumerary; 1885, supplied Oronogo; 1886-87, Sheldon; 1888-90, Green Ridge; 1891-92, Knob Noster; 1893, Schell City; 1894-96, Tipton; 1897-99, El Dorado Springs; 1900, Eldon; 1901, Supernumerary; 1902-03, Windsor and Leeton. In 1904, as the result of severe exposure, his health was impaired and he was superannuated.

He was the last surviving member of his parents' family of nine children, six boys and three girls. He was married to Miss Nannie Morgan, daughter of the late Rev. Russell M. Morgan, October 19, 1870, in Perryville, Perry County, Mo. They lived together one day over forty-two years. To this union were born one boy and one girl. The daughter, Alberta, died in early infancy. The son survives.

In temperament he was modest, almost to extreme; unassuming, never pressing for preferment, never resentful if disappointed; took the work assigned and looked faithfully after the various interests. In his work he was effectively aided by the untiring labors of a wife who has done her full part. Only good words come from those who had best opportunity to know him. His last months were months of intense and long continued suffering, with no hope of relief. Through all he gave continual evidence that the faith he had preached to others was his own comfort and stay. His only anxiety was for the wife he was leaving. Resolutions of sympathy were sent by the Methodist Ministers' Meeting of Greater Kansas City, both before and after his decease. His death occurred at Perry, Oklahoma, October 20, 1912. At his request interment was at El Dorado Springs. The funeral, held in the M. E. Church at that place, was attended

largely by those who had known him in his pastorate and later residence there.

REV. THOMAS H. KNEASE.

The subject of this sketch was born in Greenbriar County, Va., May 2, 1833, and departed this life at his home in Seymour, Mo., January 8, 1913. While living in the state of Illinois on June 28, 1857, he was married to Mary A. Lane, they walking together in happy union for nearly fifty-six years.

To them were born two children, both of whom died in infancy. After that they took two orphaned children, kindly caring for them until they were grown.

Soon after their marriage they were both converted and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church.

When yet comparatively young Brother Knease entered the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, giving the rest of his life wholly to the same. It seems that for a while he traveled as a supply in the state of Arkansas. He was admitted on trial into the St. Louis Conference in 1872, and the next year transferred to the Arkansas Conference, where, after spending ten years, in 1883, he was transferred back to the St. Louis Conference.

In 1892 he was granted the superannuate relation in the Conference, and after spending a few years at Strafford, Mo., the place of his last appointment from the Conference, he went to Seymour, Mo., and by industry and economy secured a comfortable home. There, with the sweet companionship of the wife of his young manhood and the good will of all who knew him, he spent happily the years until at the age of nearly eighty, after a brief illness, he died in great peace. Some hours before his departure, after bidding Sister Knease farewell, he made the effort to sing, "When the Roll Is Called up Yonder."

During the earlier years, after locating at Seymour, Mo., he did much preaching in and around Seymour, and other places. But as he grew older his labors were curtailed as to distance, it seems, with regret. But still he was kept busy. He conducted many funerals, married many couples, did all he could to make the Sunday school and prayer meeting a success, filling the pulpit when the pastor was away, and was always a friend to the pastor.

Brother Knease was a faithful minister of the gospel, and nearly two thousand persons were converted during his ministry, and he received nearly as many into the church. Eternity alone can tell the good that such a man as Thomas H. Knease has done.

REV. AARON H. MILLER.

The Rev. Aaron H. Miller was born near Harmony, Butler County, Pa., October 17, 1844. He died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles F. Neidringhaus, in St. Louis, Mo., December 14, 1912.

The boy whose life was to be influential in two great cities in the ministry of Jesus Christ was born in a rural community and trained in a Christian home. At the age of seventeen years he entered the Union army and served his country as a solider for one year and nine months. After a siege of typhoid fever lasting six months he was honorably discharged from his country's service. But, like many others of his day, he lost largely in educational advantage. With his high appreciation of what the necessary equipment for an efficient ministry should be, his lack of advantage caused him to hesitate about entering the work for which he felt himself called.

In the spring of 1869, the Rev. George Orbin was appointed pastor of the Harmony charge, Butler County, Pa. Here he found A. H. Miller conducting a flouring mill. The man Miller was capable, talented, Christian through and through. He was also a good miller and making a good living for his wife and three small children. This pastor discovered in this Miller, the manager of the mill, abilities too valuable to be used even in this honorable industry. He urged that Brother Miller should leave all and enter the ministry of Jesus Christ. He prevailed. Conviction and duty had the supremacy in the heart of a great and good man who otherwise might have made for himself and family a fortune in the things of this world. Like many others, he left all and followed Jesus.

After making what preparation he could, in the spring of 1873 he was admitted on trial in the Pittsburgh Conference, and appointed to the Murraysville and Sardis charge. He served this, his first charge, two years. He was then appointed to city missions, Pittsburgh, and served in this capacity for four years. Thus was begun his memorable career as a city missionary and a city pastor. In 1879 he was stationed at Liberty Street and served the charge three years. He was then appointed to Fifth Avenue and served three years, making ten years of continuous service in the city of Pittsburgh. His last appointment in the Pittsburgh Conference was Beaver Falls, where he served four years, until the fall of 1889, when he was transferred to the St. Louis Conference.

His work in the Pittsburgh Conference was honorable and successful. He, together with the Rev. John A. Danks, and the Rev. George Orbin, became famous throughout the state as the Pittsburgh Conference trio of singers. They were in great demand at conferences, camp meetings, Sunday School conventions and other great gatherings of people. Those of us who were in the St. Louis Conference ten years ago remember the splendid compass, marvelous

sweetness, pathos and power of Brother Miller's voice. It seems to me that the angels in heaven will rejoice to hear him sing:

"And can it be that I should gain
An interest in the Savior's blood?
Died he for me who caused his pain?
For me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be,
That thou, my Lord, shouldst die for me?"

In September, 1889, Brother Miller was transferred to the St. Louis Conference and put in charge of Neidringhaus Memorial. The building was large, with many of the necessary appointments for an institutional church. It was located in the very heart of the down town section of St. Louis, and belonged to the Neidringhaus Stamping Co. Into this swirl of city life and city poverty and need, Brother Miller came in September, and by Christmas time he had more than one thousand scholars enrolled in the Sunday School. The various Methodist Episcopal Churches of the city co-operated in the work, furnishing teachers for the classes in the institutional work and in the Sunday School. Many were converted and given a new start in life. Only the final reckoning in the other world can determine the full value of the work done by this devoted man in this mission church.

Later, when the Neidringhaus Stamping Company moved its works to Granite City, Ill., Brother Miller went with them. Here he built another church and established a permanent work. He continued in the work at Granite City until 1896, when he retired from active work and took the superannuated relation to the conference. After his superannuation he continued to do supply work in various churches in the city of St. Louis. His love for his Master kept him doing service as long as his health would at all permit. He loved to preach the gospel, he loved to sing the gospel, he loved to be with those who loved the gospel of Jesus Christ.

About three years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis. He recovered quite fully from the effects of this, but other complications arose, gradually weakening his strong constitution. Through his declining health he was brave and hopeful, always trusting his Lord. He met the end triumphantly. During his last days he quoted often from favorite scripture texts, and from hymns he had so loved to sing. As the end approached, he dictated certain messages to his son, Clarence, for absent relatives. In a moment of spiritual illumination he said: "In this my hour of seeming dissolution, I trust fully in the world's Redeemer." He then quoted from the hymn:

"There is a land of pure delight,
Where saints immortal reign,
There infinite day excludes the night
And pleasures banish pain."

"He giveth his beloved sleep" was on his lips among his last utterances. Thus passed this victorious soul into the presence of his Master. "Servant of God, well done; thy glorious warfare passed; the battle's fought, the victory won, and thou are crowned at last."

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. H. Lichliter, the pastor of the family. Bishop Charles W. Smith, who had stood with him in his hour of bereavement when he lost the companion of his youth thirty-four years ago, was present at the funeral and made the principal address, greatly to the comfort of the family. He was greatly comforted and refreshed by a visit from the bishop the Sunday before his death. W. T. Wright, district superintendent of the St. Louis District, spoke words of appreciation and of his memory of Brother Miller in his work in the St. Louis Conference. Dr. Lichliter closed the service with tender words of comfort and hope.

He was laid to rest in beautiful Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis, Mo.

FAYETTE L. THOMPSON.

Since our Memorial Service one year ago, a prince among men and a prince among preachers has fallen. He was with us as a brother beloved; now we see him not, for God has taken him.

The Rev. Fayette Thompson was born at Linden, Michigan, February 12, 1862. He died at the home of Dr. Thomas Nicholson, East Orange, New Jersey, April 26, 1912. Thus he was given to the world a few brief days more than fifty years. He was born in a Christian home and his child life was carefully guarded and trained by Christian parents. His father still lingers in the Michigan home at the age of eighty-nine years. His mother passed on before to the better land.

The boy whose life was to be of such value to the Church and the world was converted in a revival meeting under the ministry of Rev. O. Sanburn. This was the hour of personal consecration so essential and so influential in every devoted Christian life, but may we not confidently believe that even before this he knew not aught but God? Here was the beginning of an expression of God in Christ, of God in man, that continued until the world heard his voice. He was educated at the schools in Fenton, at Northwestern University, and at Garrett Biblical Institute. He graduated from these institutions with honor. While a student in Garrett he was engaged in mission work in Chicago, and at this time became deeply interested in what we call "the city problem." No man knew the deep, dark lines of city life better than he, and no man worked at the overwhelming task with clearer vision than he.

He was a member of the Michigan Conference for twenty-one

years and in active service in that conference twenty years. He did two years of supply work before joining the conference. One year, 1883, at Spring Lake, and one year, 1884, at Grandville. At Grandville one of the most difficult debts of the Michigan Conference was paid. In 1885 he joined the conference and was appointed to Hanover. In 1886 he was appointed to Big Rapids, having been sought for the pastorate of that important church at a time of great need. It is said that he was one of the youngest men ever appointed to so large a responsibility. He served the charge three years. From 1889 to 1891 he was pastor at Nanistee. Here his health broke and he took a supernumerary relation . After a few months he became supply pastor at Harriman, Tenn., and finished out the year. In 1892 he was back in his conference again and appointed to Petoskey Here he served three years. He greatly enjoyed his pastorates in northern Michigan, where he was held in highest esteem and affec tion. The great incoming tide of strong life appealed to him. He threw himself without reserve into its activities and worked for the good. Nature endowed him with vast reserve and recuperative force. Up to the limit he gave all and was replenished as God saw his need. He loved northern Michigan. He preached and lectured in that part of the conference until he became a familiar figure. Laymen and ministers, especially the younger ministers, of this section were in his heart until the end.

From 1895 until 1899 he was pastor at Central Church, Lansing, and from 1899 to 1902, at First Church, Jackson. These two great churches found him an efficient and inspiring leader. During his years in the Michigan Conference he was one of its useful, influential and beloved members. In 1900 he was elected to the General Conference and served with honor and distinction in that body. In 1902 he left the Michigan Conference and was thereafter a member in succession of the Upper Iowa Conference, the Northern Minnesota Conference and the St. Louis Conference.

From 1902 to 1905 he was pastor of St. John's Church, Davenport, Iowa. He was transferred and appointed to this pastorate with the hope that under his leadership a new church building would be erected worthy of the church organization and of the city. How graciously he worked and how magnificently he succeeded are matters of record. It has been fittingly said: "With all honor to many devoted men and women who loyally stood by the church and held up his hands, it is simply the truth that the whole building at Davenport stands as his monument." At the Central Conference in Minneapolis, after the reading of his memoir, Bishop Warren said: "When Dr. Thompson was building our largest and finest church in Iowa, in Davenport, I was asked to be there on one occasion concerning the finances. To my amazement, after the service, he said: 'Brethren, we need so much money this morning for this great ser-

vice. Please come forward now or at the close of the service and deposit it upon God's altar.' That was all—no exhortation, no frantic appeals. Men had been so inspired by his example that that was all that was necessary. His love for the people of Davenport was an undying love. When he knew that the evening shadows were falling across his pathway, it was his desire that he should be taken to Davenport for burial. And there, where his life is enshrined in the love of the people, his body rests in soil made sacred by his own victorious achievement."

From 1905 to 1907 he was pastor at Hennepein Avenue Church, Minneapolis, Northern Minnesota Conference. Here his pastorate was greatly appreciated and his ministry fruitful.

From 1907 to 1909 he was pastor of Lindell Avenue Church, St. Louis. Here, as in other pastorates, he gave himself without reserve to his church and to the city. His correspondence was large; he made special addresses in the different churches of the city; he preached great sermons to his own people. There were no plans for a larger Methodism in St. Louis that did not have his sympathy and help. He was unselfish. He loved Methodism. He was deeply solicitous for the honor of his denomination in the city where he lived. He held none of the fine fiber of his noble life back from the altar. His courage was equal to the emergency. No truer life has passed the threshold of our conference, or gone from us to celestial crowning. His life and work and love in Lindell Avenue Church will not soon be forgotten.

He was present and had large part in the organization of the Methodist Brotherhood. The movement became a part of his life. As the Brotherhood grew in the various denominations of the Protestant Church it bulked large before him as God's chosen means of vitalization for professing Christian men. He appreciated the tremendous possibilities of such an organization in social activities and service for men. His consecration to the work, and his prophetic vision of its future magnitude, were known to Brotherhood leaders of the Methodist Episcopal Church. In the spring of 1909 the call became clear and distinct that he should become General Secretary of the movement. It was accepted by him as a call from God as well as a call from the church. He wrote letters, made plans, prepared literature emphasizing various phases of Brotherhood work. He traveled, lectured, preached, in fact, worked day and night for his beloved cause. When the malady of twenty years seized him with a fatal grip and he knew he was entering the shadows, he would rest a little and then work on. Mr. Fred E. Tasker, President of the Board of Managers of the Methodist Brotherhood, in his memoir read in the memorial service in the General Conference, said: "I wish I could portray to you the unremitting zeal, the

fortitude, tact and wisdom, and the leaseless devotion of those two years." "He increased the number of chapters of the Methodist Brotherhood several hundred, so that they now number about 1,250. He interested thousands of new men in the objects and principles of the brotherhood. He introduced plans which healed some of the financial troubles of the brotherhood, and laid the foundation of a better future development." He was one of the foremost leaders and promoters of the Men and Religion Forward Movement. When the movement was being launched at the Buffalo Conference, with seventy-five cities and a dozen denominational brotherhoods represented, he was chosen to make the opening address, outlining the program of the movement. He was made Associate Campaign Leader with Mr. Fred B. Smith and became one of the most popular speakers of the movement at great international gatherings as well as in the churches of our own denomination.

Dr. Thompson was a man of superior intelligence and a careful student. He was given the degree of Doctor of Divinity by Upper Iowa University. He was three times in Europe and became intimately acquainted with many of the leading Christian workers. He was a good preacher and a lecturer of unusual attractiveness. He was a good shepherd of the flock. He loved to serve others. Service was rendered not as a duty; it was his delight. He loved his church and his brethren in the ministry. He had a high sense of honor and never stooped to do any little or unworthy thing. "He poured out the full resources of a splendid manhood for his God, his country and humanity. He faced death with perfect confidence in the Lord and Saviour whom he had served."

The funeral services at East Orange were held April 26, and were conducted by Rev. D. Frank Mason North. The funeral services at Davenport, Iowa, were in charge of Rev. Dr. Thomas Nicholson, corresponding secretary of the board of education. Dr. Thompson's favorite hymn, "We May Not Climb the Heavenly Steeps," was sung. Rev. Dr. Frank Cole, pastor of the church, offered prayer at the church and at the house. Dr. William Wirt King, pastor of the Lindell Avenue church, St. Louis, read resolutions adopted by a St. Louis club of ministers to which Dr. Thompson had belonged, and resolutions adopted by Lindell Avenue church. Rev. W. M. Puffer, Rev. Dr. A. E. Craig, president of Morningside College, and Rev. Dr. Thomas Nicholson, all conference associates for years and intimate friends of Dr. Thompson from early manhood, delivered addresses. F. E. Tasker of New York, president of the Methodist Brotherhood and chairman of the committee of preliminary promotion of the Men and Religion Forward Movement. The funeral addresses were by friends who had known his heart and life, and were appreciative tributes. His body was buried in the beautiful cemetery at Davenport.

REV. JOHN WELCH.

Rev. John Welch was born in Whitchurch, England, September 10, 1826. He says, "I was born again in August, 1844. I received my first ticket as a member on trial in the Wesleyan Methodist Society, November 25, 1844. On a plan for the circuit for 1845 and 1846 my name appeared as an exhorter, and my first appointment was for November 3, 1845." Opposed by some of his relations, but believing it divinely indicated, he came to the United States, bearing from the superintendent of the Whitchurch circuit a certificate of membership and of his official relation, dated March 31, 1846, which, he says, was recognized August 20, 1846, by Rev. B. Holmes, Presiding Elder of the Syracuse District, Black River Conference. His first license to preach in the Methodist Episcopal Church was given at Weedsport, N. Y., March 20, 1847, and signed by G. Baker, Presiding Elder. He attended school at Weedsport and the Falley Seminary, New York, for two years. He then came west and commenced teaching in Maysville, Ky., but was prostrated by cholera. After recovery he taught in Ripley, Ohio. From January, 1850, he was junior preacher with Rev. Wm. I. Fee, for nine months on West Union Circuit. From this circuit he was recommended to the Ohio Conference for admission to the Traveling Connection on trial, but did not enter. He taught select school in Georgetown, Ohio, where he was married to Miss Mary McConly Bailey, daughter of Geo. B. Bailey, M. D. He was admitted on trial in the Southeast Indiana Conference in 1853 and appointed to St. Omer, 1854; Westport, 1855; in 1856, removed to Iowa, but did not travel till 1859, when he was on the Indianapolis Curcuit, Iowa Conference; 1860-61, Peoria Circuit; 1862, Sailorville; 1863, Greencastle; 1864, Centerville, till April 1, 1865. Transferred to Missouri and Arkansas Conference, and in 1865-66, at Edina; 1867, La Grange. In 1868 the St. Louis Conference was formed and he came to it. Here he served from 1868 to 1870, Linn Creek; 1871, Washington; 1872, Versailles; 1873, Osage Mission; 1874, Urbana; 1875-1876, Oronogo; 1877, Seneca; 1878-79, Supernumerary, and since 1880, Superannuated.

His death occurred July 6th, 1912, and he was buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery at Wichita, Kansas.

IN MEMORIAM.

In answer to the summons of her Lord, Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Jones, wife of Dr. Samuel Jones, a devoted Christian and faithful servant of the Master, took her departure to the heavenly mansions on February 21, 1913.

Sister Jones was born in Nicholas County, West Virginia, March 7, 1837. In 1870 she removed with her parents to Missouri. She was converted at an early age at a Methodist altar but joined the Presbyterian church with her first husband.

Her presence here shall not be soon forgotten. The crown of a man is the wife who has the will and grace to sympathize with him and to be a companion of his years and a helper in his joys. Sister Jones came into the life of her husband late in years. She married Dr. Jones October 15, 1907. But there was a vitality of Christian fruition and fullness of love in the Master that bound them together during the few years in which they walked the path hand in hand. Sister Jones was a member of the First M. E. Church in Clinton, Mo., having transferred her membership from the church at Huntingdale where, with her former husband, she had joined the church under the ministry of the man whom she afterwards accepted as her husband.

Sister Jones was ready for the glorification experience. A patient sufferer from the necessarily slow disease of tuberculosis of the bones, she bore bravely and left the impress of Christian fortitude and vital faith on the minds of all who touched her home in the last few years of her earthly career. When the sunset came and the evening bell sounded at the twilight hour she was ready to place her hand in the hand of her Master and sweep through the gates into the city washed in the blood of the Lamb.

Sister Jones was buried in the quiet cemetery near Huntingdale, the services being conducted by her pastor, assisted by the Rev. R. O. Williams of the Huntingdale charge.

MRS. GEORGE F. BUNDY.

Inez V. Green was born at Patoka, Indiana, August 5, 1879, and lived a beautiful home-loving life until the time of her death, February 12, 1912.

She was united in marriage with Rev. George F. Bundy in October, 1902. To this union were born four children. These, with her companion, her mother, three brothers and three step-children, survive her.

From childhood she had lived a sweet, consistent Christian life. For some time our sister felt the need of physical treatment that she might more fully meet the opportunities of service. A simple operation was most performed by a conscientious physician. In a most unexpected manner her heart gave way during the reaction from the anaesthetics. She seemed to realize that she was nearing the end and left the beautiful testimony that she was going home. The writer, assisted by a large number of pastors of the district, conducted the service. Interment took place at Patoka, Indiana.

DEAN C. DUTTON.

MRS. JANUARY.

Margaret Elizabeth Brown was born of Scotch-Irish parentage near Harrisburg, Pa., April 1, 1833. Her early training was in accord with the strict rules of the old Scotch Presbyterian Church. However, she was never a member of that church herself. In the fourth year of her life her parents moved to Warren County, Ohio, where the greater part of her life was spent. Here she grew to womanhood where she endeared herself to many friends. Several years were spent in teaching in the public schools of Franklin, Ohio, and other neighboring towns. At about sixteen or eighteen she united with the Methodist Episcopal Church at Franklin, where she remained a faithful member until 1875, when she was united in marriage to B. F. January, then in the Methodist itineracy in Ohio. In 1880 she came with her husband to Missouri, where he joined the St. Louis Conference, and was always at his side in his work, ready to encourage and help whenever possible. In later years Sister January's hearing failed so as to render her unfit for great service, but she never failed in her morning devotions, reading the scripture and meditating thereon. She was well posted in all church doctrines and usages concerning her church. She believed in the Methodist Church. Had been a constant reader of the Central Christian Advocate for thirty-two years. She was the oldest of five children, one sister and three brothers, all of whom had preceded her to the other world. In 1904, she came to Dixon, Brother January having been sent here by the conference. He died in November that same year, leaving Sister January and her daughters, Miss Ida and Mrs. Cora J. Wilson. For several months her health had been failing, though she was not confined to her home until about the middle of August. Since that time her faithful daughter was constantly at her side. At Christmas time she grew rapidly worse until on January 8, she peacefully passed away. Although she was unable to talk or see at the last, her life had been one of service for the Master and He could well say "It is enough, come up higher."

Sister January is survived by two daughters, Ida and Cora, and two grandchildren, Maurice J. Wilson and Maurine May Wilson, and legions of friends and acquaintances she had made during her service in the St. Louis Conference.

SESSIONS OF THE ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

At the General Conference held in Chicago, May, 1868, upon the division of Missouri and Arkansas Conference, the St. Louis Conference was constituted, embracing the State of Arkansas, and that part of Missouri lying south of the Missouri river. At the General Conference held at Brooklyn May, 1872, the St. Louis Conference was divided, and the State of Arkansas taken from its territory, with 17 full members, and constituted the Arkansas Conference. At the General Conference held in Philadelphia, 1884, the colored members of the St. Louis and Missouri Conferences were authorized to organize a separate Conference, which action was consummated at the session of the St. Louis Conference held at Warrensburg, March, 1886, by the organization of the Central Missouri Conference, taking 27 full members from St. Louis Conference. The following table, compiled from the "Minutes," gives some of the items of each session since its organization:

	TIME.	PLACE.	BISHOP.	SECRETARY.	STATISTICAL SECRETARY.	TREASURER.	Rec. on Trial.	Rec. in full.	Rec. by Re-ad Transfer, etc.	Ordained Deacons. *	Ordained Elders.*	Located.	Withdrawn.	Transferred.	Discontin'd.	Deaths.	Lay Members. †	Benevolences. ‡
1	1869, March 10	Sedalia	Janes	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		7	8	4	3	7	..	1	..	3	..	11,659	$ 2,610
2	1870, March 9	Springfield	Clark	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		27	9	2	5	12	3	..	4	3	..	11,081	3,012
3	1871, March 8	Trinity, St. L.	Ames	L. M. Vernon	S. Alexander		29	9	8	5	4	4	..	4	5	1	11,821	2,658
4	1872, Feb'y 28	Kansas City	Scott	Wm. Stephens	S. Alexander		22	20	10	17	6	2	1	3	5	2	12,901	2,828
5	1873, March 5	Central, St. L.	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		13	13	4	10	1	3	2	5	8	3	14,140	3,456
6	1874, March 4	Warrensburg	Andrews	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	10	8	9	11	5	..	9	1	..	14,101	2,921
7	1875, March 17	Carthage	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		5	9	3	5	7	2	..	7	4	1	14,449	2,818
8	1876, March 29	Sedalia	Peck	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		4	11	4	10	10	4	1	8	3	2	13,346	2,702
9	1877, March 21	Union, St. L.	Simpson	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		6	4	3	3	6	3	..	4	2	1	12,512	4,078
10	1878, March 20	Kansas City	Bowman	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K. Lunbeck		11	2	4	2	6	3	1	3	1	1	12,676	3,579
11	1879, March 26	Springfield	Wiley	Wm. Stephens	I. J. K, Lunbeck		4	5	3	4	6	2	..	3	1	..	12,663	3,573
12	1880, March 17	Sedalia	Foster	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		10	12	6	11	3	..	1	8	...	2	13,727	3,483
13	1881, March 31	Carthage	Hurst	O. M. Stewart	I. J. K. Lunbeck		14	4	4	4	5	2	..	2	1	5	14,390	4,297
14	1882, March 29	Central, St. L.	Warren	A. H. Parker	I. J. K. Lunbeck		9	6	6	4	9	4	..	9	1	2	15,044	6,048
15	1883, March 14	Clinton	Andrews	F. S. Beggs	C. J. W. Jones		6	10	7	5	2	4	2	4	3	1	15,357	5,913
16	1884, March 12	Kansas City	Foss	J. F. Corrington	C. S. Revelle		6	3	10	3	5	1	..	6	2	1	15,419	8,389
17	1885, March 26	Lebanon	Fowler	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		5	6	10	3	7	1	1	10	1	2	15,627	8,366
18	1886, March 25	Warrensburg	Harris	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle		15	2	10	2	3	2	2	7	2	3	16,809	14,870
19	1887, March 17	Lamar	Mallalieu	H. R. Miller	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	9	1	4	1	6	1	..	6	2	2	18,998	14,272
20	1888, March 21	Sedalia	Walden	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	Wm. Stephens	8	6	7	5	1	1	..	6	...	2	19,264	17,220
21	1889, March 13	Peirce City	Warren	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	7	10	8	8	2	2	..	5	3	..	21,572	17,965
22	1890, March 19	Rolla	Joyce	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	14	5	6	3	5	1	..	4	1	2	21,762	27,474
23	1891, March 18	Springfield	Vincent	Wm. Stephens	C. S. Revelle	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	7	5	4	7	..	1	..	1	2	23,451	18,870
24	1892, March 16	Carthage	Newman	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	10	11	6	6	..	1	8	...	1	24,481	19,316
25	1893, March 15	Butler	Fowler	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	12	9	8	7	1	1	10	2	2	25,489	21,454
26	1894, March 14	Lebanon	Merrill	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	5	4	6	3	6	3	1	14	1	1	26,402	16,489
27	1895, March 13	West Plains	Foster	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	17	4	10	4	7	1	..	6	1	2	30,061	16,112
28	1896, March 18	Sedalia	Goodsell	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	11	9	5	6	7	..	1	8	1	3	31,748	17,789
29	1897, March 10	Nevada	Cranston	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	12	9	6	9	5	2	..	5	5	1	32,245	14,993
30	1898, March 9	Springfield	McCabe	Wm. Stephens	I. M. Galbraith	I. J. K. Lunbeck	10	11	11	9	2	1	..	4	1	2	32,740	16,644
31	1899, March 15	Union, St. L.	Hurst	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	7	7	5	8	1	2	11	...	1	32,390	16,809
32	1900, March 21	Indp. Av. K.C.	FitzGerald	Wm. Stephens	L. E. Gower	I. J. K. Lunbeck	8	8	9	7	5	1	1	12	3	4	31,796	17,666

*These ordinations do not include Local Preachers nor those on trial. †Includes Probationers and only the WHITE membership within our present bounds. ‡Does not include for Conference Claimants or for Bible Society, nor the item "Other Collections."

SESSIONS OF ST. LOUIS ANNUAL CONFERENCE---Continued.

	TIME	PLACE	BISHOP	SECRETARY	STATISTICAL SECRETARY	TREASURER	Rec. on Trial	Rec. in Full	Rec. by Re-ad. Transfers, etc.	Ordained Deacons	Ordained Elders*	Located	Withdrawn	Transferred	Discontinued	Deaths	Lay Members*	Benevolence
33	1901, March 20..	Bolivar.	Andrews. . . .	Wm. Stephens . . .	L. E. Gower.	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	6	3	11	3	6	3	...	20	2	3	32,338	18,815
34	1902, March 26..	Butler	Warren.	Wm. Stephens . . .	Perry E. Pierce. . .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	8	8	9	7	4	...	...	17	1	...	32,573	22,189
35	1903, March 25..	Marshall	Hamilton . . .	Wm. Stephens . . .	Perry E. Pierce. . .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	5	8	10	6	2	...	...	10	1	2	30,025	26,025
36	1904, March 23..	Carthage.	Walden	Wm. Stephens . . .	Perry E. Pierce. . .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	12	4	10	3	3	3	1	9	1	...	33,882	27,259
37	1905, March 22..	Farmington.	McDowell. . .	Wm. Stephens . . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	12	5	8	2	11	2	1	14	2	2	34,350	29,940
38	1906, March 29..	Joplin.	FitzGerald . .	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	8	10	10	11	3	...	...	12	3	2	36,432	32,567
39	1907, March 20..	Clinton.	Wilson	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	16	7	16	6	3	1	1	8	2	3	36,407	46,832
40	1908, March 18..	Springfield.	Warren.	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	17	7	11	7	11	...	5	14	1	3	37,503	34,714
41	1909, March 17..	Sedalia	Anderson . . .	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	I. J. K. Lunbeck. .	13	11	16	10	6	...	1	21	1	3	37,799	32,463
42	1910, March 30..	ElDorado Spgs. . .	Lewis	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	Frederick Getty. . .	8	11	11	10	6	1	5	16	5	3	39,711	43,272
43	1911, March 22..	Mountain Grove. . .	Quayle	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	Frederick Getty. . .	8	7	25	6	4	2	1	26	1	6	40,112	52,017
44	1912, March 20..	Kansas City	Quayle	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	Frederick Getty. . .	15	8	11	12	3	4	...	14	2	1	38,938	49,975
45	1913, March 26..	Carthage.	Smith.	Perry E. Pierce. . .	Wm. D. Sidman. .	Frederick Getty. . .	9	10	9	7	...	...	...	13	2	6	43,040	50,145

PASTORAL RECORD

(Including 1912.)

This record is intended to include only the appointments during membership in Conference, and not those as supplies.

Anderson, E. P.—1888-'91, Marshall; '92-'96, St. L. Carondelet; '97-'99, Nevada, '00-'05, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '06-'10 (in part) St. L., Dr. Fry memorial; '10-'12, D. S., K. C. Dist.

Anderson, Laban—M. E. Ch. So.; St. L. Conf. M. E. Ch., 1904, Montrose; '05, Deepwater; '06, Huntingdale; '07, '08, Dresden; '09-'11, Pilot Grove; '12, Centerview.

Ashley, John—St. L. Conf. 1884-'86, Osceola; '87, Butler; '88, '89, Sedalia, Montgomery Ct.; '90, '91, Lebanon; '92, '93, Lamar; '94-'96, Greenfield; '97, Golden City; '98, Lebanon Ct.; '99, Seneca, '00-'02, Bloomfield; '03, Pacific, '04-'08, Sup'ry.; '09, Willow Springs; '10-'12, Sup'ry.

Bainbridge, James T.—Ark. Conf., 1889, '90, Judsonia; '01, Harrison; '02, '03, Bentonville; '04, '05, Russellville; '06-'08, Stuttgart; '09, Little Rock, Frank Lynn Ch.; '10, (in part) S. S. Mis'ry for Ark. Conf.; St. Louis Conf., '10-'12, K. C., Maywood.

Baker, W. F.—1880, Walnut; '81-83, East Lynne; '84-86, Holden Ct.; '87-'90, Butler Ct.; '91-'95, Austin; '96-'97, Odessa; '98-'00, Oak Grove; '01, Belton, '02-'03, Rockville; '04, Deepwater; '05, '06, Butler Ct.; '07, Amsterdam; '08-'10, High Point; '12, Odessa and Aulville.

Baker, William Frank—1904, Garden City; '05-'06, Iberia; '07, Conway; '08-'10, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '11, Joplin, Epworth; '12, Carterville.

Ball, A. D.—1891-'93, Pacific; '94-'98, Rolla; '99, DeSoto; '00-'05, P. E. Farmington Dist.; '06, St. L., St. Luke; '07-'10, Wagoner Memorial; '11, '12, Bowman.

Beard, Geo. T.—1907-'08, Rockville; '09, Dresden; '10, '11, Huntingdale; '12, Green Ridge.

Beard, John L.—M. E. Church, S———; M. E. Church, St. L. Conf.; 1912, Licking.

Beggs, F. S.—1859, '60, Bloomfield; '61, DeSoto; '62, Rolla; '63, '64, Maryville; '65, Empire; '66, Oregon; '67, '68, Cape Girardeau; '69, '70, Warrensburg; '71, Lexington; '72-'74, Pleasant Hill; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'80, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '81, Fin. Agt. Lewis College; '82, S. L. Central; '83, K. C. Summit St.; '84, St. L. Corondelet; '85, '86, Sup'ry, (with work); '87-'91, P. E., Springfield Dist.; Colorado Conf., '92, Central City; '93, '94, Denver, St. James; St. L. Conf., '95, '96, Missionary to Wyoming; '97, Mountain Grove; '98, St. L. Tower Grove; '99, Goode Ave.; '00-'05, Rolla; '06-'10, Smithton; '11, Springfield, Daily Memorial, '12, Aurora.

Bell, M.—1877, '78, Licking and H.; '79, Salem; '80, '81, Ironton and W.; '82, '83, Farmington; '84-'86, Perryville; '87, '88, Golden City; '89, Nashville; '90, Ash Grove; '91, Mountain Grove; '92, Avilla; '93, '94, Adrain; '95-'12, Sup'ted.

Bigman, Purnell E.—1910, '11, Deepwater; '12, Joplin, Epworth.

Bitler, J. S.—Cin. Conf., 1878, Carthage; '79, Harrison; '80-'82, Westwood; '83, Dakota Mission; '84-'90, Gen'l. Evangelist; N. Ind. Conf., '90-'93, Kokomo, Mulberry St. Ch.; '93-'98, Genl. Evangelist; St. L

Conf., '98 (in part), '99, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '00-'04, Genl. Evangelist and Pres. Good Will Temple Association; '05, Sup'ry; '06-'10, Conf. Evangelist; '11, '12. Nat. Evangelist, Lincoln Legion.

Blair, Samuel.—Cent. Pa. Conf., 1888-'90, Hazelton; '91, '92, Harveyville; '93-'95, Altoona, Supt. People's Mission; '96-'98, Morrisdale; W. Neb. Conf., '99-'00, Shelton; Cent. Pa. Conf., '01-'05, Miss'ry to Utah and Wyoming; '06, El Paso, Tex.; '07-'09, Supt. N. Mex. Missions; Kans. Conf., '10, Manhattan; St. L. Conf., '11, '12, Carthage.

Borah, J. W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1894, '95, Irvington Ct.; '96, Watson Ct.; '97-'98, Patoka Ct.; '99-'01, Okawville; '02-'04, E. St. L., Century Ch.; St. L. Conf., '05, '06, St. L. Maplewood; '07-'09, St. Luke's; '10, '11 (in part), Lebanon; '11, '12, Farmington.

Brewington, J. B.—1880, Perryville; '81, Salem; '82, '83, Licking; '84, Dixon; '85, Bolivar; '86-'88, Marshfield; '89-'91, Rich Hill; '92, Pierce City; '93, Greenfield; '94, Webb City; '95, Willow Springs; '96, Farmington; '97, '98, West Plains; Oklaohma Conf., '99; St. L. Conf., '00, Buffalo; '01 (in part), Pacific (in part), Tuxedo; '02, Harlem Place; '03-'06, Sup'ted; '07, '08, Richland; '09-'12, Sup'ted.

Britton, D. W.—Ill. Conf., 1895-'98, DeLand; '99-'01, Havana; '02-'06, Sup'ry; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, Austin; '10, Garden City; '11, '12, Austin.

Brown, Walter E.—1904, '05, Carthage Ct.; '06, '07, K. C. Grace; '08-'11 (in part), K. C. Phoenix Pk.; '11, '12, Neosho.

Bryan, C. V.—1907-'09, Buffalo; '10, Carterville; '11, '12, Mountain View.

Bundy, G. F.—Ind. Conf. ——; St. L. Conf., '08, Bonne Terre; '09, Tipton; '10, Lockwood; '11, Oronogo; '12, Cabool.

Campbell, S. B.—1887-'88, Osceola; '89-'91, Nevada; '92, St. Louis, Goode Ave.; '93-'97, Maple Ave.; Mo. Conf., '98-'02, St. Joseph, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, K. C. (in part), Linwood Ave.; '05-'07, P. E. K. C. Dist.; '08-'10, D. S. K. C. Dist.; '10-'12, Springfield, Grace Ch.

Chatten, W. K.—South Kans. Conf., 1904, Crestline; '05, New Lancaster; St. L. Conf., '06-'08, Drexel; '09-'11, Adrian; '12, Willow Springs.

Collins, W. K.—N. Ind. Conf., '76, '77, Cambridge; '78, Mishawaka; '79, La Fontaine; '80, Brimfield; Cen. Ill. Conf., '81, Tiskilwa, '82, South Kankakee; St. L. Conf., '83-'85, St. L. Trinity; '86, Clinton; '87-'89, P. E. Sedalia Dist; '90, Clinton; '91-'93, K. C., Howard Memorial; '94-'96, Nevada; '97-'00, Lebanon; '01, '02, Pleasant Hill; '03, '05, Lee's Summit; '06-'10, Sup'ry; '11, '12, Sup'ted.

Coontz, J. W.—S. W. Mo. Conf. (M. E. Ch. So.), 1898-'00, K. C., Washington St.; '01-'02, Neosho; St. L., Conf. (M. E. Ch.), '03, Holden, '04-'10 (in part), K. C., Hammond Place (Oakhurst); '10-'12, St. L., Dr. Fry Memorial.

Cosper, G. H.—Ark. Conf., 1885, Ellsworth; '86, '87, West, Fort Co.; '88, Argenta; '89, Little Rock, Ebenezer; '90-'91, Rogers; '92, Eureka Springs; St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Bolivar; '98-'00, Rich Hill; '01-'03, Lamar; '04-'06, Nevada; Mo. Conf., '07-'09, Hannibal, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '10-'12, K. C., Arlington.

Courtney, W. S.—1887, Schell City; '88, '98, K. C., Liberty St.; '90-'92, Summit St.; '93, Nevada; '94-'98, St. L., Bowman; W. Wis. Conf., '99-'10, Eau Clair, 1st Ch.; '02-'04, New Richmond; Mo. Conf., '05, Fairport; '06, '07 (in part), New Albany; St. L .Conf., '07-'09 (in part), Oscela; '09-'12, Drexel.

Criss, C. V.—1877, '78, Lamar; '79-'80, Appleton City; '81, Butler; '82, '83, Belton; '84-'86, Appleton City; '87-'91, Lamar; '92, '93, P. E. Carthage Dist.; '94-'98, Springfield, Grace Ch.; '99-'04, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '05, '06, Springfield, Benton Ave.; '07-'09, Butler; '10, Lamar; '11-'12, D. S., Sedalia Dist.

Crissman, B. F.—1893, Lamonte; '94, Osceola; '95, '96, Pleasant Hill; '97, in school; '98-'00, Warrensburg; '01-'02, K. C. Dundee; Mo. Conf., '03-'06, St. Joseph, 1st Ch.; Des Moines Conf., '07-'11, Shenandoah; St. L. Conf., '12, Sedalia.

Crow, D. W.—1881, '82, Marble Hill; '83-'85, Bloomfield; '86, '87, Crystal City; '88-'93, Farmington; '94-'99, P. E., Farmington Dist.; '00-'03, DeSoto; '04-'08, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '09-'11, DeSoto; '12, Sup'ted.

Davis, Claire G.—1908, Marionville Ct.; '09, '10, Ass't, Webb City; '11, Ash Grove; '12, in school.

Dixon, A. M.—Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch. So., 1900, West End; '01-'03, Du Quoin, S. Ill. Conf., M. E. Ch., '03, Mt. Vernon Ct.; St. Louis Conf., '04-'07, Fruitland; '08, Sarcoxie; '09, '10, Golden City; '11, '12, Bolivar.

Doreas, H. F.—Upper Ia. Conf., 1897, Urbana; '98, Albernett; '99 ,'00, Bassett; '01-'03, Burr Oak; '04, Randalia; '05, '06, Oasis; '07, Viola; '08, '09, Center Junction; St. L. Conf., '10, '11, Billings; '12, Fairplay.

Dubois, F. E.—N. W. Ia. Conf., 1882, Lehigh; Upper Ia. Conf., '83, Palo; '84, at school; '85, '86, West Dubuque; '87, '88, Strawberry Point; '89-'91, Farley; '92, '93, Dysart; '94-'96, Jessup; '97, '98, Missionary to Wyo., Evanston; N. W. Ia. Conf., '99, '00, Ireton; '01, Dist. Supt. Children's Home Society; '02-'04, Kingsley; Ark. Conf., '05-'07, Little Rock, 1st Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '08-'11, Conf. Evangelist; '12, Poplar Bluff.

Dutton, D. C.—Upper Ia. Conf., 1901-'03, McGregor; '04, '05, Field Sec. Upper Ia. University; '06, '07, Anamosa; St. L. Conf., '08-'11, Webb City; '12, K. C., Oakley.

Erdman, Chas. E.—St. Louis German Conf., 1906-'09,——; St. L. Conf., '10, Sullivan; '11, St. L., Winsor; '12, Adrian.

Ferris, Lincoln A.—N. Y. Conf., 1896, Port Ewen; '97-'00, Dobbs Ferry; Baltimore Conf., '01-'03, Mt. Vernon Place; Newark Conf., '04-'06, St. Paul's; Wyoming Conf., '07-'11, Tabernacle, Binghamton; St. L. Conf., '12, Independence.

Finley, J. W.—1869, Poplar Bluff; '70, '71, Ironton; '72, Marble Hill; '73, '74, Patterson; '75, Ironton; '76, Clinton Ct.; '77-'79, Warsaw; '80, Sup'ry; '81, Bolivar; '82, Humansville; '83, Cassville; '84, '85, Sup'ry; '86, '87, Sheldon; '88-'90, Green Ridge; '91, '92, Knob Noster; '93, Schell City; '94-'96, Tipton; '97-'99, Eldorado Springs; '00, Eldon; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Windsor and Leeton; '04-'12, Sup'ted.

Fortner, W. A. A.—Canadian Meth. Ch. ——; M. E. Ch., St. L. Conf., 1912, Lebanon.

Foster, G. M.—1890, Tipton; '91, Lincoln and Warsaw; '92, Windsor; '93, '94, Montrose; '95-'96, Pilot Grove; '98, Lamonte; '99-'02, Green Ridge; '03, '04, Liberal; '05, '06, Joplin, Central Ave.; '07, Oronogo; '08, Hume and Foster; '09-'11, Carthage Ct.; '12, Golden City.

Foster, H. B.—Kas. Conf., 1889-'91, Wesley Ch.; St. L. Conf., '92, Mountain Grove; '93, Mt. Vernon; '94, '95, Mountain Grove; '96-'98, St. Louis, Clifton Heights; '99, Rolla; '00-'05, P. E., Lebanon Dist.; '06, St. L., Trinity; '07-'10 (in part), Springfield, Benton Ave.; '10 (in part), Farmington; '10, D. S., Farmington Dist.; '11, '12, Joplin, Byers Ave.

French, S. A.—Vermont Conf., 1879-'83; Dak. Conf., '83-'94; St. L. Conf., '94, '95, Carterville; '96, Golden City; '97-'99, Greenfield; '00, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '01, '02, Pierce City; '03, '04, Seneca; '05-'12, Conf. Evangelist.

Fry, C. D.—Ark. Conf., 1875, Berryville; '76, Greenwood; '77, Ozark; '78, Harrison; '79, Jasper; '80, Huntsville; '81, Fayetteville; '82, Sup'ry; '83, '84, Prairie Grove; '85, '86, Hackett City; St. L. Conf., '87, Avilla; '88, '89, Billings; '90, '91, Dadeville; '92, '93, Fair Play; '94, Wheatland; '95, Lewis; '96, Deepwater; '97, Macomb; '98, Cabool; '99, '00, Bolivar Ct.; '01, Carthage Ct.; '02, Houston and Cabool; '03, '04, Ava; '05-'12, Sup'ted.

Galbraith, I. M.—1881, Mint Hill; '82-'84, Lebeck; '85-'86, Huntingdale; '87-'89, Rockville; '90-'93, Eldorado Springs; '94-'97, Butler Ct.; '98, '99, Carterville; '00, '01, Eldorado Springs, '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07-'12, Sup'ted.

Getty, Frederick—1889, East Lynne; '90, '91, Hume and Foster; '92, Belton; '93, '94, Monett; 1895-1902, Philadelphia Conf.; '03, '04, Field Worker Sunday School Union; '05, '06, Sup'ry., St. L. Conf.; '07, Carl Junction; '08, Carterville; '09, K. C., Bennington Heights; '10-'12, Lee's Summit.

Geyer, F. L.—Kas. Conf., 1902-'04, Michigan Valley; '05, '06, Meriden; '07, '08 at school; '09, Highland; St. L. Conf., '10-'12, St. L., Hagerty Memorial and Webster Grove.

Gideon, T. J.—Ark. Conf., 1882, Harpville; '83-'85, Chickelat; '86, Charleston; '87, Ellsworth; '88, '89, Dayton; '90, '91, Wardron; '92-'94, Amity; '95, Judsonia; '96, Cushman; St. Louis Conf., '97, Billings; '98, Cassville; '99, '00, Dadeville; '01, Avilla; '02-'04, Hartville; '05, Conway; '06, Buffalo; '07, '08, Bloomfield; '09, Phillipsburg; '10, '11, Sup'ry; '12, Sup'ted.

Gilbreath, J. C.—1907, '08, Fair Play; '09, '10, Republic; '11, K. C., Slaven's Memorial; '12, St. L., Carondelet.

Gillespie, J. H.—1873, '74, Warsaw; '75-'77, Huntingdale; '78, '79, Windsor; '80-'82, Malta Bend; '83, '84, Knobnoster; '85-'87, Sedalia, Montgomery St.; '88, '89, Pleasant Hill; '89-'10, Missionary to Wyoming; '11-'12, Agent Omaha Methodist Hospital.

Green, T. E.—Dak. Conf., 1898, Ashton; '99, '00, Fairmount; '01-'03, Valley City; '04-'06, Jamestown; N. Minn. Conf., '07, Crookston; '08-'11, Minneapolis, Foss Ch.; St. L. Conf., '12, St. L., Wagoner Memorial.

Hagerty, T. H.—R. R. Conf., 1855, '56, Troy Ct.; '57, Lamoile Ct.; '58, '59, Newark; '60, '61, Princeton; '62, '63, Chap. U. S. A.; St. Louis Conf., '64, St. Joseph; '65-'68, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '76, '77, Jefferson City; '78, '79, Pleasant Hill; '79, '80, K. C. Liberty St.; '81-'83, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '84-'86, St. L., Water Tower; '87-'12, Chap. St. L. Institutions.

Hanby, Claude S.—1910, '11, Pleasant Hill; '12, Butler.

Harris, Jos.—S. Ill. Conf., 1862, '63, Alton; '64, '65, Brighton; '66, '67, Samel; '68, Du Quoin; '69-'71, Mt. Vernon; '72-'74, Vandalia; '75, Effingham; '76-'78, P. E., Mt. Carmel Dist.; '79-'85, Prof. McKendree Col.; '86, '87, Sup'ry (with work); St. L. Conf., '88, '89, St. L. Trinity; '90, '91, St. Luke; '92, '93, Sup'ry (with work); '94, St. L.; '95, Union, Ass't Pastor; '96-'12, Sup'ted.

Harris, J. S.—1870, Bloomfield; '71, Murfeesboro, Ark.; '72, Marshfield Ct.; '73, '74, St. James; '75, Iberia; '76, '77, Ironton; '78, De Soto; '79, Schell City; '80, '81, Lebeck; '82, transf'd to Ark. Conf., remaining till '92; St. L. Conf., '92, '93, Vichy Springs; '94, Newburg; '95, Lebanon Ct.; '96-'12, Sup'ted.

Harrison, C. T.—1904, '05, Oronogo; '06-'08, Neosho; '09-'12, Missionary in Nevada.

Hill, Rowland.—1909-'11, Kingsville; '12, in school.

Horton, E. R.—From Reformed Episcopal Church, Cent. Ill. Conf., 1897, '98, Castleton; '99, '00, Cuba; '01-'03, Williamsfields; '04-'06, Peoria, Grace Church; '07, '08, Industry; '09, '10, La Harpe, St. L. Conf.; '11, '12, Hume.

Hoos, P. R.—1905, Huntingdale; '06, '07, Sligo; '08,-'11, St. L., Carondelet; '12, K. C., Slaven's Memorial.

Hummer, A. G.—Ark. Conf., 1897-'00, Fayetteville; Okla. Conf., '01-'04, Roscoe; '05, Zarney; '06, Roscoe; '07, '08, Elk City; '09, Carmen; St. L. Conf., '10-'12, Anderson.

Humphrey, H. G.—1896-'01, at school; '02, K. C., Howard Memorial; '03-'05, at school; '06, '07, Independence; '08-'12, K. C., Broadway.

Hunt, G. J.—1893, Lowry City; '94, Deepwater; '95, St. Louis, Harlem and S.; '96-'00, Lamar; '01, '02, Lebanon; '03-'06, Bolivar; '07, '08, Warrensburg; '09, '10 (in part), Mt. Vernon; '10-'12, Rolla.

Hunt, R. A.—1907, '08, Tipton; '09, '11 (in part), Neosho; '11, Okmulgee, Okla.; '12, St. L., Trinity.

Hurley, J. H.—Georgia Conf., 1881, Silvania; '82, Burnt Fort; '83, Jonesboro; '84, '85, Spring Place; '86, Oak Grove; '87, Funnel Hill; '88, Toccoa; '89, Spring Place; '90, in school; '91, Lafayette; '92, Spring Place; Oklahoma Conf. (mid-year); St. Louis Conf., '93, Dixon; '94, '95, Ironton; '96, '97, California; '98, Urbana; '99, '00, Licking; '01, Hartville; '02, Knobnoster; '03, '04, Huntingdale; '05, '06, Dadeville; '07-'12, Sup'ted.

James, C. C.—1891-'93, St. L., Harlem; '94-'96, Pacific; '97,-'02, Malta Bend; '03, '04, Rich Hill; '05, transf'd to St. Johns Riv. Conf., St. Louis Conf.; '06, De Soto; '07, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '08-'12, D. S., Springfield Dist.

Jinnett, W. P.—Col. R. Conf., 1903, Echo; '04-'06, Prineville; '07-'09, Ellensburg; '10, Maveh; St. L. Conf., '11, '12, Nevada.

Johnson, J. B.—Ind. Conf., 1896, Selvin; '97, '98, Bowling Green; '99, Monroe City; '00-'02, Pleasantville; '03, '04, Chrisney; '05, '06, Fort Branch; '07, '08, Ellettsville; '09, '10 (in part), New Albany, Main St.; St. L. Conf., '10, Walnut Pk.; '11, '12, Maplewood.

Jones, B. D.—Ark. Conf., 1878, Huntsville; '79-'80, Yellville; '81, '82, Mountain Home; '83-'84, Waldron; '85, Russellville; '86, Texarkana; '87-'89, P. E., Harrison and Ft. Smith Dist.; '90, Stuttgart; '91, Hot Springs; '92, Texarkana; '93, Beebe (in part); St. L. Conf., '93-'97, Marshfield; '98, '99, Bolivar; '00-'03, Monett; '04-'06, Mountain Grove; '07-'09, Seymour and Mansfield; '10-'12, Eldon.

Jones, H. A.—1892, '93, Missionary in Utah; '94, at school; '95-'98, St. L., Goode Ave.; '06-'08, K. C., Howard Memorial; Cincinnati Conf., '09, '10, ——; St. L. Conf., '11, '12, Joplin, 1st Ch.

Jones, W. F.—1887, High Point; '88, Malta Bend; '89-'91, Appleton City; '92, Marshall; '93-'97, Smithton; '98-'03, Butler; '04-'07, Joplin, 1st Ch.; '08-'10, D. S., Sedalia Dist.; '11, '12, D. S., Carthage Dist.

Jones, Sam'l.—1873, '74, Huntingdale; '75, Brownsville; '76, Dunksburg; '77, Brownsville; '78, N. Clinton; '79, '00, Sup'ry; '01-'12, Sup'ted.

King, J. F.—1907, Cassville; '08, Billings; '09, '10, Aurora; '11, '12, St. L., St. Lukes.

King, W. W.—W. Va. Conf., 1882; Quinnimont; '83, Williamstown; N. O Conf., '84, '85, Olive Green; W. Va. Conf., '86, '87, Benwood; '88-'91, Huntington, 1st Ch.; N. W. Ind. Conf., '92-'94, Lafayette, Trinity; St. L. Conf., '95-'99, St. L., Lindell Ave.; Wilmington Conf., '00-'05, Wilmington, Grace Ch.; Ind. Conf., '06-'09, Indianapolis, Central Ave.; St. L. Conf., '10-'12, St. L., Lindell Ave.

Kirk, J. C.—1904-'06 (in part), Hume; '06, '07, Sarcoxie; '08, Jasper and Mt. Moriah; '09, '10 (in part), Windsor; '10-'12, Holden.

Knease, T. H.—St. L. Conf., 1872, Charleston; Ark. Conf., '73, Andersonville; '74, Perryville; '75, '76, Springfield; '77-'78, Berryville; '79, Huntville; '80, Fayetteville; '81, Hico; '82, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '83, Republic; '84, '85, Cassville; '86, '87, Mt. Vernon; '88, '89, Urbana; '90, '91, Stratford; '91-'12, Sup'ted.

Leatherman, W.—S. Ill. Conf., 1887, Johnsonville; '88-'92, Farina; '93, '94, Pinckneyville; '95-'98, Evangelist; St. L. Conf., '99-'01, Joplin, Central Ave.; '02, '03, Neosho; '04, De Soto; '05-'07, St. L., Carondolet; '08, '09, Harlem Place; '10-'12, Malta Bend.

Leckliter, F. P.—1899, Newburg; '00, '01, Mt. Vernon; '02, '03, Missionary to Montana; '04, Sup'ry; '05, Springfield, Daily Ch.; '06-'08, Marionville; '09 (in part), Conf. Evangelist; '09, Lamar; '10, Appleton City; '11, '12, Sedalia, Epworth.

Leonard, H. C.—1902, St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; '03, '04, Harlem Place; '05, '06 (in part), De Soto; '07-'12, St. L., Goode Ave. (Chouteau Place).

Lichliter, M. H.—Pittsburg Conf., 1900, Pitcairn; '01, '02, South Fork; '03, '04, Verona; '05-'07, Olean, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '08-'12, St. L., Maple Ave.

Lint, R. H.—Evangelical Ass'n, 1894-'07; St. L. Conf., 1908, Golden City; '09-'11, K. C., Mt. Washington; '12, K. C., Summit St.

Livingston, A. M.—S. W. Kans. Conf., 1897, Coldwater; '97-'99, Latham; '00, '01, at school; '02, '03, Argonia; St. L. Conf., '04-'06, Greenfield; '07, Monett; '08-'10, West Plains; '11, '12, Mountain Grove.

Lokey, James—Ark. Conf., 1878, '79, Clear Creek; '80-'82, Prairie Grove; '83, Batesville; '84-'86, Harrison; '87, '88, Van Buren; '89, Bentonville; St. L. Conf., '90, '91, Purdy; '92, Moundville; '93, Purdy; '94-'96, Mt. Vernon; '97, '98, Purdy; '99, Billings; '00-'06, Boaz; '07, Clever; '08-'12, Sup'ry.

Luccock, N.—Pittsburg Conf., 1874, '75, Tippecanoe, O.; '76, Addison, Pa.; '77, '78, Somerset, Pa.; '79-'81, Elizabeth, Pa.; '82-'84, Pittsburgh, Oakland Ch.; '85-'87, Prof. Alleghany Col.; '88-'91, Erie, 1st Ch.; '92-'96, Pittsburgh, Smithfield St.; St. L. Conf., 1897-'08, St. Louis, Union Ch.; '09-'12, K. C., Hyde Park; **Elected Bishop,** May 22, 1912.

Lunbeck, I. J. K.—1870, '71, Greenwood (Peculiar); '72, '73, K. C., 16th St.; '74, '75, Rolla; '76-'78, Greenfield; '78, '79, Carthage; '80, '81, Lebanon; '82-'85, P. E., Carthage Dist.; '86, Smithton; '87-'91, Rolla; '92, Nevada; '93-'95, Holden; '96-'01, Lee's Summit; '02-'04, K. C., Phoenix Park; '05, Cor. Sec. of Evan. Ch. Ext. Society, K. C., Mo.; '06-'08, K. C., Mt. Washington; '09-'12, Sup'ted.

Macurdy, W. C.—Detroit Conf., 1887-'89, in school; Upper Ia. Conf., '90-'01; '02, '03, Anaconda, Mont.; S. Kans. Conf., '04-'06; '07-'09, Emporia; St. L. Conf., '10, Carthage; '11, '12, D. S., Farmington Dist.

Maloney, R. V.—Kans. Conf., 1896-'98, Bushong; '99, '00, Alta Vista; '01, '02, Barnes; '03-'05, Abilene; '06, Olathe; '07-'09, Rosedale; St. L. Conf., '10-'12, Agent Children's Home Society.

Martin, J. J.—1878, '79, Seneca; '80, '81, Oronogo; '82, '83, Avilla; '84, '85, Golden City; '86-'89, Marionville; '90, '91, Mt. Vernon; '92-'94, Joplin; '95, '96, West Plains; '97-'01, Farmington, as pastor and Pres. of College; '02, Holden; '03-'05, Independence; '06-'09 (in part), Lamar; '09-'12, Chaplain Mo. Penitentiary.

Mason, J. M.—1907, '08, Pilot Grove; '09, Deepwater; '10, Alberta; '11, Sup'ry; '12, Rockville.

Matthews, W. E.—W. Neb. Conf., 1893-'96, Walnut Grove; '97, Arnold; '98-'00, Loup City; '01, '02, Westerville; '03-'05, Merna; '06, '07, Arcadia; '08-'10, Sargent; St. L. Conf., '11, Licking; '12, Newburg and Dixon.

McCormack, W. R.—1894-'98, Roe Run; '99, '00, Ironton; '01, '02, Fruitland; '03-'05, Farmington; '06, '07, P. E., Farmington Dist.; '08, '10, (in part), D. S., Farmington Dist.; '10-'12, K. C., Oakhurst.

Miller, A. H.—Pittsburgh Conf., 1873, '74, Circuit; '75-'80, Pittsburgh, Thirty-third St.; '81-'83, Liberty St.; '84-'86, Fifth Ave.; '87-'90, Beaver Falls; St. L. Conf., '91-'97 (in part), St. L., Neidringhaus Mem.; '97, '98 (in part), Shrewsberry; '99-'04; Sup'ry; '05-'12, Sup'ted.

McCulloch, A. J.—M. E. Ch., S., W. Tex. Conf., 1898, Junction City; '99, '00, Sherwood; '01, Rock Springs; M. E. Ch., Col. Conf., '02, Manzanola. '03, Castle Rock; '04-'06, Kersey; '07, '08, Wray; St. L. Conf., '09, Malta Bend; '10, Tipton; '11, '12, Prof. in Southwestern College.

Miller, E. F.—1903, '04, Oak Grove; '05-'12, at school.

Mitchell, H. A.—1909, '01, Lincoln and Warsaw; '02-'06, Eldorado Springs; '07, '08, Lebanon; '09, '10, Mountain Grove; '11, '12, West Plains.

Moore, F. O.—1904, '05, Centerview; '06, '07, East Lynn; '08-'10, Belton; '11, '12, K. C., Grace Ch.

Moore, J. N.—1874, Lebanon Ct.; '75, '76, Cuba; '77, '79, Discontinued; '80, '81, Richland; '82, Oronogo; '83, '84, Carterville and Webb City; '85-'87, Pierce City; N. W. Kans. Conf., '88, Ellis; '89, '90, Jewell City; Ark. Conf., '91-'93, Little R., Ebenezer; '94 (in part), Prof. L. R. Un.; St. L. Conf., '94 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '95-'99, K. C., Oakley and Sheffield; '99, City Missions; '01-'03, Hammond Place; '04, Amsterdam; '05, withdrawn; readmitted; '07-'09, Joplin, Epworth; '10, '11, Sup'ry; '12, Sup'ted.

Moore, J. W.—1910, '11, Iantha; '12, Liberal.

Morris, M. O.—1908, Humansville; '09, Billings; '10, Greenfield; '11, Bonne Terre; '12, Bonne Terre.

Moss, G. A.—1909, Houston; '10, '11, Iberia; '12, Richland Ct.

Needham, J. W.—1890, '91, Winona; '92, '93, at school; '94-'97, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '98-'01, Marshfield; '02, '03, Osceola; '04-'06, Monett; '07, '08, Mountain Grove; '09-'11, Marshfield; '12, D. S., Lebanon Dist.

Nelson, W. R.—Ark. Conf., 1897-'99, Norwood; '00, '01, Springdale; '02-'05 (in part), Harrison; '05-'10 (in part), Rogers; St. Louis Conf., '10-'12, Independence.

Niblack, B. E.—From M. E. Ch. S., 1897, '98, Conway; '99, '00, Sarcoxie; '01, '02, Butler Ct.; '03, Austin; '04, Drexel; '05-'08, Oak Grove; '09, Eldon; '10, '11, Richland; '12, Seymour and Mansfield.

Odom, J. F.—1906, '07, K. C., Phoenix Park; '08, K. C. Missions; '09, Dist. Evan., K. C. Dist.; '10, Supt. K. C. Ch. Exten. Society; '11, '12, Conf. Evangelist.

Oechsli, F.—1872, Brownsville; '73, Malta Bend; '74, Marshall; '75, '76, Warsaw; '77, '78, East Sedalia; '79, DeSoto; '80-'82, Butler Ct.; '83, '84, Austin and Pl. Val.; '85, '86, Rich Hill; '87, Sarcoxie; '88-'91, Oak Grove; '92, '93, East Lynne; '94, Drexel; '95, Belton; '96-'98, Sup'ry; '99-'12, Sup'ted.

Olmstead, E. B.—Wyoming Conf., 1882, Oneonta Plains, N. Y.; '83, '84, Laurens, N. Y.; '85-'87, Great Bend, Pa.; '88, '89, Sayre, Pa.; '90-'93, Norwich, N. Y., Broad St. Ch.; '93-'98, Binghampton, N. Y., Tabernacle Ch.; Genesee Conf., '98-'04, Rochester, N. Y., Ashbury Ch.; Holston Conf., '04-'08, Knoxville, Tenn., 1st Ch.; St. Louis Conf., '09-'12, K. C., Grand Ave.

Osborne, H. R.—Mo. Conf., 1892, Osborn; '93, St. Joseph, Wesley Ch.; '94, '95, at school; Iowa Conf., '96, Nichols; '97, '98, Sweetland; Cen. O. Conf., '99, '00, Timberville; '01, '02, Grand Rapids; Gulf Conf., '03, '04, Port Arthur; St. L. Conf., '05, Marshall; '06, Sup'ry; Alabama Conf., '07, '08, Birmingham, Simpson; St. L. Conf., '09, St. Louis, Windsor Memorial; '10-'12, St. L., Harlem Place.

Otwell, T. H.—Holston Conf., ——; St. Louis Conf., 1910, Austin; '11, at school.

Owen, J. E.—M. E. Ch. S., Western Conf., 1892, Wyandotte; '93, Corbin; '93, '94, Arkansas City; '95, Atlanta; '96, '97, Elk City; '98, Augusta; '99, '00, Bucyrus; '01-'05, Fairmount; S. W. Mo. Conf., '06, '07, Newtonia; M. E. Ch., Okla. Conf., '08-'10, Talaga; St. L. Conf., '11, Golden City; '12, Republic.

Pare, W. T.—1886, '87, Hermitage; '88, '89, Conway; '90-'94, Sup'ry; '95 Cabool; '96-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'03, Newberg and Dixon; '04, '05, Sligo; '06, Pacific; '07, '08, Pierce City and Purdy; '09, '10, Humansville; '11, '12, Sup'ted.

Pierce, J. N.—Pittsburgh Conf., 1859, '60 (in part), Dayton; '60, Arizona Mission; '61, '62, Chap. U. S. A.; '63-'65 (in part), Wellsburg; S. L. Conf., '65, Boonville; '66, Independence; '67, '68, K. C., Grand Ave.; '69-'71, St. L., Trinity; '72, Sedalia; '73, '74, Warrensburg; '75, '76, Carthage; '77-'80, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '81, '82, Clinton; '83, Springfield; '84, Lebanon; '85, Lee's Summit; '86-'90, Sup'ry; '91, '92, Lowry City; '93-'00, Sup'ry; '01-'12, Sup'ted.

Pierce, P. E.—1896, Jasper; '97-'99, Liberal; '00-'03, Joplin, Byers Ave.; '04-'07, Appleton City; '08, Sedalia, Epworth; '09-'12, Warrensburg.

Pine, J.—1877-'81, Cape Girardeau; '82, '83, Rolla; '84, Bolivar; '85, Knob Noster; '86, '87, Lincoln; '88-'90, Carterville; '91, St. L., Jennings; '92-'95, Sarcoxie; '96, '97, Joplin, 2nd Ch.; '98, '99, Mountain Grove; '00, transf'd to Okla. Conf.; St. L. Conf., '05 (in part), '07, Republic; '08-'11, Supt. Turrentine Hall; '12, Sup'ted.

Porter, J. S.—1873, '74, Dunksburg; '75, Aullville; '76, Brownville; '77-'79, Malta Bend; '80, '81, Knob Noster; '82, '83, Tipton; '84-'86, Windsor; '87, '88, East Lynne; '89, Knob Noster; '90-'92, Montrose; '93, Windsor and Green Ridge; '94, Windsor; '95-'12, Sup'ted.

Postlethwait, J. R.—1909, '10, G. C., Grace; '11, Supt. Twenty-ninth St.

Prall, T. E.—1897-'99, Sullivan; '00, '01 (in part), Old Orchard; '01-'03, Pilot Grove; mid-year to Montrose; '04, '05, Schell City; '06, '07, Jasper; '08, '09 (in part), Greenfield; '09, '10, Bolivar; '11, Republic; '12, Joplin, Central Ave.

Pruitt, J. J.—1910, Poplar Bluff; '11, '12, Doe Run.

Rector, W. G.—St. Johns R. Conf., 1902, Green Cave Springs; '03, '04, Fruitland Pk. and Okahumpka; '05, '06, Lake Como.; S. Ill. Conf., '06, '07, Ramsey; '08, Venice; '09, '10 (in part), Bunker Hill; St L. Conf., '10, '11, Greenfield; '12, Clever.

Requa, W. L.—1902, '03, Fair Play and S.; '04, Mt. Vernon; '05, '06, Belton; '07, '08, Avilla; '09, '10, Jasper; '11, Liberal; '12, Oronogo.

Rhodes, H. B.—1910-'12, Sarcoxie.

Reser, L. G.—1892, Moundville; '93, '94, at school; '95, Prof. at Marionville; '96, at school; '97, K. C., Liberty St.; '98, Independence; '99 (in part), Pleasant Hill; '99-'12, Pres. of Marionville Col. Inst.

Ridgway, D. C.—From N. E. Conf. to St. L. Conf., 1896, Lebanon; '97, '98, Pleasant Hill; '99, '00, Higginsville; '01-'12, Sup'ted.

Robbins, G. A.—Mo. Conf., 1888-'90, Galt; '91, '92, Jamesport; '93, '94, Mendon; '95-'99, Macon; '00-'02, Hamilton; '03-'05, Brookfield; '06-'08, Maryville; St. Louis Conf., '09-'11, Sedalia, 1st Ch.; '12, St. L., Union.

Rose, W. H.—S. Kans. Conf., 1877, Augusta Ct.; '78-'80, Dexter and Tisdale; '81, Douglas; S. W. Kans. Conf. (by division), '82, '83, Douglas; '84-'86, Caldwell; '87, '88, Greensburg; '89-'91, Dodge City; '92-'97, P. E., Dodge City Dist.; '98-'01, Educational Secy. S. W. Kans. College; '02, '03, McPherson; Okla. Conf., '04-'06, Guthrie, 1st Ch.; '07-'10 (in part), Supt. Oklahoma Methodist Hospital; St. L. Conf., '10, St. L., Trinity; '11, Butler; '12, Sup'ted.

Sapp, E. H.—1899-'02, Webb City; '03, '04, Butler Ct.; '05-'07, Liberal; '08, '09, Oronogo; '10, Joplin, Epworth; '11, '12, K. C., Bennington Heights.

Scarbrough, J. C.—Mo. Conf., ——; 1910, '11, Willow Springs; '12, Richland.

Senneff, Clinton.—1904, '05, Rockville; '06, '07, Schell City; '08, K. C., Grace; '09 (in part), Marshall; '09, '10, Fruitland; '11, '12, Monett.

Shaffer, T. P.—1899, '00, Hartsville; '00 (in part), '01, California; '02-'05, Richland; '06-'10 (in part), Rolla; '10-'12, Springfield, Benton Ave.

Sheridan, W. F.—Ind. Conf., 1885-'88, Indianapolis, Blackford St.; '89, '90, Theological School; '91, '92, Washington; Detriot Conf., '93-'95, Detroit; '96-'99, Pontaic, 1st Ch.; '00, Saginaw, 1st Ch.; Ky. Conf., '01-'03, Louisville, Trinity Ch.; Baltimore Conf., '04-'08, Mt. Vernon, Place Ch.; St. L. Conf., '09-'11, '12 (in part), K. C., Howard Memorial; '12, General Secretary of the Epworth League.

Sidman, W. D.—1895-'97, Stockton; '98-'99, Republic; '00-'03, Greenfield; '04-'06 (in part), Osceola; '07, '08, Poplar Bluff; '09-'12, Marionville.

Simmons, W. J.—Ark. Conf., 1876, '77, Bentonville; '78, Dayton; '79, '80, Russellville; '81-'84, P. E., Ft. Smith Dist.; '85, '86, Siloam Springs; St. L. Conf., '87, Cassville; '88-'90, Greenfield; '91, '92, West Plains; '93-'98, P. E., Springfield Dist.; '99-'02, Marionville; '03, Carterville; '04, Neosho; '05, '06 (in part), Sarcoxie; '07, '08, Lockwood; '09, Alba and Neck City; '10, '12, Sup'ted.

Simmons, D. T.—1892, '93, Carthage Ct.; '94-'96, Republic; '97-'01, Fair Play; '02-'04, Marshfield; '05, '06, Eldon; '07, '09 (in part), Bolivar; '09-'12, Osceola.

Slusher, J. W.—Ark Conf., 1887, Yellville; '88, Greenbrier; '89, Wild Cherry; '90, Oxford; '91, L. Rock Ct.; '92, L. Rock, North Side; '93-'97, Atkins; '98-'00 (in part), Almyria; Okla. Conf., '00-'02, Lehigh and C.; St. L. Conf., '03, '04, Conway; '05, '06, Seymour; '07-'09, Hartville; '10, '11, Stockton; '12, Sup'ted.

Smith, J.—Mo. Conf., 1884-'88; St. Louis Conf., '88-'90; Bengal, Burma, Conf., P. E., Burma Dist., '91-'01; Burma Mission Conf., '01-'03, P. E., Burma Dist.; '04, ——; '05, Sec. India Missionary Jubilee; St. L. Conf., '06-'09, Instructor in Missions, Baker University; '10-'12, Agt. Kans. Temperance Union.

Smith, H.—1887, Lowry City; '88, Mt. Vernon; '89, '90, Hartville; '91-'93, Republic; '94, Schell City; '95, '96, Montrose; '97, '98, Green Ridge; '99, '00, Lamonte; '01, Windsor and Leeton; '02-'06, Sup'ry; '07-'10; '11, '12, Sup'ted.

Smith, Chesteen—N. Ind. Con., 1893-'97, Dublin; '98-'04, Wishawauka, First Ch.; '05-'07, Peru; '08-'11, Anderson, First Ch.; St. L. Conf., '12, K. C., Howard Memorial.

Smith, E. C.—Kans. Conf., 1892, Robinson; '93, Muscotah and Effingham; '94-'08, Seneca; '99-'01, Leavenworth, 1st Ch.; N. Neb. Conf., '02-'05, Omaha, 1st Ch.; Genesee Conf., '06-'08, Buffalo, Riverside; St. L. Conf., '09-'12, K. C., Linwood Blvd.

Squier, E. A.—So. Ill. Conf., ——; St. L. Conf., 1900, West Plains; '01, Sup'ry; '02, '03, Webster Grove; '04-'08, Sup'ry; '09-'12, Sup'ted.

Stephens, W.—1866, Boonville; '67-'69, Marshall; '70, '71, Independence; '72, '73, High Point; '74-'76, Butler and A.; '77, '78, Holden; '79-'82, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '83-'86, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '87, '88, Smithton; '89-'91, Osceola; '92, Smithton; '93-'95, Butler; '96, Belton; '97, '98, Drexel; '99-'02, Odessa; '03-'12, Sup'ted.

Stevens, S. F.—S. Kans. Conf., 1882, Columbus Ct.; '83, Crestline Ct.; '84-'86, Galesburg; '87-'90, Virgil; '91, '92, Americus; '93-'96, Waverly; '97-'99, Galena; '00-'02 (in part), Girard; St. L. Conf., '02, '03, Nevada; '04, '05, Lamar; '06, '07, West Plains; '08-'10, Monett; '11, '12, Lamar.

Stevenson, Carl.—1908, Patton; '09, '10, Mountain View; '11, '12, at school.

Stewart, O. M.—Cen. Pa. Conf., 1864, Saxton Ct.; '65, '66, Monar Hill; '67, '68, Greencastle; St. L. Conf., '69, '70, Neosho; '71-'73, Carthage; '74, Springfield; '75-'77, St. L., Trinity; '78-'80, Warrensburg; '81, '82, P. E., Sedalia Dist.; '83-'85, Carthage; '86, K. C., Summit St.; '87-'92, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '93-'98, P. E., St. L. Dist.; '99, '00, K. C., Dundee Place; '01, Kansas Ave.; '02, Clinton; '03-'11, K. C., Summit St.; '12, Field Secretary of Bethany Hospital.

Stewart, J. W.—S. Kans. Conf., 1877, '78, Oxford; '79-'81, in school; '82, '83, Beulah; '84, Pittsburg; '85, Pittsburg and Opolis; '86, Pittsburg; '87, '88, Fredonia; '89, Chanute; '90, P. E., Emporia Dist.; '91-'93, Emporia, 1st Ch.; '94-'96, Ottawa, 1st Ch.; St. L. Conf., '96 (in part), '02, Carthage; '03-'05, Kansas City, Howard Mem.; '06-'10, Springfield, Grace; '11, St. L., Bowman; '12, Sup'ry.

Stickney, F. M.—1872-'74, Dixon; '75, Houston; '76-'78, Sullivan; '79, Barnesville; '80, Marble Hill; '81, '82, Calvey; '83-'85, Sullivan; '86-'98, Iberia; '90, Linn Cr.; '91-'00, Sup'ry; '10-'12, Sup'ted.

Stille, J. C.—1905, Alberta; '06-'08, Knob Noster; '09, '10, Odessa and Higginsville; '11, '12, Sup'ry.

Stone, Thomas.—United Methodist Conf., 1903-'09; St. Louis Conf., '10, '11 (in part), Carl Junction; '11, '12, K. C., Phoenix Park.

Suter, O. V.—1905-'07, Nashville; '08, Butler Ct.; '09, '10, Avilla; '11, Moundville; '12, Iantha.

Sweetland, L. H.—1907, '08, Moundville; '09, '10, Doe Run; '11, '12, in school.

Thompson, Fayette L.—Mich. Conf., 1885, Hanover; '86, '87, Big Rapids; '88-'90, Manistee; '91, abroad; '92-'94, Petoskey; '95-'98, Lansing, Central; '99, '00, Jackson, First; Upper Iowa Conf., '01-'03, Daveport, St. John's; N. Minn. Conf., '04-'06. ——; St. L. Conf., '07-'09, St. L. Lindell Ave.; '10-'12, Secy. Methodist Brotherhood.

Thompson, L. M.—1895, Iantha; '96-'98, Sarcoxie; '99-'03, Appleton City; '04, '05, Pleasant Hill; '06-'10 (in part), Farmington; '10 (in part), Financial Secy. Carleton College; '10, '11 (in part), Farmington; '12, Sup'ry.

Thompson, W. O.—1910, Liberal; '11, '12, Jasper.

Threlfall, H.—1866, Potosi; '67, Richwoods; '68, Warsaw; '69, Mt. View; '70, '71, Warrensburg Ct.; '72, '73, Clinton Ct.; '74-'76, Lebeck; '77-'78, Mecklin; '79, '80, Grant; '81, Walnut; '82, '83, Sup'ry; '84, Hermitage; '85, Dixon; '86, '87, Conway; '88, '89, Dadeville; '90, '91, Galena; '92, '93, Ozark and Forsyth; '94-'12, Sup'ted.

Tippin, C. F.—1896, Newberg and Dixon; '98-'00, Seymour; '01-'04, Eldon; '05-'07, Marshfield; '08-'12, Conway.

Toland, H. A.—1889, High Point; '86, Butler Ct.; '87, '88, Montrose; '89, Vichy Springs; '90-'11, Sup'ted; '12, Miss'y to Wyoming.

Tolbart, W. O.—1907, '08, Mt. View; '09, Pierce City; '10, '11, Fair Play; '12, Billings.

Warner, S.—1881, Republic; '82, '83, Marshfield; '84, Salem; '85, Crystal City; '86-'89, St. L., Tower Grove; '90, Harlem Place; '91, '92, Holden; '93-'95, Lee's Summit; '96, '97, K. C., Howard Mem.; '98-'00, (Twenty-ninth St.) Grace Ch.; '01-'05, Bennington Heights; '06, '07, P. E., Lebanon Dist.; '08-'11, D. S., Lebanon Dist.; '12, K. C., Mt. Washington.

Wakefield, R.—1903-'06, St. L., Tower Grove (Wagoner Mem.); '07-'10 (in part), Trinity; '10-'12, Clinton.

Welch, John.—Iowa Conf., Indianapolis, Peoria, Greencastle, Sailorville and Centerville, Mo., and Ark. Conf., 1886, Edina; '67, LaGrange; '68, Linn Creek; St. L. Conf., '69, Washington; '70, '71, Linn Creek; '72, '73, Versailles; Osage; '74, Urbana; '75, '76, Oronogo; '77, Seneca; '78, '79, Sup'ry; '80-'12, Sup'ted.

Webb, J. A.—Gulf Conf., 1908, Jefferson; '09, '10, Woodville; St. L. Conf., '11, '12, Tipton.

Woodward, W. R.—1910, Rich Hill; '11, Joplin, Central Ave.; '12, Carl Junction.

Wright, Zed.—1901-'03, Deepwater; Neb. Conf., '04-'09; St. L. Conf., '10, Knobnoster; '11, '12, Smithton.

Wright, W. T.—1886-'88, Seneca; '89-'92, Golden City; '93, '94, Carterville; '95-'98, Joplin; '99-'04, P. E., K. C. Dist.; '05-'07, K. C., Linwood Blvd.; '08-'12, D. S., St. L. Dist.

Yeager, W. F.—1880-'02, Cassville; '83, '84, Dadeville; '85-'86, Buffalo; '87-'88, Republic; '89, Mt. Vernon; '90, '91, Fair Play; '92, '93, Dadeville; '94-'97, Humansville; '98, Springfield, Mt. Carmel; '09, '00, Marionville Ct.; '01, Galena; '02, Marionville Ct.; '03-'12, Sup'ted.

MISCELLANEOUS

EXAMINERS AND THEIR WORK FOR 1913 TO 1917.

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Assignments.

Subjects for Essays:

Second Year—How to Do Effective Pastoral Work.

Fourth Year—Synopsis of the Psychology of the Christian Soul.

Texts for Sermons:

Admission on Trial—Luke 19:10.

First Year—John 9:25.

Third Year—Matt. 28:6.

Chairman—English Branches.

H. R. Osborne—The Worker and His Bible, and the Life of John Wesley.

W. E. Brown—Twenty-five Articles of Religion, and Organization and Building the Sunday School.

H. B. Foster—Discipline of 1912, and Sermons for Admission.

A. M. Livingston—Jesus and the Gospels, and Winning the Fight against Drink.

B. F. Crissman—American History, and English Style in Public Discourse.

S. B. Campbell—Digest of Methodist Law, and the Bible, Its Origin and Nature.

G. H. Cosper—Biblical Hermeneutics and the Light of the World.

W. A. A. Fortner—How We Think, and Decisive Hour of Christian Missions.

T. P. Shaffer—Preparation and Delivery of Sermons and Sermons of the First Year.

H. A. Jones—The Graded Sunday School, and Essays for the Second Year.

L. G. Reser—System of Christian Doctrine (Third and Fourth Years).

J. W. Borah—History of the Christian Church and the New Basis of Civilization.

H. G. Humphrey—Sacredotalism in the Nineteenth Century and Sermons of the Third Year.

A. D. Ball—The Facts of Conversion and Candidates for Local Deacon's Orders.

Chesteen Smith—Theism, and Prophecy and Prophets.

Ralph Wakefield—Christian Ethics and Social Engineer.

W. G. Clinton—Principles of Literary Criticism and Essays of the Fourth Year, or Synopsis of the Psychology of the Christian Soul.

H. A. Mitchell—Candidates for Local Elder's Orders.

N. B. At the earliest possible moment let each Examiner send to the Chairman one set of questions on each study assigned him. All questions should be in type or plainly written.

Students must apply to the Chairman for questions on all studies. For convenience and uniformity let them follow, as near as possible, the order laid down in the "Scheme of Studies." Let all claims for college credits be presented at once. An authorized certificate conforming to the requirements of the Discipline (Appendix, par. 568) must accompany such claims.

RULES OF EXAMINING BOARD.

I. Examinations and Examiners.

1st. All examinations on the Conference Course must be taken in the month of June, September, December and February, as per plan published in the Conference minutes. Page opposite.

2nd. All examinations must be taken before the Board member in charge of the study, or an appointee of the Chairman, who must be a member of a Conference, and such sub-examiner must authenticate the examination and transmit all questions and answers to the said Board Examiner. See Discipline, 1912, Appendix par. 569, sec. 5.

3rd. All papers must emanate from the Chairman, but the name of the Examiner in each case will be made known to the student.

Within 60 days from adjournment of the Conference each Examiner shall deposit with the Chairman a suitable number of sets of questions on each of the studies he has charge of. The minimum number of questions on one study being ten and the maximum twenty.

4th. No examination will be granted at the seat of Conference except in cases of the most extreme necessity, and no re-examination shall be granted. A candidate for admission on trial will be granted examinations at any time, on the request of his Presiding Elder, but the earliest date is desirable.

5th. Conference Examiners will report to the Registrar at the end of each schedule term as to the grades they have given.

II. Students.

1st. All candidates for examination who are present at the session of the Conference shall some time during the session be convened before the Board for mutual consultation.

2nd. In no case shall two or more examination papers be bound together, but each must be made separate; on paper of uniform size designated by the Board, viz., "letter" size. All must be neatly written in ink, or typewriter, on one side only, and being properly dated, paged, fastened together and signed.

3rd. No undergraduate shall be advanced from the class of the first year, or of the third year who has failed in half of the requirements of said year, except on the recommendation of two-thirds of the Board present and voting. In case of the continuance of any undergraduates in the same class or year, or their advance, they shall be permanently credited with the grades of the studies in which they passed.

4th. All students must certify in writing that they have "read the books carefully."

5th. Students will apply only to the Chairman for questions, and only on the books assigned in the "Scheme of Studies" for the current months.

III. Credits and Fees.

1st. In view of the expense on the part of the Chairman and others, in postage, printing, etc., it is required that a fee of fifty cents be paid in advance to the Treasurer by each student annually while in the course. No papers will be sent without compliance with this rule.

2nd. Credits will be given by the Board through the Chairman in harmony with the provisions of the Discipline (1912) Appendix par. 568. Notice must be given the Chairman at the opening of the Conference year by those who intend to make claims for credits.

IV. Itinerant Club.

1st. The Board shall annually appoint a committee of not less than three, the Chairman and Registrar being members ex-officio, who shall have charge of the program of the "Itinerant Club," such program to be published not later than one month before the meeting of the Annual Conference. The committee for the year 1913-14 consists of B. F. Crissman, J. W. Borah and Chesteen Smith.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR UNDER-GRADUATES. 1913-17.

The Board of Examiners of the St. Louis Annual Conference have made the following arrangement of the Studies for the four-year course prescribed for the Under-Graduates by authority of the General Conference:

MONTH	STUDIES REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION ON TRIAL	FIRST YEAR	SECOND YEAR	THIRD YEAR	FOURTH YEAR
April May June	For Examination: 1. English Branches: a. Elementary English. b. Principles of Rhetoric.—Hill. c. General History.—Meyers. To Be Read: 1. The Heart of John Wesley's Journal.	For Examination: 1. Jesus and the Gospels. 2. Preparation and Delivery of Sermons. To Be Read: 1. Sermons (Vol. I), 1-33. 2. Christian View of the Old Testament.	For Examination: 1. Biblical Hermeneutics. To Be Read: 1. Sermons (Vol. I), 34-58. 2. History of Methodism, Vol. I.	For Examination: 1. System of Christian Doctrine (pp. 1-322). To Be Read: 1. Fellowship in the Life Eternal. 2. The Indwelling Spirit.	For Examination: 1. System of Christian Doctrine ((pp. 323-625). To Be Read: 1. Place of Christ in Modern Theology; or the Historic Christ in the Faith of Today.
July August September	For Examination: 1. The Worker and His Bible.—Eiselen and Barclay. 2. History and Exposition of the Twenty-five Articles of Religion of the Methodist Episcopal Church.—Wheeler. To Be Read: 1. The Tongue of Fire.—Arthur. 2. The Learning Process.—Colvin.	For Examination: 1. American History. 2. Winning of the Fight Against Drink. To Be Read: 1. Heart of Asbury's Journal. 2. Christian Nurture; or Elements of Religious Pedagogy.	For Examination: 1. The Bible, Its Origin and Nature. 2. How We Think. To Be Read: 1. St. Paul, the Traveler and Roman Citizen. 2. Methodism and the Republic.	For Examination: 1. History of the Christian Church. 2. The Fact of Conversion. To Be Read: 1. The Christian Faith.	2. History of Methodism, Vol. III. For Examination: 1. Theism. 2. Christian Ethics. To Be Read: 1. Historical Geography of the Holy Land. 2. Lectures on Preaching.
October November December	For Examination: 1. The Discipline of the Methodist Church for 1912. 2. Life of John Wesley.—Winchester. To Be Read: 1. Every-day Evangelism.—Leete; or Letters of Evangelism.—Hughes. 2. Plain Account of Christian Perfection.—Wesley.	For Examination: 1. Digest of Methodist Law. 2. English Style in Public Discourse. To Be Read: 1. Extemporaneous Oratory. 2. The Present South.	For Examination: 1. The Graded Sunday School in Principle and Practice. 2. The Light of the World. To Be Read: 1. Christianity and the Social Crisis. 2. The Resurrection of Jesus; or the Fact of Christ.	For Examination: 1. Sacerdotalism in the Nineteenth Century. 2. The New Basis of Civilization. To Be Read: 1. Governing Conference in Methodism. 2. History of Methodism, Vol. II.	For Examination: 1. Principles of Literary Criticism. 2. Prophecy and the Prophets. To Be Read: 1. Hymn Studies. 2. Pastoral and Personal Evangelism.
January February March	For Examination: 1. Organization and Building the Sunday School.—Hurlbut. 2. Written Sermon. Text: Luke 19:10. To Be Read: 1. The Pastor - Preacher.—Quayle.	For Examination: 1. Written Sermon. Text: John 9:25. To Be Read: 1. Jesus and the Social Question. 2. The Methodist Review.	For Examination: 1. Decisive Hour of Christian Missions. 2. Essay. Subject: How to Do Effective Pastoral Work. To Be Read: 1. The Methodist Review.	For Examination: 1. Written Sermon. Text: Matt. 28:6. To Be Read: 1. Social Message of the Modern Pulpit; or Social Solutions. 2. The Methodist Review.	For Examination: 1. The Social Engineer. 2. Essay, or Synopsis of the Psychology of the Soul. To Be Read: 1. Constitutional History 2. The Methodist Review.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF MARIONVILLE-CARLTON EDUCATIONAL FUND.

Cash Received.

G. J. Hunt	$ 50.00	J. S. Walker	100.00
G. F. Bundy	5.00	J. P. King	20.00
J. W. Freeman	60.00	H. C. Leonard	20.00
W. L. Requa	15.00	A. G. Keast	5.00
N. V. Heidlebaugh	10.00	W. K. Chatten	10.00
W. A. Quayle	100.00	G. W. Brown	1,000.00
C. T. Orr	100.00	E. B. Olmstead	50.00
Mrs. E. A. Burge	250.00	C. V. Criss	20.00
O. J. Gosh	40.00	J. C. Needles	2.00
J. H. Lucas	500.00	M. Young	40.00
J. C. Smith	25.00	S. T. Gresham	20.00
W. F. Maring	50.00	W. D. Sidman	20.00
C. C. James	20.00	D. T. Simmons	20.00
N. V. Heidlebaugh	10.35	C. C. James	30.00
H. A. Jones	25.00	T. P. Shaffer	5.00
N. A. Seldon	5.00	W. A. A. Fortner	20.00
S. B. Campbell	35.00	J. R. Postlethwaite	20.00
D. W. Britton	50.00	L. V. Hassell	5.00
Naphtali Luccock	50.00	N. A. Mackey	10.00
J. P. Walker	250.00	W. O. Thompson	5.00
C. C. Hull	5.00	J. F. Odom	20.00
W. E. Brown	5.00	P. E. Pierce	5.00
J. C. Gilbreath	20.00	F. E. Dubois	5.00
A. M. Livingston	20.00	H. C. Curtis	10.00
D. W. Britton	50.00	A. D. Ball	10.00
E. Combie Smith	50.00	J. W. Borah	50.00
S. B. Campbell	15.00	H. B. Rhodes	5.00
H. B. Foster	10.00	E. P. Anderson	50.00
S. F. Stevens	10.00	W. G. Rector	10.00
Lamar Church	10.00	O. A. Freeman	10.00
Samuel Warner	20.00	V. C. Clark	5.00
O. M. Stewart	20.00	C. F. Tippin	10.00
I. C. Hodson	20.00	C. L. Oswald	10.00
Carthage Church	20.00	F. O. Moore	20.00
G. A. Moss	5.00	C. L. Senn	10.00
Marionville Circuit	5.00	W. F. Jones	50.00
H. A. Jones	25.00	Hagerty Memorial	20.00
Mrs. Ralph Wqumack	20.00	J. W. Needham	25.00
W. S. Reasor	5.00	E. H. Sapp	10.00

J. C. Kirk	10.00	H. G. Humphrey	10.00
Ralph Wakefield	25.00	L. A. Ferris	50.00
J. A. Webb	5.00		
Wm. Leatherman	2.50		$3,874.85
C. H. Hargrove	30.00		

Cash Disbursed.

Marionville College	$ 200.00	Carleton College	100.00
Marionville College	300.00	Stamps	2.00
Carleton College	500.00	Amount paid Carleton College	800.00
Marionville College	100.00	Amount paid Marionville College	800.00
Carleton College	100.00	Stamps, stationery, etc.	15.75
Marionville College	100.00	German American Bank, Springfield	1,656.60
Carleton College	50.00	Carthage Bank	455.00
Gardener Supply Co.	2.50	Cash in hand	147.50
Carleton College	50.00		
Stamps	4.00		$3,874.85
Inland Printing Co.	6.00		
Brown Brothers	1.25		
Marionville College	100.00		

Audited and found correct March 31, 1913.

J. CHAS. GILBREATH, Chairman.
A. G. NEWMAN, Secretary.

STATISTICS

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Conference Session, March, 1912.

Frederick Getty, Treasurer, in account with the St. Louis Annual Conference, 1912-1913:

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To Balance from 1912	$ 17.20	
To Conference Collections	85,877.00	
To Conference Collections, Cash	31,979.00	
To Book Concern Dividend	2,287.00	
To Board of Conference Claimants	350.00	
To Permanent Fund, St. Louis Conference	312.00	
To Chartered Fund	30.00	
To Refunded Vouchers	124.00	
To Proceeds of Sale at California, Mo	889.09	
To Fractional Amounts	2.00	$121,867.29

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By Conference Collections, Vouchers	$85,877.00
By Board of Foreign Missions	9,864.00
By Board of Home Missions and Church Extension	8,352.00
By Board of Education	687.00
By Board of Sunday Schools	682.00
By Board of Conference Claimants	655.00
By Freedman's Aid Society	1,129.00
By American Bible Society	173.00
By Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	9.00
By Woman's Home Missionary Society	9.00
By Marionville College	1,072.00
By Carleton College	1,283.00
By Conference Minutes	332.00
By Conference Claimants, St. Louis Conference	8,414.00
By General Conference Expense	648.00
By Central Office Epworth League	75.00
By Episcopal Fund	1,453.00
By Permanent Fund, St. Louis Conference	128.00
By W. D. Sidman, account Conference Minutes	5.00
By Marionville College, Special	30.00

By Office Expense, 1909-1912	12.00	
By Deposit, Fidelity Trust Company	889.09	
By Balance	49.20	$121,867.29

Respectfully submitted.

FREDERICK GETTY, Treasurer.

Audited and found correct, March 28, 1913.

J. CHAS. GILBREATH.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE PERMANENT FUND.

Amount of principal reported last year		$ 9,899.59
Added from collections and pledges	$ 78.00	
Added from bequest of Sophia McGinnis	411.62	489.62
Present principal		$10,389.21
Amount of investments reported last year		9,688.75
Net amount added to investments		650.00
Cash in savings account		50.46
Total as above		$10,389.21
Interest collections		$ 366.66
Expenses allowed and paid	10.00	
Draft to Conference Stewards	356.00	366.00
Balance cash on hand		.66

March 20, 1913. I. J. K. LUNBECK, Treasurer.

REPORT OF BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Receipts.

Dividend from the Book Concern	$2,278.00
Dividend from the Charter Fund	30.00
Dividend from the Permanent Fund	356.00
Dividend from the Preacher's Aid Society	150.00
Support from charges (less 5 per cent)	5,846.00
Other Items	276.84
Total	$8,945.80

Disbursements.

Annuities Paid	$7,891.00
From Special Fund	900.00
Balance	154.84
Total	$8,945.84

A. M. LIVINGSTON, Secy. and Treas.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANT'S DIRECTORY.

Names.	Postoffice.	Years effective.	Annuity Claim.	Annuity Paid.	Allowance from Special Fund.	Total Amount Paid.
M. Bell	Golden City, Mo.	18	$ 270	$ 143	$...	$ 143
J. B. Brewington	San Diego, Cal., 2275 C. St.	22	330	175	50	225
W. K. Collins	Lee's Summit, Mo.	29	435	230	....	230
D. W. Crow	DeSoto, Mo.	31	465	246	....	246
C. D. Fry	Cabool, Mo.	31	465	246	....	246
I. M. Galbreath	Eldorado Springs, Mo.	23	345	.....	....	.....
T. J. Gideon	Hartville, Mo.	29	435	230	....	230
J. S. Harris	St. George, Ga.	27	405	214	....	214
J. H. Hurley	Epworth, Ga.	28	420	222	....	222
Samuel Jones	Clinton, Mo.	8	120	64	50	114
James Lokey	Clever, Mo.	30	450	238	....	238
*I. J. K. Lunbeck	Kansas City Mo., 3918 E. 18th St.	39	575	.....	....	.....
J. N. Moore	Kansas City, Mo., 524 Wallace Ave.	32	480	254	....	254
Frank Oechsli	Lawrence, Kans., 1042 Ohio Street	24	360	190	....	190
J. N. Pierce	Clinton, Mo.	31	465	246	....	246
James Pine	Marionville, Mo.	33	495	262	....	262
J. S. Porter	Rich Hill, Mo.	22	330	175	50	225
W. T. Pare	Leeton, Mo.	16	240	127	....	127
W. H. Rose	Montrose, Colo.	35	525	278	....	278
D. C. Ridgeway	Birmingham, Ala., 2629½ Ave., F.	38	570	301	....	301
J. W. Slusher	Marionville, Mo.	25	375	198	....	198
F. M. Stickney	Eldon, Mo.,	19	285	151	....	151
E. A. Squier	Atlanta, Ill.	32	480	254	....	254
Wm. Stephens	Belton, Mo.	37	555	294	75	369
W. J. Simmons	Marionville, Mo.	34	510	270	....	270
Hervey Smith	Jamestown, Ohio	17	255	135	....	135
Henry Threlfall	Galena, Mo.	26	390	206	....	206
W. F. Yeager	Marionville, Mo.	23	345	183	....	183
		10	375	5532	225	5751

*Relinquishes his claim.

CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS' DIRECTORY—Continued

Names. Mesdames	Postoffice.	Years effective.	Annuity Claim.	Annuity Paid.	Allowance from Special Fund.	Total Amount Paid.
A. Barber	Moran, Kans.	18	$ 135	71	....	71
W. M. Beatty	San Diego, Cal., 1130 10th	13	97	51	....	51
Anna Brough	Danville, Ill., 515 Sheridan Street	16	120	63	75	138
T. Benefield	Columbus, Kans., 490 Florida Street	..	.....	30	....	30
A. J. Clifford	Kansas City, Mo., 17 E. 32d Street	11	87	44	50	94
W. R. Cowden	Colorado Springs, Colo., 160 Loncoln Ave.	22	165	87	25	112
M. M. Creamer	Fredonia, Kans.	16	120	63	....	63
Sadie Daniels	Warsaw, Mo.	17	127	67	....	67
M. M. Durham	Lamar, Mo.	13	97	51	50	101
J. W. Finley	Richland, Mo.	33	247	131	50	181
E. M. Garner	Denison, Texas, 1622 Walker Street.	16	120	63	....	63
G. H. Gideon	DeSoto, Mo	30	225	119	....	119
G. H. Glenns	Kansas City, Mo., 3933 Penn. Street	21	157	83	....	83
L. M. Harris	Los Angeles, Cal., 1513 Girard Ave.	30	225	119	35	154
G. W. Hughey	Galena, Mo.	41	307	163	....	163
Mary V. Hamel	Springfield, Mo., R. F. D. 6	27	202	107	....	107
*Leander Hallock	St. Louis, Mo.	38	285	.....	....	.....
E. J. Hunt	Carthage, Mo.	32	240	127	....	127
M. A. Houts	Centerview, Mo.	10	75	40	....	40
Harriet Jump	Kansas City, Mo., 1318 E. Seventh Street	25	187	198	75	174
T. H. Knease	Seymour, Mo.	20	150	79	75	154
J. A. Little	Plainfield, Ind.	3	22	12	....	12
R. M. Morgan	Humble, Texas.	9	67	35	25	60
Jane Morris	New York, 960 E. 173d	9	67	36	....	36
G. P. Miller	Kansas City, Mo., 710 Olive	17	127	67	....	67
A. J. Moffit	Washburn, Mo.	27	202	107	10	117
H. G. Mais	Sedalia, Mo., 130 E. 24th	16	120	63	75	138
L. A. Porter	Rich Hill, Mo.	6	45	24	....	24
*L. M. Peters	Decatur, Ind.	16	120	.....	....	.....
M. E. Salloway	Smithton, Mo.	22	165	87	50	137
*F. L. Thompson	.....	26	195	.....	....	.....
Kitty Turrentine	Marionville, Mo.	12	90	47	50	97
J. B. Van Petten	Cazenovia, N. Y.	34	255	135	....	135
S. C. Woods	Los Angeles, Cal., 3556 Eagle Street	16	120	63	....	135
C. B. Walker	Marionville, Mo.	14	105	56	....	56
		..	5068	2359	675	3034

*Relinquishes claim.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												SUNDAY SCHOOLS			BAPTISMS		
		Support of Pastor				Support of District Superintendent		Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants		Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptised	Children Baptised	Baptised Children who are Under Instruction as Probationers
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Incuding House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid								
Adrian	C. A. Erdman	1080	1080	80	....	97	97	12	10	43	43	1230	2	2	40	305	6	1	....
Austin	D. W. Britton	900	850	50	50	81	81	10	8	36	34	973	54	2	29	180	1	....	....
Belton	J. C. Needles	800	783	120	17	72	70	9	8	32	30	891	22	1	12	56	1	2	....
Buckner	M. M. Anderson	*600	555	....	45	54	50	8	6	24	22	633	53	....	....	....	1	....	....
Cleveland	(F. G. Hale)	300	245	....	55	27	27	3	3	12	12	287	55	1	10	120	....	....	....
Courtney	J. T. Bainbridge	200	200	....	....	18	18	2	1	8	4	223	5	1	9	51	....	1	....
Drexel	W. S. Courtney	†1140	1140	140	....	102	102	14	11	45	45	1298	3	2	24	175	15	....	15
East Lynne	(W. T. Barkey)	*660	476	60	184	60	53	8	2	26	6	537	217	2	20	80	....	1	....
Garden City	(A. F. Haynes)	460	460	....	....	41	41	5	5	18	4	510	14	3	27	154	....	....	....
Holden	J. Caleb Kirk	1000	1000	120	....	90	90	10	10	35	40	1140	....	1	26	159	2	....	....
Indep'ce—Watson Mem.	W. R. Nelson	1400	1400	240	....	126	126	16	11	66	56	1593	15	1	26	248	11	7	7
Kansas City—Arlington	G. H. Cosper	2000	2000	....	....	180	180	25	25	80	80	2285	....	1	30	322	28	11	....
Bennington Heights	E. H. Sapp	†1150	1100	150	50	103	103	14	....	46	30	1233	80	1	23	395	6	10	6
Beaumont	(Thos. Martin)	†500	500	....	....	45	45	6	5	20	20	570	1	1	12	135	5	....	....
Broadway	H. G. Humphrey	1500	1500	....	....	135	135	17	16	60	60	1711	1	1	22	214	....	5	....
City Missions	J. R. Postlethwait	†200	111	....	89	18	9	2	3	8	4	127	101	3	29	246	6	....	....
Grace	F. O. Moore	†1000	1000	....	....	90	90	12	10	40	40	1140	2	1	27	246	6	16	....
Grand Avenue	E. B. Olmstead	4500	4500	....	....	405	405	55	24	180	144	5073	67	1	39	358	36	15	30
Howard Memorial	Chesteen Smith	3700	3700	....	....	333	286	42	43	148	172	4201	22	1	37	650	9	4	....
Hyde Park	W. G. Clinton	3000	3000	600	....	270	270	37	30	120	120	3420	7	1	25	250	2	3	....
Independence Ave.	L. A. Ferris	4600	4600	600	....	414	414	56	36	184	160	5210	44	1	60	846	10	15	30
Linwood Blvd.	E. Combie Smith	3800	3800	....	....	342	342	44	38	152	152	4332	6	1	50	650	10	20	40
Maywood	J. T. Bainbridge	†916	916	216	....	63	63	9	7	28	28	1014	2	1	17	180	15	5	10
Mt. Washington	Samuel Warner	†1050	1050	240	....	94	95	12	10	42	47	1202	....	1	17	122	4	2	....
Oakhurst	W. R. McCormack	1800	1800	....	....	162	162	24	12	72	64	2038	20	1	37	500	23	8	....
Oakley	D. C. Dutton	2000	2000	....	....	180	180	25	25	80	80	2285	....	1	50	800	20	12	20
Phoenix Park	Thomas Stone	1200	1200	....	....	108	108	14	12	48	48	1368	2	1	40	374	1	4	....
Slavens Memorial	P. R. Hoos	†840	840	....	....	75	75	10	8	33	33	956	2	1	19	222	8	9	....
Sugar Creek	(Roy Kuhns)	†400	....	....	....	36	....	5	....	16	....	....	457	(1)	(7)	(47)	....	....	....
Summit Street	R. H. Lint	1200	1200	....	....	108	108	14	7	48	44	1359	11	1	32	300	59	3	....
Kingsville	(B. E. Horn)	*350	337	....	13	31	24	6	1	22	5	367	42	2	18	97	1	1	....
Lee's Summit	Frederick Getty	900	900	100	....	81	81	10	10	36	36	1027	....	1	19	150	....	....	....
Oak Grove	(B. E. Horn)	500	450	100	50	45	35	6	4	20	20	509	62	2	19	112	1	4	....
Pleasant Hill	W. R. Ward	*700	700	100	....	63	63	9	7	28	28	798	2	1	11	90	1	....	....
		46346	45393	2916	....	4149	4028	551	408	1856	1711	51540	1371	43	863	8834	288	159	158

*Have Missionary Appropriations. †Aid from City Extension Society.

KANSAS CITY DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						EPWORTH LEAGUE		CHURCH PROPERTY								GENERAL CONFERENCE EXPENSES		
	Probationers		Full Members																
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due on the Quadrennium
Adrian	10	2	270	2		2	22		2	10000	1	1000	300	650		200		3	
Austin	2	13	241	81		1	40		2	6500	1	1200	1800	450	550	225			
Belton	4	4	157			6	22		2	2700	1	900				85			
Buckner	2		89	14		1	35		1	2000						60		2	
Cleveland	4	12	90				50		1	1500			35			100			
Courtney		2	39	1		1			1	800			40			25			
Drexel	8	6	140	2		3	30		2	4000	1	1600	80		45	175		1	
East Lynne			124						2	3500	1	1000	150			60			
Garden City	1	2	101			2	20	26	3	7600					300				
Holden	2		220	12		3	42	20	1½	7500	1	2000	109	513		145			
Indep'ce—Watson Mem.	15	19	276		1	5	40	14	1	25000	1	3500	150		2800	321			
Kansas City—Arlington	102		565				70	65	1	1800			212		7000	650			
Bennington Heights	4	5	103	1		2	40	40	1	4500	1	1500	175	200	300	150		2	
Beaumont	12	8	77	19			25	20	1	1700			500		75	76			
Broadway			112	10			50		1	15000				75	700	362		2	
City Missions	17	10	83	4	1	2	18		3	6200						267			
Grace	24	22	188			2	45	60	1	18000			175	1250	500	200			
Grand Avenue	59	32	766	20		10	120	37	1	881840			20000		390000	6000			
Howard Memorial	10	12	693	13	1	3	120		1	60000	1	5000	115	1250	10750	2280			
Hyde Park	7	2	247			3	40		1	36000	1	6000	150		25000	4500			
Independence Ave.	50	20	960	100	1	7	125		1	125000	1	10000	4000		9000	8000			
Linwood Blvd.	26	41	1000	10	1	5	50	30	1	35000						800			
Maywood	1	2	83			2	30	15	1	6000	1	2000	791		4000	130			
Mt. Washington	9	8	118	3		1	35	30	2	10000	1	2500	7212		4790	150			
Oakhurst	48	19	490	29	1	6	54	61	1	25000			200	425	11650	1300			
Oakley	50	50	550			3	60	80	1	30000			300	375	10208	1200		6	
Phoenix Park			300	1		2	65	60	1	10000			450	650	3600	220			
Slavens Memorial	15	22	194	15	1	2	60	20	1	20000			2000	1230	10800	240			
Sugar Creek		(2)	(29)				(9)												
Summit Street	84		275	5	3	3	40	81	1	6000			45			377			
Kingsville			151				43		2	3000						41			
Lee's Summit			141	4		1			1	3500	1	2500	60	35		140		2	
Oak Grove		9	111	1		1	30		2	2100	1	1500	55			49			
Pleasant Hill	1	3	132				24		1	4000	1	2000	112			206		3	
	567	327	9115	347	10	79	1454	659	45½	1375740	16	44200	39216	7103	492068	28734		31	

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		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Incuding House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptised	Children Baptised	Baptised Children who are Under Instruction as Probationers
Ava.	(N. Hockensmith)	340	94	90	246	37	37	3	3	13	13	147	326	....	....	....	....	5	....
Belle	L. V. Hassell	*475	475	....	....	55	56	5	5	20	12	548	7	3	24	170	19	....	7
Buffalo.	C. C. Hull	*650	700	50	....	76	76	7	7	28	28	811	....	2	16	118	7	....	....
Buffalo Circuit	(D. W. Lowe)	65	57	....	8	6	7	1	....	2	....	64	....	3	20	150	....	....	....
Cabool.	G. F. Bundy	*300	325	75	....	49	38	3	3	14	14	380	....	1	12	....	....	....	....
Conway.	C. F. Tippin	700	678	50	21	77	77	7	7	28	28	790	21	3	21	160	8	2	....
Eldon.	B. D. Jones	800	850	50	....	85	85	8	8	32	32	975	....	1	20	160	5	5	....
Gainsville	(J. W. Bivins)	*230	100	30	100	30	25	2	2	9	9	136	105	....	....	....	....	....	....
Hartville.	J. T. Carnett	*575	398	60	157	68	50	5	4	20	15	467	201	1	10	70	....	....	....
Houston.	(F. L. Lawless)	*510	430	60	80	60	60	5	4	20	18	512	83	2	18	150	15	....	....
Iberia.	(G. T. Bishop)	*500	390	....	110	60	50	5	4	20	8	452	134	3	16	125	15	....	....
Lebanon.	W. A. A. Fortner	1200	1200	100	....	132	132	12	12	44	44	1388	....	1	19	169	....	....	....
Lebanon Circuit.	(Wm. McClanahan)	*210	180	....	30	27	27	2	4	9	7	218	30	4	18	75	5	1	1
Licking.	J. L. Beard	585	476	60	109	64	52	5	5	20	20	553	121	2	13	105	17	....	....
Linn Creek	(J. F. McSpadden)	*332	408	75	....	40	40	3	3	10	10	461	....	4	27	177	10	....	....
Marshfield.	C. F. McLean	800	853	50	....	88	88	8	8	30	30	979	....	1	20	156	....	8	8
Mountain Grove	A. M. Livingston	1200	1200	100	....	132	132	12	12	44	48	1392	....	1	20	250	10	3	20
Mountain Grove Ct.	(D. D. Killiam)	115	111	....	4	12	12	1	1	4	4	128	4	1	7	30	....	....	....
Newburg and Dixon	W. E. Matthews	660	800	120	....	72	72	6	6	22	22	900	....	2	22	196	41	2	8
Olean.	(F. M. Stickney)	*390	241	....	169	45	41	3	3	14	14	299	166	2	15	45	....	....	....
Phillipsburg.	I. J. Wolfe	*500	500	60	....	60	60	5	5	20	20	585	....	2	20	109	9	2	4
Plato.	(Ira Moore)	250	146	....	113	27	20	2	....	10	....	166	123	....	....	....	....	....	....
Richland	Joseph Scarborough.	675	675	75	....	75	75	7	7	28	27	784	1	1	22	180	....	....	....
Richland Circuit	J. A. Moss	*390	....	....	....	42	42	4	....	14	....	42	....	2	12	84	1	....	....
Rolla.	G. J. Hunt	1180	1180	180	....	129	129	11	11	44	44	1364	....	1	24	240	40	1	....
Seymour and Mansfield.	B. E. Niblack	725	700	75	25	79	79	7	7	25	28	814	22	2	28	150	1	....	....
Upshaw.	(E. Sternberg)	*215	215	....	....	32	32	2	2	8	8	257	....	2	12	80	24	10	10
Urbana.	(J. W. Manuel)	600	600	50	....	66	52	6	6	22	22	680	10	2	15	110	6	3	2
		15172	13982	1410	1117	1725	1646	147	139	574	525	16292	1255	49	451	3259	233	42	60

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	Probationers		Full Members																
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due on the Quadrennium
Ava.	7		51		1				3	3250	1	700	250						
Belle	1	8	142	12	1			16	3	4500	1	500	75	275		45			
Buffalo.		3	133		1	2	4	50	2	9000	1	2000	215	40		109			
Buffalo Circuit	3	3	75		1				4	1500	1	200							
Cabool.		2	66	17		1			1	1200	1	800				30		2	
Conway.	10		243	12	2	1	42	35	5	4700	1	800	2310			70			
Eldon.			166	8	1	1			1	2000	1	2000				120			
Gainsville			150		2														
Hartville.	1		212	7	1	1	36		4	6000	1	1000	100			75			
Houston.			139		2	1	30		1	2500	1	1200	240			60			
Iberia.	30	15	240		1				6	7000			375						
Lebanon.	3	11	226		1	2	40		1	10000	1	1800		75	270	150			
Lebanon Circuit.	68		250	4	1	1			5	3600						67			
Licking.	24		132		3	3	30		3 1–3	4500	1	600	30			75			
Linn Creek	28		140		1	2			4	4000	1	800	200			75			
Marshfield.	4		161			3	25	35	1	3500	1	1200	604			92			
Mountain Grove	29	37	298		3	4	25	60	1	4500	1	2000	25			347			
Mountain Grove Ct.			26	17			30		1¼	1200			23			5			
Newburg and Dixon	45	3	172			2	56	32	2	5000	1	600	160			230			
Olean.			145			2			2½	5700									
Phillipsburg.	5		146	19		2		25	2	1500	1	300				20			
Plato.	14		179						5 1–3	3000			250						
Richland	15		162	10		1	50		1	2500	1	800	80			100			
Richland Circuit			143	1	1	1							112	50		75			
Rolla.	54	2	210	15		3	60		1	9000	1	2000	277			145			
Seymour and Mansfield.			157		1	2			2	4700	1	1000	197			34			
Upshaw.	55	9	158		1		30	16	4	3000			20						
Urbana.	14		240	4	1	1	50		3	3500	1	800	100			43			
	410	93	4572	126	26	36	508	269	58 5–12	110800	20	21100	5393	440	270	1967		2	

FARMINGTON DISTRICT.

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		Support of Pastor				Support of District Superintendent		Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants									
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Including House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptised	Children Baptised	Baptised Children who are Under Instruction as Probationers
Belgrade	(Albert Maynard)	360	200	.....	160	50	35	3	....	5	....	235	183	2	16	80	6	3	....
Bloomfield	O. R. Sides	800	800	100	.....	80	80	8	5	12	10	895	5	2	12	105	7	8	6
Bloomfield Circuit	(D. E. Fields)	600	535	.....	65	60	50	6	5	11	10	600	77	2	16	100	19	2	....
Bonne Terre	A. H. Barnes	*580	370	120	210	68	39	4	4	6	3	416	242	1	7	77	3	....	....
Cornwall Circuit	(W. R. Magee)	250	250	.....	.....	40	31	3	3	3	3	287	9	3	18	90	10	6	....
Courtois Circuit	(J. H. Hicks)	325	166	.....	159	60	60	3	3	4	2	231	161	6	20	150	7	1	....
DeSoto	A. A. Halter	920	900	120	20	100	100	9	13	13	36	1049	....	1	15	250	39	8	10
DeSoto Circuit	(D. W. Crow)	200	152	.....	48	65	40	3	3	5	5	200	73	4	32	213	....	5	....
Doe Run	(W. T. Street)	600	589	80	11	100	32	4	....	5	....	621	88	1	9	104	....	....	....
Dudley	(A. W. Hill)	380	360	60	20	55	53	3	5	5	5	423	20	3	20	100	5	....	....
Farmington	J. W. Borah	1350	1350	.....	.....	145	145	13	20	20	54	1569	....	1	26	408	3	6	....
Flat River	D. E. Barrett	*460	378	100	82	68	24	4	....	6	....	402	136	1	7	65	....	....	....
Fruitland	.....	850	648	100	202	110	81	8	8	10	10	747	231	2	27	200	2	9	....
Irondale Circuit	(S. E. DuLaney)	200	....	.....	200	40	.....	1	....	4	....	.....	245	1	7	50	....	....	....
Ironton	W. K. Annentrout	*300	288	100	12	40	40	2	2	4	4	334	12	1	9	59	....	....	....
Lutesville Circuit	(D. P. Cole)	600	.....	90	600	65	.....	3	....	5	....	.....	673	2	12	80	....	....	....
Mountain View	C. V. Bryan	*825	677	.....	148	80	63	5	5	10	10	755	165	5	45	300	5	1	....
Patton Circuit	(C. W. Jennings)	400	....	.....	400	60	.....	3	....	5	....	.....	468	4	22	198	....	....	....
Perryville	M. O. Morris	*750	435	150	315	66	50	3	2	8	....	487	340	1	6	80	1	10	15
Poplar Bluff	F. E. DuBois	*1200	1200	.....	.....	130	130	10	10	13	13	1353	....	1	16	292	23	6	9
Poplar Bluff Circuit	(G. W. Davis)	100	....	.....	100	40	.....	1	....	3	....	.....	144	....	....	....	....	....	....
Puxico	(J. A. Kirkman)	700	820	100	.....	70	70	4	4	9	9	903	....	1	17	167	4	10	....
West Plains	H. A. Mitchell	1120	1120	120	.....	125	125	12	18	18	45	1308	....	1	22	316	4	10	12
West Plains Circuit	(J. M. Willard)	200	....	.....	200	44	.....	2	....	4	....	.....	250	2	....	50	....	....	....
Willow Springs	W. K. Chatten	*920	920	120	.....	100	100	9	12	12	12	1044	....	1	22	172	36	2	36
Winona	(M. O. Fivecoat)	350	319	.....	31	40	35	2	....	5	....	354	43	2	16	100	6	4	14
		15340	12477	1360	2983	1901	1383	128	122	215	231	14213	3565	51	419	3806	180	91	102

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Belgrade	10		140		2	4			3	3000						50			
Bloomfield	13		78	6			25	15	2	600	1	1200				100			
Bloomfield Circuit	1	3	150		1	2			4	3500			90			35			
Bonne Terre			52						1	1200	1	700	30			40			
Cornwall Circuit			181						4	2800						20			
Courtois Circuit	13	6	80		1				3	2500			200						
DeSoto	63	22	256	25	1	3	50	45	1	4000	1	1000	100	36	600	150			
DeSoto Circuit	5	5	117		1	3	48		4	4000						68			
Doe Run			83	28					1	4000						75			
Dudley	6	6	85						4	4400	1	800	300			50			
Farmington	27	22	282	42	5	1	60	45	1	18000			100		2100	280			
Flat River	10	10	117						1	2500	1	1250	50		800	40			
Fruitland			188	35	1	2			3	5000	1	1000	270			70			
Irondale Circuit	2		198						2	2000									
Ironton			51	20		2	15		1	1500	1	1000	100			100			
Lutesville Circuit		3	200						4	4000	1	800							
Mountain View	14		115		2	1			4	6000			250			90			
Patton Circuit			168						4	.400	1	100							
Perryville	13	23	34			1			1	1000	1	2000	335		500	10			
Poplar Bluff	37	8	170	6	1	4	65		1	18000				144	2300	150			
Poplar Bluff Circuit																			
Puxico	17		138			3	30		1	1200	1	1000	150	6		64			
West Plains	7	18	292	35	1	5	62	40	1	5000	1	2500	135			200			
West Plains Circuit	2		129																
Willow Springs	36		126	13		3	50		1	3500	1	1200	32		175	102			
Winona	14		90		1				1	4000									
	291	126	3510	210	17	34	405	145	53	106100	13	14500	2141	186	6475	1694			

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Ash Grove	(C. C. Lowe)	*385	251	60	134	47	36	7	5	18	14	306	151	2	16	150	3	....	....
Aurora	F. S. Beggs	700	700	100	....	70	70	9	9	28	28	807	....	1	17	190	1	....	....
Billings	W. O. Talbart	660	560	60	100	66	56	8	8	26	21	645	115	1	18	175	1	....	....
Bolivar	A. M. Dixon	1000	1000	100	....	100	100	13	13	40	40	1153	....	2	26	182	12	....	....
Clever Circuit	W. G. Rector	*300	231	....	69	34	27	4	2	12	5	265	85	1	18	100	32	8	....
Dadeville	(J. L. Suter)	*330	78	50	252	38	23	4	1	15	2	104	283	2	14	60	....	....	....
Fair Play	H. F. Dorcas	800	720	60	80	80	72	8	7	25	23	822	91	1	11	101	....	1	....
Galena	(James Pine)	*350	269	....	81	40	26	3	2	10	26	323	80	1	12	105	10	3	3
Golden City	G. M. Foster	900	900	100	....	90	90	10	10	36	36	1036	....	1	21	170	4	....	1
Greenfield	W. I. Torbert	810	800	60	10	81	80	10	10	32	30	920	13	1	20	150	2	....	....
Humansville	(F. L. Harris)	*650	650	50	....	65	65	8	8	24	24	747	....	2	23	200	7	....	....
La Russell	(J. P. Hurd)	*418	338	....	80	42	38	5	1	15	3	380	100	3	35	147	8	....	....
Lockwood	V. L. Oswald	750	750	75	....	75	75	9	9	30	30	864	....	1	22	128	3	2	10
Marionville	W. D. Sidman	1200	1200	200	....	120	120	15	15	48	48	1383	....	1	22	375	15	6	9
Marionville Circuit	(W. F. Yeager)	*225	128	....	97	26	15	3	1	10	5	149	115	1	5	40	....	....	....
Monett	H. H. St. Louis	1050	1050	100	....	105	105	12	6	42	26	1187	22	1	23	230	4	....	....
Mt. Vernon	Everett Simpson	1100	1100	100	....	110	110	14	14	44	44	1268	....	1	13	172	4	3	5
Osceola	D. T. Simmons	1000	1000	100	....	100	100	12	12	40	40	1152	....	1	21	200	4	3	....
Pierce City	(J. W. Slusher)	*450	384	75	66	55	38	5	3	15	10	435	90	1	19	88	1	....	....
Purdy	(James Lokey)	*475	390	....	85	57	42	6	4	20	12	448	110	2	18	120	10	....	....
Republic	J. E. Owens	875	875	75	....	88	88	11	11	35	35	1009	....	1	31	220	6	....	....
Springfield Circuit	(R. A. Anderson)	350	325	....	25	39	37	5	3	15	8	373	36	2	10	100	18	....	....
Daily Memorial	(W. T. Farley)	*500	500	200	....	50	39	4	1	14	2	542	26	1	12	116	....	1	....
Devers Benton Ave.	T. P. Shaffer	1340	1340	240	....	134	134	17	17	54	54	1545	....	1	30	280	3	4	....
Grace Church	S. B. Campbell	2400	2400	400	....	240	240	30	30	96	96	2766	....	1	28	595	24	6	....
Mt. Carmel	N. A. Seldon	*695	655	120	40	70	63	7	5	16	12	735	53	2	16	180	....	....	....
Stockton	F. R. Cubit	*772	556	72	216	82	58	9	5	31	12	631	263	3	28	235	11	1	1
Tanneyville		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Weaubleau	(J. M. Horne)	*565	64	25	501	58	17	7	....	21	....	81	570	3	24	171	....	....	....
		21050	19214	2422	1836	2162	1964	255	212	812	686	22076	2203	41	553	4980	183	38	29

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Billings		3	119		2	3			4	4200	1	800	94	40	238	35	2	1	1
Bolivar			126	4	2	4	25		1	3000	1	1500		400		100			
Ash Grove			144			3	20	20	1	2000	1	800	150			84			
Aurora	26		220	20		1	35		2½	5000	1	1500	105			128			
Clever Circuit	42	16	297	5	1	1	20	25	4	2400			222			50			
Dadeville			110						4	4000	1	600	243		100				
Fair Play	1	11	191	30	2	4	25		4	5300	1	1000	632			75			
Galena	6		107	17	1				3	4400			332			75			
Golden City	16	16	202	18	1	7	30		1	3500	1	1500	317			115			
Greenfield	3	1	120	20	3	1	40	10	1	2500	1	1500	775		900	208			
Humansville	13	19	229	24	3		65		3	4500	1	1500	1046		740	125			
La Russell	9	3	173	46	1	3	30		4	4200			25		75	150		2	
Lockwood	6	4	142	4	1	2	35	33	1	2500	1	1000	40			83		2	
Marionville	22	8	350	35	5	2	107	72	1	3500	1	2800	550	600	600	200			
Marionville Circuit			60		1				4	4000			25			20	3	3	
Monett	4		180	9			22		1	4300	1	1700	102		73	135	5		5
Mt. Vernon	7	6	125	13	1	2	40	30	1	6000	1	3000	850			150			
Osceola	9	2	162	9	1	1	40	40	1	10000	1	1800		150	300	65			
Pierce City	7		75			1	38		1	2500	1	1100							
Purdy	21		152			3	40		5	5000			127			125			
Republic	5	4	182			2	40	35	1	4500	1	900	5	225		167	4	4	
Springfield Circuit	25	1	80	8			25		3	2500			300			25			
Daily Memorial			30						1	12000	1	2500	22	42	600	110			
Devers Benton Ave.	4	5	309	22	3	3	40		1	15000	1	3000	558	300	800	350	10	4	6
Grace Church	25	23	539	123	4	5	175	18	1	40000	1	6000	75	1000		522			
Mt. Carmel	1	8	129		2	1	45		2	3500	1	1500	75		210	130	9		9
Stockton	22	7	311	55		1	125	20	4	6500	1	1500	25	650		125		4	
Tanneyville																			
Weaubleau			215		1				3	2500	1	300							
	274	137	5081	462	35	50	1062	303	63½	169300	22	37800	6695	3407	4636	3352	28	24	16

CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

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		Support of Pastor				Support of District Superintendent		Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants									
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Incuding House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptised	Children Baptised	Baptised Children who are Under Instruction as Probationers
Alba and Mt. Moriah	Dewitt C. Mallary	600	600	100	.....	54	54	10	10	24	24	688	....	2	30	201	48	14	5
Anderson	Amos G. Hummer	*500	500	.....	.....	45	45	8	5	20	10	560	13	1	16	176	8	2	4
Avilla	Chas. O. Crockett	650	650	50	.....	59	58	11	11	26	26	745	1	1	14	111	28	1	....
Butler	Claude S. Hanby	900	1000	100	.....	81	81	15	17	36	36	1134	....	1	19	170	3	....	....
Butler Circuit	(John E. Bengston)	*600	400	100	200	54	40	10	10	24	24	474	214	1	12	125	....	....	....
Carl Junction	Wm. R. Woodward	975	975	100	.....	88	82	17	11	39	39	1107	12	2	25	240	11	1	....
Carterville	W. Frank Baker	800	800	100	.....	72	72	14	10	32	28	910	8	1	22	150	2	9	....
Carthage	Samuel Blair	2500	2500	400	.....	225	225	44	43	100	105	2873	....	1	50	800	10	7	....
Carthage Circuit	(Charles Henson)	*750	818	100	.....	67	54	12	13	30	28	913	....	4	45	353	68	1	....
Hume	Edward R. Horton	750	685	50	65	67	67	12	8	30	27	787	75	3	28	168	2	....	....
Iantha	Oscar V. Suter	650	650	60	.....	58	58	11	7	26	23	738	7	4	50	450	33	3	3
Jasper	Wm. O. Thompson	1000	1010	150	.....	90	90	17	10	40	32	1142	5	2	40	360	27	22	....
Joplin—Byers Ave.	Henry B. Foster	1800	1800	200	.....	162	162	30	30	72	72	2064	....	1	27	66	8	8	11
Central Ave.	Thos. E. Prall	1000	796	120	204	90	72	17	5	40	13	886	261	1	24	150	1	....	2
Chitwood	Purnell E. Bingman	*50	....	.....	50	....	4	....	....	....	....	4	....	2	6	28	....	....	....
Epworth	Purnell E. Bingman	*700	850	.....	.....	63	56	12	3	28	5	914	....	1	16	150	6	13	10
First Church	Harvey A. Jones	2300	2300	300	.....	207	207	40	44	92	92	2643	....	1	37	450	9	16	11
Lamar	Scott F. Stevens	1000	1000	100	.....	90	90	17	18	40	40	1148	....	1	32	350	12	1	....
Liberal	John W. Moore	752	752	52	.....	68	59	12	12	30	30	853	9	2	32	337	9	1	....
Moundville	(Gus A. Deitrich)	510	510	60	.....	46	45	8	8	20	20	583	1	1	17	127	....	....	....
Nashville	(Loren Rapier)	600	600	80	.....	54	54	10	10	24	30	694	....	3	39	199	2	....	....
Nevada	John F. Odom	1400	1400	200	.....	126	126	24	24	66	60	1610	6	1	28	315	28	....	2
Neosho	Walter E. Brown	1200	1200	.....	.....	108	108	21	21	40	40	1369	....	1	28	208	4	2	....
Oronogo and Neck City	Wm. L. Requa	900	835	60	65	81	76	15	14	36	34	959	73	2	23	264	4	....	....
Rich Hill and Foster	M. V. Heidlebaugh	850	850	100	.....	76	76	14	14	34	34	974	....	2	28	280	....	4	5
Sarcoxie	Herbert B. Rhodes	1000	1000	150	.....	90	90	17	17	36	36	1143	....	1	23	190	1	6	10
Seneca	(Lewis F. Gilbreath)	*585	548	60	39	53	52	8	8	23	23	631	40	2	17	155	13	2	....
Sheldon and Milo	.....	585	500	.....	85	53	52	8	6	23	20	578	91	2	20	150	5	....	....
Spurgeon	.....	*400	200	.....	200	36	30	7	2	16	5	237	222	3	22	150	2	3	....
Webb City	R. O. Everhard	2360	1740	360	620	212	156	40	20	94	68	1984	722	4	58	600	3	10	....
Webb City Circuit	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
		28567	27469	3152	1528	2581	2441	481	611	1137	1024	31345	1760	54	828	8072	357	126	63

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CARTHAGE DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						EPWORTH LEAGUE		CHURCH PROPERTY								GENERAL CONFERENCE EXPENSES		
	Probationers		Full Members																
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due on the Quadrennium
Alba and Mt. Moriah	48	7	175	1		2	68	16	2	3900		1400	125			50		2	
Anderson	11	2	149			3	49		1	3000			20	52		107			
Avilla	33	6	220			1	35		2	4000	1	800	140			100			
Butler	2	2	218			4	65		1	12000	1	1000	40	335		270			
Butler Circuit		10	200				52		3½	3500	1	1200				40			
Carl Junction	16	2	160			3	48	43	3	6500	1	800	42	95		39			
Carterville	2		130	10	1	9	25	33	1	5000	1	1000	505			100	5	2	3
Carthage			722		4	7	200	29	1	29000	1	9000	160			1900			
Carthage Circuit	79	11	256		1	2	90	25	4	5800	1	1500	75			80			
Hume	2		193	25		2			2	3000	1	1000				115			
Iantha	33		230		1	2	65		4	5500		600	100			150			
Jasper	43	4	325	15		3	78	50	1	3600	1	1800		50		100			
Joplin—Byers Ave.	60	597	586		4	3	259	152	1	24000	1	2000	65	2977	2635	1072			
Central Ave.	2	3	141		1		75	34	1	3000	1	1200	67		1200	125			
Chitwood	1	14	14			4			2	400						12			
Epworth	19	7	86	10		1	44	112	1	10000			550	120	1500	125			
First Church	27	4	467		2	2	70	29	1	52000		3000	300	960	16000	1100			
Lamar	24	28	240			2	50	30	1	10000	1	1000	200			300			
Liberal	11	10	202	17		4	25	40	2	2600	1	1000	34			85			
Moundville			83	2	1	1	29	21	1	1800	1	500	279			49			
Nashville			193			1	100		2	3500	1	1000	150			45			
Nevada	39	6	380	10	1	4	50		1	7000	1	1500	410	252		305			
Neosho	6	4	241	13	1	4	60	30	1	12000			39	335	495	293			
Oronogo and Neck City	6	1	102	7		1	20	20	2	3500	1	400				95			
Rich Hill and Foster	4	9	151	7		3	30		2	9000	1	1200	850			160			
Sarcoxie	4	32	147				50	45	1	3000	1	2500	255		700	198			
Seneca	6	6	217	4		2	93		2	4800	1	1000	110						
Sheldon and Milo			200				40		2	3500	1	900	400		400				
Spurgeon		3	85				50		4	3000									
Webb City	68		600				50	150	4	35000	1	7000		5000	15000	500			
Webb City Circuit																			
	546	768	7123	121	17	70	1880	859	56½	272900	22	44100	4916	10176	37930	2515	5	4	3

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT.

NAME OF CHARGE	NAME OF PASTOR	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												SUNDAY SCHOOLS			BAPTISMS		
		Support of Pastor				Support of District Superintendent		Support of Bishops		Support of Conference Claimants									
		Total Claim Including House Rent	Total Paid Incuding House Rent	Rental Value of Parsonage	Deficiency	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Claim	Paid	Total Paid for Ministerial Support	Total Deficiency	Sunday Schools	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment in all Departments	Adults Baptised	Children Baptised	Baptised Children who are Under Instruction as Probationers
Cuba.	(G. F. Fons)	*650	450	100	200	65	45	6	5	22	17	517	226	1	13	170	29	2	....
Pacific.	(C. R. Disney)	*300	300	....	....	30	30	4	....	14	....	330	18	1	10	80	....	....	....
St. Louis—Bowman.	A. D. Ball	2000	2000	....	....	200	200	25	25	80	80	2305	....	1	40	450	15	25	20
Carondelet.	J. C. Gilbreath	1000	1000	....	....	100	100	12	12	40	40	1152	....	1	15	160	2	7	....
Chouteau.	H. C. Leonard	1200	1200	....	....	120	120	15	15	48	48	1383	....	1	22	256	6	13	12
Dr. Fry Memorial	J. W. Coontz	2220	2220	420	....	222	222	28	22	88	88	2558	....	1	24	303	1	9	10
Hagerty Memorial.	F. L. Geyer	1100	1100	....	....	110	110	13	10	44	45	1265	....	1	26	196	2	12	....
Harlem Place.	H. R. Osborne	1100	1300	200	....	110	110	13	13	44	44	1467	....	1	25	194	1	11	....
Jennings & Wal. Pk.	(Frank Finch).	600	600	....	....	60	60	7	7	24	24	691	....	2	20	150	1	5	5
Lindell Avenue	W. W. King	5000	5000	1000	....	500	500	63	55	200	245	5800	....	1	27	162	2	4	23
Maple Avenue.	Edmund J. Kulp	4300	4843	700	....	430	430	55	55	172	172	5500	....	1	39	327	3	3	....
Maplewood.	R . N. Jones	1100	1400	....	....	110	110	13	13	44	44	1267	....	1	13	100	3	9	....
St. Luke's.	J. F. King	1200	1200	200	....	100	100	12	12	40	40	1352	....	1	21	175	2	1	....
Shrewsbury.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	4	25	....	....	....
Trinity.	R. A. Hunt	1600	1600	....	....	160	160	20	16	64	64	1840	4	1	35	325	3	20	....
Union.	G. A. Robbins	4000	4000	1000	....	400	400	50	50	160	250	4700	....	2	88	846	48	12	....
Wagoner Memorial	J. J. Martin	1600	1600	....	....	160	160	20	20	64	64	1944	....	1	28	250	....	1	....
Winsor Memorial.	(L. S. DeBurgh)	200	200	....	....	32	....	4	....	13	....	....	....	1	10	97	....	....	....
Salem.	(W. Ward Smith)	*400	400	100	....	30	30	4	4	12	12	346	....	2	12	*114	8	....	....
Sligo.	A. B. Garrison	500	560	60	....	50	56	7	7	20	22	645	....	1	15	145	43	....	....
Sullivan.	(C. B. Disney)	*240	240	....	....	24	24	3	3	9	9	276	....	1	12	125	....	....	....
		30310	30913	3980	200	3013	3067	314	350	1222	1308	35638	248	24	499	4570	169	134	70

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	Probationers		Full Members																
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due on the Quadrennium
Cuba	88	1	161	5			35	70	3	3000	1	1500		110	491	59			
Pacific			30						1	3000			60						
St. Louis—Bowman	18	20	320		2		50		1	30000			600	2600	6000	1000			
Carondelet	6	56	208	55	2	4	50	30	1	12000			450		1200	275			
Chouteau	11	8	250		2	1	90	24	1	25000				500	9000	320			
Dr. Fry Memorial	14	10	279	6	1	2	60	40	1	27000	1	4500		100	6500	970			
Hagerty Memorial	4	4	213	20	2	3	86	35	1	15000			32	4850		506			
Harlem Place	2	1	118			1	42	52	1	3800	1	3300	438		1500	241			
Jennings & Wal. Pk			101				30	10	2	4500						75			
Lindell Avenue	26	11	372	31		2			1	140000	1	15000				8426			
Maple Avenue			607	28		6			1	75000	1	11000	200		25000	4479			
Maplewood	8	1	112	5		1	12	28	1	7500			700		2000	180			
St. Luke's	6	1	157			2	45		1	9000	1	8000	1150		7000	150			
Shrewsbury			17																
Trinity	7	3	354			5	50	35	1	25000			275			670			
Union	177	140	807	9	4	10	140	56	1	72000	1	8000	863			9967		20	
Wagoner Memorial	8	8	286		2		46		1	40000					8000	500			
Winsor Memorial			38																
Salem	5	13	96						2	2700	1	1000				35			
Sligo	46	2	113				30		1	1000	1	500				48			
Sullivan			62						2	3000						50			
	426	279	4795	159	15	37	756	380	24	498500	9	52800	4768	8160	66691	27951		20	

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Alberta	(J. C. Lee)	*560	508	50	.....	66	53	7	8	29	20	589	68	3	28	230	6	....	....
Appleton City	G. G. Yeoman	1075	1075	75	.....	118	118	14	18	44	44	1255	....	1	14	133	18	....	....
Centerview	Laban Anderson	*536	482	36	18	62	59	10	9	26	25	575	22	2	23	110	2	....	....
Clinton	Ralph Wakefield	1600	1600	.....	.....	176	176	28	19	64	60	1855	....	1	30	335	3	1	....
Deepwater	(G. G. Kliver)	700	700	100	.....	77	77	14	7	28	18	802	17	2	20	200	3	5	....
Dresden	(Elmer Robb)	*510	336	50	174	60	46	7	6	21	17	397	184	3	25	185	3	2	....
Eldorado Springs	J. C. Duplantis	1000	1000	100	.....	110	110	16	10	40	40	1160	....	1	23	275	....	1	....
Eldorado Springs Ct	(I. M. Galbraith)	90	29	.....	61	24	16	2	1	10	3	49	77	2	11	61	....	....	....
Green Ridge	G. T. Beard	*640	658	70	.....	72	72	12	12	22	28	770	....	1	12	50	....	....	4
Huntingdale	R. O. Williams	*600	583	50	17	70	61	10	7	22	24	675	27	2	20	60	7	1	....
Knob Noster	(J. W. Osment)	*675	675	100	.....	78	74	12	12	28	28	789	4	2	15	120	....	6	....
Malta Bend	Wm. Leatherman	975	975	75	.....	107	107	17	17	39	39	1138	....	2	19	163	1	....	10
Montrose	(W. S. Barnett)	*390	282	60	108	50	40	6	....	18	....	322	....	4	30	95	....	....	....
Odessa	W. F. Baker	*640	620	100	20	77	77	12	7	23	29	733	19	2	16	102	4	2	....
Pilot Grove	T. A. Dowler	575	575	50	.....	63	63	9	9	22	22	669	....	1	14	85	1	7	....
Rockville	J. M. Mason	*510	476	60	34	67	63	10	9	19	18	566	40	2	21	160	2	....	....
Schell City	(R. A. Marcus)	*660	630	60	30	77	67	12	5	24	10	712	....	2	24	150	7	....	....
Sedalia—Epworth	V. C. Clark	1050	1050	.....	.....	116	116	13	15	44	48	1229	....	1	20	240	9	....	....
First Church	B. F. Crissman	2200	2200	.....	.....	242	242	38	38	88	102	2585	....	1	37	366	27	6	6
Smithton	Zed Wright	800	800	100	.....	88	88	13	11	33	33	932	....	1	19	160	15	7	6
Tipton	J. A. Webb	675	694	50	.....	75	74	11	11	28	27	806	....	1	14	80	16	....	....
Urich	(Z. F. Meyer)	*560	600	.....	.....	66	58	10	7	21	20	685	12	3	25	100	4	....	....
Warrensburg	P. E. Pierce	1400	1400	200	.....	154	154	24	24	56	56	1634	....	1	25	202	2	2	20
Windsor	W. G. Rector	900	900	100	.....	99	99	16	16	36	36	1051	....	2	25	225	6	....	....
		19341	18848	1486	452	.....	2110	...	278	....	747	21978	470	43	510	3887	136	41	46

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Alberta	14	10	174	18	3	1	30		4	4500	1	400	35			78			
Appleton City	18	19	212	12		6	40	25	1	5000	1	1000	25			165			
Centerview	2	3	131			3	50		2	2000	1	500	150			117			
Clinton	4		326	46	1	3	65		1	15000			265	400	1810	355			
Deepwater	9		223		1	1			2	6000	1	1000	15	220		125			
Dresden	3		165	15		1			3	5500	1	800	20			70			
Eldorado Springs	2	15	285	12	2	3	80	110	1	5000	1	1000	40			150			
Eldorado Springs Ct		4	56		1	2			2½	1800						20			
Green Ridge		2	154	5		1	24		3	6500	1	800	2500			48			
Huntingdale	11		118			1	32		2	2700	1	600	75			31		1	
Knob Noster			170	10		2	35		2	5500	1	1000	50			53			
Malta Bend	1	7	128	2	1	2	53			4500	1	1500	250			358			
Montrose			93						4	4400	1	900							
Odessa	6	20	118	5			25	20	2	3500	1	1800	64	20	26	120			
Pilot Grove	2	10	109				25		1	1300	1	600	110			50			
Rockville	3		140	21		3	30		3	3300	1	800	20			80			
Schell City	26	2	232	68	1	2	31		2	2800	1	800				60		1	
Sedalia—Epworth	37		430	5	1	2	50	30	1	10000			700		500	160		4	
First Church	39	5	621	6	1	3	80	64	1	30000	1	5000	1200		3800	1080			
Smithton	19		239	9			50	40	1	5000	1	1200	300			190			
Tipton			172			3			2	4000	1	800	165					2	
Urich			194	3		3	14		3	5000	1	1000	130	56		94		2	
Warrensburg	6	21	342	68	3	3	62	50	1	23000	1	4000	357	274	1110	465			
Windsor	5	4	215		1	2	35		2	5500	2	2500	80			40			
	207	122	5047	305	16	47	801	339	46	161800	22	28000	6557	970	7246	3909		10	

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												SUNDAY SCHOOLS			BAPTISMS		
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Carthage	28567	27469	3152	1528	2585	2441	481	411	1137	1024	31343	1760	54	828	8072	357	126	63
Farmington	15340	12477	1360	2983	1901	1383	128	122	215	231	14213	3565	51	419	3806	180	91	102
Kansas City	46346	45393	2916	553	4149	4028	551	408	1856	1711	51540	1371	43	863	8834	288	159	158
Lebanon	15172	13982	1410	1117	1725	1646	147	139	574	525	16292	1255	49	451	3259	233	42	60
Sedalia	19341	18848	1486	452	2194	2070	321	278	785	747	21938	470	43	510	3887	136	41	46
St. Louis	30490	30713	3980	580	3019	2947	314	350	1222	1304	35514	729	24	499	4570	169	134	70
Springfield	21050	19214	2422	1836	2162	1964	255	212	812	686	22076	2203	41	553	4980	183	38	29
Totals	176306	178096	16726	9049	17735	16479	2197	1920	6601	6228	192918	11353	305	4123	37408	1546	631	528
Totals for Last Year	175752	166407	16323	9809	16706	16143	1840	1510	7141	5253	188869	12582	319	4078	36407	1500	584	....
Increase	554	1689	403	.....	1029	336	357	410	....	975	4049	.....	.....	45	1001	46	47	....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	760	.....	.....	.....	.....	540	.....	.....	1229	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	....

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP						EPWORTH LEAGUE		CHURCH PROPERTY								GENERAL CONFERENCE EXPENSES		
	Probationers		Full Members																
	Enrolled During Year	Now on Roll	Members on Roll	Non-Resident Members	Local Preachers	Deaths During Year	Senior Members	Junior Members	Churches	Estimated Value	Parsonages	Estimated Value	Paid for Buildings and Improvements on Churches and Parsonages	Paid on Old Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Present Indebtedness on Churches and Parsonages	Current Expenses, Sexton, Fuel, Light, Etc.	Apportioned for the Quadrennium	Paid This Year	Balance Due for the Quadrennium
Carthage	546	768	7123	121	17	70	1880	859	56½	272900	22	44100	4916	10176	37930	2515	5	4	3
Farmington	291	126	3589	210	17	34	405	145	53	106100	13	14500	2142	186	6475	1694	....	....	....
Kansas City	567	327	9115	347	10	79	1454	659	45½	1375740	16	44200	39216	7103	492068	28734	....	31	....
Lebanon	410	93	4572	126	26	36	508	269	58½	110800	20	21100	5393	440	270	1963	....	2	....
Sedalia	207	122	5047	305	16	47	801	339	46	161800	22	28000	6557	970	7246	3909	....	10	....
St. Louis	426	279	4795	159	15	37	756	380	24	498500	9	52800	4768	8160	66691	27951	....	20	....
Springfield	274	137	5081	462	35	50	1062	303	63½	169300	22	37800	6695	3407	4636	3352	28	24	16
Totals	2721	1852	39322	1730	136	353	6866	2954	347	2695500	124	242500	69687	20422	615316	70118	33	91	19
Totals for Last Year	.....	1511	38938	.....	164	363	7942	2995	378½	2691295	130	241825	366748	22507	584434	70610	....	....	....
Increase	.....	341	384	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4205	.....	675	.....	.....	30882	.....	....	....	....
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	10	1076	41	31½	.....	6	.....	297061	2185	.....	492	....	....	....

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	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Freedman's Aid Society	Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Conference Educational Collection	Church	Sunday Schools (Total)	Board of Conference Claimants (Chicago)	Annual Conference Investments
Ava.	10	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Belle.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Buffalo.	14	....	6	14	....	6	2	....	2	15	....	2	....	....
Buffalo Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Cabool.	20	....	4	19	....	3	2	....	....	10	2	1	....	....
Conway.	40	....	....	40	....	....	5	3	2	25	4	....	5	....
Eldon.	34	....	6	34	....	6	3	3	2	5	2	....	....	....
Gainesville.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Hartville.	2	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Houston.	....	....	....	....	....	14	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	....
Iberia.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lebanon.	28	....	13	28	....	13	5	3	5	7	5	....	....	....
Lebanon Circuit.	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Licking.	5	....	....	5	....	2	1	....	3	....	....	....	....	....
Linn Creek.	1	....	....	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	3	....	....	....
Marshfield.	74	....	....	30	....	44	5	....	....	30	....	5	....	....
Mountain Grove.	40	....	....	30	....	....	5	....	5	20	....	....	....	....
Mountain Grove Circuit.	5	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Newburg and Dixon.	21	....	8	21	....	8	2	....	9	....	2	....	....	....
Olean.	10	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Phillipsburg.	12	....	6	12	....	6	1	5	5	....	2	....	....	....
Plato.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Richland.	9	....	14	10	....	13	3	2	2	10	4	....	2	....
Richland Circuit.	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Rolla.	26	....	14	26	....	14	5	....	4	25	....	3	....	....
Seymour and Mansfield.	20	....	....	18	....	....	2	....	....	14	....	2	....	....
Upshaw.	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Urbana.	4	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	380	....	71	312	....	129	42	16	46	161	24	13	7	....

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....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	32	48	13	3	....	64
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	5	....	6	12	5	....	23
....	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	64	2	1	5	42	114	28	7	....	149
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	62	1	....	....	....	63	14	3	....	80
....	....	....	....	2	....	2	....	128	2	....	....	10	140	28	7	....	175
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	95	2	....	....	....	97	32	8	....	137
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	2	....	11
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	5	15	4	....	24
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	21	2	....	....	....	23	18	4	....	45
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	4	....	12
2	14	....	....	1	....	2	....	126	3	....	20	....	149	44	12	....	205
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	2	7	4	....	13
....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	17	2	....	....	....	19	20	5	....	44
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	1	....	....	....	7	10	3	....	20
....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	190	3	....	....	....	193	30	8	....	231
....	23	....	....	....	....	....	....	123	4	....	20	75	222	48	12	....	282
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	10	4	1	....	15
....	....	....	....	1	....	3	....	75	2	....	....	16	93	22	6	....	121
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	16	....	....	....	....	16	14	3	....	33
....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	50	....	....	10	23	83	20	5	....	108
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	1	....	3
1	....	....	....	1	....	4	....	75	2	....	....	....	77	27	7	....	111
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	1	....	5	....	10	14	4	....	28
....	66	....	....	1	....	3	....	187	3	....	50	....	240	44	11	....	295
....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	57	2	....	....	....	59	28	7	....	94
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	2	8	2	....	12
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	2	....	....	....	8	22	6	....	36
3	103	....	....	14	....	16	....	1337	35	1	115	198	1686	541	144	....	2371

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Belgrade.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bloomfield.	....	....	5	2	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bloomfield Circuit.	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....
Bonne Terre.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Cornwall Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Courtois Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
DeSoto.	8	....	12	8	....	13	7	....	7	40	2	4	5	....
DeSoto Circuit.	3	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....
Doe Run.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Dudley.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Farmington.	26	....	36	27	....	35	12	2	8	60	1	3	....	....
Flat River.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Fruitland.	10	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	10	5	3	....	....
Irondale Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Ironton.	1	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lutesville Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mountain View.	20	....	....	20	....	....	1	....	3	....	2	....	2	....
Patton Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	....
Perryville.	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Poplar Bluff.	11	....	9	20	....	....	5	5	2	....	1	....	....	....
Poplar Bluff Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Puxico.	1	....	....	2	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	1	....
West Plains.	10	....	20	10	....	20	4	....	10	50	....	3	....	....
West Plains Circuit.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Willow Springs.	5	....	5	5	....	5	5	....	2	....	....	....	....	....
Winona.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	97	....	87	108	....	79	35	8	32	162	14	19	9	....

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....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	28	....	....	....	....	40	2	....	8	....	50	5	10	....	65
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	2	24	....	....	30	5	10	....	45
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	15	....	....	15	4	3	....	22
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	3	....	6
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	3	....	5
1	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	109	....	....	....	....	109	36	13	....	158
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	1	....	....	....	9	5	3	....	17
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	5	....	10
1	28	....	....	1	....	....	....	245	4	48	1300	....	1597	54	20	....	1671
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	43	3	....	....	....	46	8	10	....	64
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	2	2	4	....	8
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	49	1	....	5	....	55	5	10	....	70
1	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	5	....	....	3	....	8	1	1	....	10
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	2	....	2	....	4
....	....	....	....	2	....	2	....	57	1	....	5	....	63	10	13	....	86
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	7	....	....	....	....	7	4	9	....	20
....	22	34	....	1	....	4	5	193	3	42	....	....	238	45	18	....	301
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	28	2	112	10	....	152	12	12	....	176
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	4
6	50	35	28	10	....	8	5	792	19	241	1331	....	2383	210	149	....	2742

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Alba and Mt. Moriah	5			5			1			25	4	3		
Anderson	15				15				2					
Avilla	30			30			2		2	19	4			
Butler	20		18	20		18	1		4			4	2	
Butler Circuit	18			18			2					2	2	
Carl Junction	9			9			3	1		20	2		3	
Carterville	11			11			4	2				3		
Carthage	250	60	156	320		156	25	10	34	105	25		10	
Carthage Circuit	11			11			2	2			2		2	
Hume	6		8	3		5	1			4	1		1	
Iantha	30		10	30		10	8	2	5	20	1			
Jasper	51		26	51		26	10		2	40	6			7
Joplin—Byers Avenue	75	61	50	75	50		20	4	10	80		20		
Central Avenue		10	29			29	2			13		6		
Chitwood														
Epworth														
First Church	140		50	140		50	15		5	100	5	5		
Lamar	10		8	30		10	8	2	2	14		2		
Liberal	10		2	10		2	3							
Moundville	15		4	15			1		2	11		2	5	
Nashville	5		12	5		12		1	11		6		2	4
Nevada	50		15	50		15	10	1		25	7		4	
Neosho	20		23	20		23	5	2	5	25	6		4	
Oronogo and Neck City	17		18	17		18	4	1	7	21	4			
Rich Hill and Foster	40		20	40		20	8	2	12	37	2	4	5	
Sarcoxie	10		10	12			2		1	24		1	2	
Seneca	7			7						4				
Sheldon and Milo	10			10			2	2		10	2			
Spurgeon	4			4			1			2				
Webb City	36			45			10	2		50	2			
Webb City Circuit														
	905	131	459	988	65	394	150	34	104	649	79	52	42	11

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2	2	2	....	1	....	3	....	53	1	....	....	3	57	24	10	2	93
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	32	1	....	....	....	33	10	5	....	48
2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	89	2	....	....	....	91	26	11	....	128
2	17	....	....	1	....	2	....	109	2	113	....	1	225	40	18	....	283
2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	44	2	....	....	....	46	24	10	....	80
1	....	9	....	1	....	....	....	58	2	....	....	....	60	39	11	....	110
1	11	....	....	1	....	1	....	45	2	15	....	....	62	28	10	2	102
5	758	60	....	5	....	11	....	1990	8	444	....	....	2442	105	43	....	2590
2	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	36	2	....	10	5	53	28	13	2	96
....	38	....	....	....	....	....	....	67	1	39	....	....	107	27	8	....	142
....	1	1	....	....	....	....	....	118	2	....	....	....	120	23	7	....	150
3	....	29	....	3	....	5	....	259	2	175	....	....	436	32	10	....	478
5	109	159	13	5	....	13	....	749	4	475	....	12	1240	72	30	....	1342
1	....	....	....	1	....	4	....	95	1	....	....	....	96	13	5	....	114
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	3	....	8
5	195	....	....	4	....	5	....	719	5	....	....	....	724	92	44	....	860
2	96	....	....	1	....	1	....	186	2	31	....	2	221	40	18	4	283
....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	28	2	92	15	....	137	30	12	....	179
....	....	....	15	1	....	....	....	71	1	19	....	....	91	15	8	....	114
2	....	....	....	2	....	3	....	65	1	27	....	....	93	30	10	....	133
....	67	33	....	1	....	3	....	281	3	96	20	....	400	60	24	....	484
2	40	25	....	2	....	3	....	205	2	5	....	....	212	40	21	....	273
1	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	111	2	9	15	....	137	34	14	....	185
2	....	6	....	2	....	1	....	201	2	50	20	....	273	34	14	....	321
1	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	65	2	9	....	....	76	36	17	....	129
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	18	....	....	....	....	18	23	8	....	49
1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	38	2	....	....	....	40	20	6	....	66
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11	1	....	50	....	62	5	2	....	69
2	....	....	....	2	....	2	....	151	4	10	140	....	305	68	20	....	393
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
44	1336	324	28	37	....	62	....	5886	61	1609	270	23	7857	1023	412	10	9302

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Ash Grove	2	....	1	3	....	....	....	....	....	13	....	....	....	....
Aurora	22	....	5	16	50	4	....	....	2	16	....	1	2	....
Billings	5	5	15	10	....	15	3	....	3	6	....	3	....	....
Bolivar	44	8	11	30	....	11	5	....	....	10	3	8	....	....
Clever Circuit	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	....	....	....
Dadeville	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Fair Play	18	2	8	18	....	8	5	1	1	18	3	1	....	....
Galena	3	....	8	2	....	8	2	....	....	3	....	2	....	....
Golden City	40	....	30	30	....	40	4	....	9	20	3	10	6	....
Greenfield	17	....	4	18	....	4	2	....	....	8	1	1	....	....
Humansville	....	....	14	3	....	12	8	....	3	22	....	3	....	....
La Russell	4	....	....	3	....	....	1	3	....	....	....	....	....	....
Lockwood	21	....	11	19	....	11	3	....	....	26	....	4	....	....
Marionville	35	....	28	30	....	28	10	....	2	50	5	4	....	....
Marionville Circuit	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....
Monett	5	....	7	5	....	6	3	10	....	26	....	5	....	....
Mount Vernon	10	....	20	10	....	20	4	....	10	20	3	....	....	....
Osceola	45	....	40	45	....	40	19	....	....	45	....	15	....	....
Pierce City	5	....	5	5	....	5	2	....	2	10	1	1	....	....
Purdy	10	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....
Republic	11	....	10	11	....	10	7	....	....	22	....	2	....	....
Springfield Circuit	5	....	5	5	....	....	5	....	1	....	....	1	....	....
Daily Memorial	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....
Devers Benton Ave.	10	....	20	10	....	20	2	....	7	17	....	5	....	....
Grace Church	265	....	60	265	....	60	65	....	15	100	54	13	....	....
Mount Carmel	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....
Stockton	....	....	5	....	....	5	2	....	....	4	....	1	....	....
Tanneyville	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Weaubleau	3	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	583	15	309	547	50	307	152	14	60	450	73	80	9	....

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EVOLENCES								OTHER BENEVOLENCES					OTHER ITEMS			
Woman's Foreign Missoinary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society		American Bible Society	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Central Office Expenses Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Conference Minutes	Other Collections	Special Education	Permanent Fund	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL
	Cash	Supplies														
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	19	1	....	....	....	20	14	5	1	40
31	2	....	....	....	....	....	151	2	14	....	....	167	28	9	....	204
....	6	....	1	....	1	....	74	2	32	....	....	108	21	8	....	137
60	....	....	1	....	1	....	192	2	....	....	....	194	40	13	....	247
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	....	2	....	....	6	5	2	....	13
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	2	2	1	....	5
....	....	....	1	....	1	....	86	2	40	....	....	128	23	7	....	158
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	28	....	....	....	....	28	6	2	....	36
....	....	....	2	....	1	....	197	3	15	....	....	215	30	10	....	255
....	3	....	....	....	2	....	60	3	....	....	....	63	30	10	....	103
56	....	38	2	....	2	....	163	1	11	....	....	175	24	8	....	207
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11	....	....	....	....	11	3	1	2	17
....	....	13	1	....	2	....	112	2	17	15	....	146	30	9	2	187
68	53	25	2	....	5	....	346	....	24	20	....	390	48	15	....	453
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	5	....	15	5	1	3	24
37	....	....	....	....	....	....	104	3	....	....	....	107	26	6	....	139
20	....	....	1	....	1	....	119	3	....	....	....	122	44	14	....	180
93	7	....	6	....	2	....	357	3	75	545	....	980	40	12	....	1032
....	....	....	1	....	....	....	37	....	....	....	....	37	10	3	....	50
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	15	....	....	....	....	15	12	4	....	31
....	....	....	2	....	....	....	75	2	125	....	....	202	35	11	4	252
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	23	....	....	....	....	23	8	3	....	34
....	....	....	....	20	....	....	23	1	....	....	....	24	1	1	....	26
56	235	....	1	40	....	....	423	4	843	255	....	1525	54	17	4	1600
71	85	95	21	265	....	....	1434	7	640	....	....	2081	96	30	....	2207
....	....	1	....	19	1	....	28	....	4	5	....	37	12	5	....	54
....	....	....	1	....	2	....	21	....	25	....	....	46	12	5	4	67
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	6
492	391	172	43	344	21	....	4120	41	1867	845	....	6873	659	212	20	7764

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NAMES OF CHARGES	MISSIONS							EDUCATION			BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS		CONFEPE CLAIMAN	
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board of Home Missions and Church Extension			Freedman's Aid Society	Board of Education		Conference Educational Collection				
	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools		Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund		Church	Sunday Schools (Total)	Board of Conference Claimants (Chicago)	Annual Conference
Alberta.	14	....	1	13	....	2	1	1	....	6	3	....	....	
Appleton City.	18	40	12	18	....	12	10	2	9	....	7	3	....	
Centerview.	9	....	6	9	....	6	2	....	12	....	1	1	....	
Clinton.	115	38	40	115	....	40	20	10	11	20	12	10	10	
Deepwater.	17	....	9	17	....	8	3	2	6	2	1	....	....	
Dresden.	25	....	....	25	....	....	7	18	....	4	5	....	....	
Eldorado Springs.	40	....	10	40	....	10	5	5	....	10	8	5	6	
Eldorado Springs Circuit.	3	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	
Green Ridge.	8	....	....	8	....	....	4	5	3	....	1	....	....	
Huntingdale.	9	....	2	11	....	....	7	3	....	1	8	....	1	
Knob Noster.	54	....	2	55	....	1	2	3	4	7	5	....	....	
Malta Bend.	43	....	7	43	....	7	8	5	8	15	4	3	10	
Montrose.	10	....	....	10	....	....	2	....	....	2	....	....	....	
Odessa.	31	....	4	30	....	5	5	2	8	15	....	5	6	
Pilot Grove	40	....	....	25	....	....	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	
Rockville.	10	4	....	10	....	....	3	1	....	3	2	....	....	
Schell City.	10	....	....	25	....	....	4	2	1	1	3	....	4	
Sedalia—Epworth.	20	....	12	20	....	12	5	....	10	5	....	5	3	
First Church.	200	60	50	255	....	50	60	20	20	110	20	10	12	
Smithton.	75	50	4	75	....	5	6	5	5	10	4	3	8	
Tipton.	11	....	14	25	....	....	2	....	13	3	2	1	4	
Urich.	9	....	....	8	....	....	....	1	....	3	2	....	....	
Warrensburg.	64	6	14	70	....	14	14	....	....	36	7	3	....	
Windsor.	....	....	12	15	....	13	....	....	7	10	2	....	....	
	835	198	199	925	....	185	175	85	117	263	97	49	64	

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BENEVOLENCES									OTHER BENEVOLENCES					OTHER ITEMS			
		Woman's Home Missionary Society															
Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	American Bible Society	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Central Office Expenses Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Conference Minutes	Other Collections	Special Education	Permanent Fund	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL
1	....	....	....	1	1	....	....	44	....	....	....	....	44	20	8	....	72
....	40	....	....	....	....	....	....	171	2	....	....	....	173	44	18	....	235
....	....	27	....	....	....	1	....	74	2	....	....	....	76	25	9	....	110
....	51	28	7	2	....	....	....	529	5	....	25	52	611	60	19	....	690
....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	66	1	....	....	....	67	18	7	....	92
....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	86	2	4	....	....	92	17	6	....	115
....	....	....	20	2	....	3	....	164	3	....	....	....	167	40	10	....	217
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6	....	1	....	....	7	3	1	....	11
....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	30	2	....	....	....	32	28	12	....	72
1	17	....	1	1	1	....	....	64	2	1	1	....	68	24	7	1	100
....	....	....	34	3	....	....	....	170	....	....	....	59	229	28	12	....	269
1	....	....	....	2	1	2	....	160	3	....	5	24	192	39	17	....	248
1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	25	....	....	....	29	54	....	....	....	54
2	4	4	....	2	....	2	....	125	2	....	....	34	161	23	7	....	191
1	....	3	....	2	....	2	....	78	2	....	....	54	134	22	9	....	165
1	....	....	....	1	....	2	....	37	2	....	....	....	39	18	9	....	66
1	1	1	....	1	....	1	....	56	2	....	....	....	58	10	5	1	74
2	12	12	....	2	....	....	....	120	3	....	5	47	175	48	15	4	242
10	312	77	64	10	....	....	....	1340	5	....	....	535	1880	102	38	....	2020
1	70	....	16	1	....	1	....	339	3	....	....	82	424	33	11	....	468
....	69	....	....	....	....	....	....	146	2	3	....	13	164	27	11	2	204
....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	24	1	....	....	10	35	20	7	2	64
....	148	....	....	....	....	3	....	379	5	411	45	66	906	56	24	....	986
2	....	2	14	....	....	2	....	79	2	....	10	17	108	36	16	....	160
24	724	154	156	35	3	19	....	4312	51	420	91	1022	5896	741	278	10	6925

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NAMES OF CHARGES	MISSIONS: Board of Foreign Missions: Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Board of Home Missions and Church Extension: Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Freedman's Aid Society	EDUCATION: Board of Education: Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund	Conference Educational Collection	BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS: Church	Sunday Schools (Total)	CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS: Board of Conference Claimants (Chicago)	Annual Conference Investments
Cuba.			4			4	2		2					
Pacific.	8			8					6					
St. Louis—Bowman.	100			100			10	2	5	40				
Carondelet.			14			14								
Chouteau.	50		15	50		15	12	2	6	30	6	3		
Dr. Fry Memorial	118	53	49	119		48	32	5	16	90	22	6	4	
Hagerty Memorial.	15		27	15		26	2		3	12		4	10	
Harlem Memorial.	42		24	43		23	13	2	7	44	8	5	4	
Jennings and Wal. Pk.	8		8	8		8	3	1		8	3	1	1	
Lindell Avenue.	900	25	32	450		25	50	20		520	15		20	
Maple Avenue.	442		111	414		111	100		32	200		15		
Maplewood.	15			15										
St. Luke's.	5		15	5		15			6	20	3			
Shrewbury.														
Trinity.	50		5	50		5	8	5		25	2			
Union.	1000	700	79	1000		79	180	27	90	200	75	17	36	
Wagoner Memorial.	50			25						25				
Winsor Memorial.														
Salem.			5			5	2					1		
Sligo.	16		4	16		4	4	1	2	25	3	1	3	
Sullivan.	12			14							6	2		
	2831	778	392	2332		382	418	65	175	1239	143	60	78	

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Adrian.	5		27	5		27	3	5	2	15	2	6	5	
Austin.	56		6	56		5	11		10	43	9	1	8	
Belton.	5		15	5		15	6	1	2	17	5	3		
Buckner.	30	5		30			6	28			5			
Cleveland														
Courtney.	4		2	4		2	3			3	2			
Drexel.			4	4		2	2		2	10	1	1		
East Lynne.			8			8			2	8				
Garden City.	21			9									4	
Holden.	17		18	7		18			8		2	5	9	
Independence—Watson.	50		25	25		25	5	4	4	58		17	14	
Kansas City—Arlington	70			6		64	5		4	20				
Bennington Heights.	25			26			5		3	25	5			
Beaumont.	5		5	5		5	1					2		
Broadway.	35	15	4	35			8	10	4	5	5	2		
City Missions.	5			4			2	1	1					
Grace.	44		35	44		35	16		3	50	13	2	10	
Grand Avenue.	120		55	120		55	25		19	60		13	7	
Howard Memorial.	378	55	122	397		122	115		13	185	96	26	40	
Hyde Park.	135	45	45	135		45	36	5	14	120	20	10		
Independence Avenue	817			257			50			50	25			
Linwood Boulevard.	560	185	130	425		125	80	25	31	75	75		33	
Maywood.	15		15	15		15	6			8	5	4	3	
Mersington Avenue.														
Mt. Washington.	26		15	26		15	4	4	4		4		2	
Oakhurst.			22			23				12				
Oakley.	83	50	70	79		70	15		9	40		4		
Pheonix Park.	25		5	25		5			5		2			
Slavens Memorial.	10		10	10		10	4		3	27		3	8	
Sugar Creek.														
Summit Street.	45		20	45		20	12	6	6	20	14		5	
Kingsville.	4			4										
Lee's Summit.	15		10	15		10	4	15	3		1	2	3	
Oak Grove.	10			10			4					2		
Pleasant Hill.	4		1	49		1	7					8		
	2619	355	669	1877		722	435	104	152	851	291	111	151	

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Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society: Cash	Woman's Home Missionary Society: Supplies	American Bible Society	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Central Office Expenses Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Conference Minutes	Other Collections	Special Education	Permanent Fund	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL
BENEVOLENCES									OTHER BENEVOLENCES					OTHER ITEMS			
								12					12	17	5		34
								22					22				22
	93	35						385	3	45	10		443	80	25		548
	39		26			3		99	2	11	20		132	40	12		184
	51			2		2		251	2	63			316	48	15		379
	124	139	61	3	155	3		1051	5	72			1128	88	28		1244
	68		55					228	3	97	20		348	44	11		403
2	43	66	27	2		2		357					357	44	13		414
				1				50					50	24	7		81
	444	590	110	10	3550			6761	10	3010			9781	245	55		10081
	743	467	97		875			3607		318	500		4425	172	55		4652
						2		32		24			56	44	13		113
		71	18			2		160	2	20			182	40	12		234
	48	17			125	2		342	2	22			366	64	16		446
25	666	536	35	10	3085	8		7848	12	11304	6806		25970	250	50	20	26290
								100					100	24	20		144
		1		1				15	1				16	12	4		32
				1		1		81					81	22	7		110
								34					34	10	3		47
27	2319	1922	429	30	7790	25		21435	42	14986	7356		43819	1268	351	20	45458

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Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Woman's Home Missionary Society: Cash	Woman's Home Missionary Society: Supplies	American Bible Society	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Central Office Expenses Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Conference Minutes	Other Collections	Special Education	Permanent Fund	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL
2	26			2		1		133	2	54	25		214	43	10	3	270
				3		2		210		331	100		641	36	10		687
				2				76	5	204			285	30	8		323
				2		1		107		74			181	22	6	2	211
														12	3		15
				1				21	1	3			25	4	1		30
	32			1				59	2	31			92	45	11	1	149
				1				27					27	6	2		35
								34					34	4	5		43
	29	14	85			3		215	3	14	25		257	40	10		307
14	166					2		409	4	17			430	56	11		497
	145	157		1	35	1		508	3	87			598	80	25		703
2		13		2	15	2		123		36	10		169	30	10	2	211
					10	1		34					34	20	5		59
2				2		1		128	2	161			291	60	16	2	369
								13			20		33	4	3		40
	53	50		5	25	4		389		125			514	40	10		564
	517	385	100		350			1826	5	780			2611	144	24		2779
	274	75	40	36	570	6		2550		255	100		2905	172	43		3120
	190	147	35	12	50			1044		114			1158	120	30		1308
	815	1284		5	525			3828	5	373	50		4256	160	36	10	4462
	659	367	115	5	240	2		3132	10	526			3668	152	38		3858
				2	10	1		99	2	9			110	28	7		145
1	2	72	6	1	50	2		234	2		20		256	45	10		311
	194	52	40			3		346	2	64			412	64	12		488
1	111	153	40	1	95			821	4	67			892	80	25	6	1003
	85				25	3		180	3	30			213	48	12		273
				1	65	3		154	2	1			157	33	8		198
5	110			2	30	3		343	3	90	20	4	460	44	7		511
						1		9					9	5	1		15
	1	5		1				85	3	37			125	36	10	2	173
				1				27		5			32	20	4		56
		7	14			2		93	2				95	28	7	3	133
27	3409	2781	475	89	2095	44		17257	65	3488	370	4	21184	1711	420	31	23346

RECAPITULATION

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NAMES OF DISTRICTS	MISSIONS							EDUCATION			BOARD OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS	
	Board of Foreign Missions			Board of Home Missions and Church Extension			Freedman's Aid Society	Board of Education		Conference Educational Collection				
	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools	Church	Special Gifts	Sunday Schools		Public Educational Collection	Children's Fund		Church	Sunday Schools (Total)	Board of Conference Claimants (Chicago)	Annual Conference Investments
Carthage.	905	131	459	988	65	394	150	34	104	649	79	52	42	11
Farmington.	97	....	87	108	....	79	35	8	32	162	14	19	9	....
Kansas City.	2619	355	669	1877	....	722	435	104	152	851	291	111	151	....
Lebanon.	380	....	71	312	....	129	42	16	46	161	24	13	7	....
St. Louis.	2831	778	392	2332	....	382	418	65	175	1239	143	60	78	....
Sedalia.	835	198	199	925	....	185	175	85	117	263	97	49	64	[illegible]
Springfield.	583	15	309	547	50	307	152	14	60	450	73	80	9	....
	8250	1477	2186	7089	115	2198	1407	326	686	3775	721	384	360	16

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BENEVOLENCES									OTHER BENEVOLENCES					OTHER ITEMS			
		Woman's Home Missionary Society															
Church Temperance Society	Woman's Foreign Missionary Society	Cash	Supplies	American Bible Society	City Missionary or Church Extension Society	Central Office Expenses Epworth League	Methodist Brotherhood Dues	Total Disciplinary Benevolences	Conference Minutes	Other Collections	Special Education	Permanent Fund	Total Benevolences	Support of Conference Claimants	Support of Bishops (Episcopal Fund)	General Conference Expenses	GRAND TOTAL
44	1336	324	28	37	.....	62	....	5894	61	1609	270	23	7857	1023	412	10	9302
6	50	35	28	10	.....	8	5	792	19	241	1331	.....	2383	210	149	....	2742
27	3409	2781	475	89	2095	44	....	17257	65	3488	370	4	21184	1711	420	31	23346
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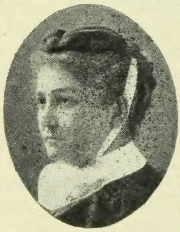

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